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The undersigned will sell at Public Sale on the Arnold farm two and one-fourth miles southeast of Klemme to the highest responsible bidder the following property belonging to the estate of Fred Arnold deceased on

—Wednesday, Jan. 13, 1909—

Sale begins at 10 o'clock sharp.
Free lunch at noon.

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Estate of Fred Arnold.

Col. H T. Ellsworth, Auct.
F. A. Arnold, Clerk.

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The parties who are continually committing nuisances to our building, carving and writing obscene literature on our premises, when found out will be delt with according to the dictates of the law. We have tolerated their abuses long enough and action will be taken at once if found out whom the misdemeanors are that continually annoy our property. We are not going to drop this matter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Josten.

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At the Wellemeyer farm seven miles southwest of Garner, six miles northwest of Klemme.

The undersigned is about to remove to Deleware county, Ia, and will sell at Public Auction all his farming equipment and stock enough to run a section of land.

—Thursday, Jan. 14, 1909—

Attend the biggest sale of the season. See the good stuff sold and take part.

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Free lunch at 11:30. Sale begins 12 o'clock.

Carl Wellemeyer, Owner.
Col. H. T. Ellsworth, Auct.
F. M Hanson, Clerk.

CAME NEAR CHOKING TO DEATH.

A little boy the son of Chris. D. Peterson a well known resident of the village of Jacksonville, Iowa had a sudden and violent attack of croup Much thick stringy phlegm came up after giving chamberlain's cough remedy. Mr. Peterson says: I think he would have choked to death had we not given him this remedy. For sale by G A Pabst & Co.

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We appear to have taken the door of China off its hinges altogether.

The camel, says an investigator, originated in America. Probably in a "dry" county.

The statistics show no evidence of any increasing demand for the divorceless marriage.

Another boy loses out in the attempt to keep up a record of 50 cigarettes a day. The coroner wins.

A local physician announces that he can transplant kidneys. Now is your time to set out your summer crop.

And now it is suspected that there is a mistletoe trust. Who cares? The girls can find something just as good to stand under.

England is not yet converting its Dreadnoughts into dirigible balloons, though Sir Hiram Maxim cannot help wondering why.

A New York preacher who might be in better business is preaching against Christmas trees. It takes all kinds of people to make a world.

The number of youth in the land who decide that the work of being president is too hard to attract them, is said to be increasing.

Ease in money is not world-wide. In Australia there is a manifest tendency toward stringency, and little money is available for fresh investment.

The Rockefeller Bible class needs more funds to carry on its work. We sincerely hope that some wealthy man will hear of this and contribute.

And now they say Paul Revere never did it. But how do they know? "Scarcely a man is now alive who remembers that famous day and year."

The new name of the new emperor of China, aged three, is Hsuen Tuig. Is it proper to advise his guardians that as the twig is bent so is the tree inclined?

A Chicago girl grabbed a foootpad who was robbing her and held him until the police came. Perfectly simple—why didn't we think of that method before?

Ethel Roosevelt, who prefers her horse and dog to society, wouldn't have to submit records from musty tin boxes to prove herself a member of that family.

Now that we are to have two-cent postage to Germany how unlucky it is for the German magazines that so few of our American authors can write in that language.

A $50,000,000 spinster has just died in New York in her nineties. There must be some heartaches over this news in noble European families who missed such a prize.

A French admiral has been relieved of his command for talking too much. The general revolutionary tendencies of the times seem to be working havoc with the talking habit in high places.

The British Columbian government has passed regulations curtailing the size of net used in salmon fishing, also enforcing the regulation that no fish should be caught from Saturday to Monday.

Those who deplore the modernity of substituting "87—Ambrose Channel—87" for Sandy Hook light may yet take comfort in the thought that the new title connotes the old historic minstrel show.

It is planned now to shorten speeches in parliament. Orators not getting full satisfaction can go home and get the remainder of their speeches out of their systems behind the wood shed.

Hens either did not approve of the election, or else they thought the new prosperity entitled them to a rest, for, contrary to our expectations, they are not putting in any eight-hour day laying eggs just now.

The Japanese governing authorities are now devoting careful attention to the improvement of their poultry. Experiments in Japan have shown that Minorcas and Andalusians are the best breeds suited to their purpose.

Patents on the processes of reducing and manufacturing aluminum, which will run out soon, are expected to make the metal much cheaper and cause a greater demand for it. As in many cases aluminum is a satisfactory substitute for copper, the reduction in its price may, it is thought, be an important factor in determining the price of copper. Incidentally, remarks the Indianapolis Sentinel, it is worth while in this connection to recall the fact that clays rich in aluminum are found in several regions in Indiana

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

WINS "SPOILS" SUIT.

Council Tries to Prevent Mayor from Installing own Father.

Creston.—A decision just rendered by Judge Anderson of Appanoose in the case between Mayor White of Centerville and the city council is exciting a good deal of attention over the state, as it is the first disputed case under the new law, which grants to the mayor the sole appointive power for city offices. The trouble between the mayor and the city grew out of the appointment of the mayor's father as street commissioner, and the action of the council in refusing to pay him his salary, and their attempt to let the work of the city out by contract instead of leaving it in the commissioner's hands, passing an ordinance to that effect, and obtaining an injunction restraining the mayor from interfering with the tools of the street department. The decision of Judge Anderson was a practical victory for the mayor, the injunction against him being partly dissolved, and it was further held that the council had no power to dispense with the services of the mayor's appointee or to attempt to withhold his salary.

Grinnell Expends $300,000.

Grinnell.—Over $300,000 has been expended in Grinnell during 1908 for improvements, new buildings, etc. Two new business houses have been erected at a cost of $20,000, forty residences have been erected at the cost of $150,000, miscellaneous private improvements have cost $100,000. Twenty thousand feet of sanitary sewer have been laid at a cost of $16,000. Sewers in Grinnell in 1907 cost $2,000. Thus an increase of $14,000 has been made since that time. Eighty three thousand square feet of sidewalk has been laid at a cost of almost $10,000. This is an increase of almost 10,000 square feet over the amount laid in 1907.

Car of Cattle Is Burned.

Glenwood.—One of the distressing accidents of holiday week in Mills county was the burning of a car load of cattle at Silver City. The animals were the property of George Rew, a well known feeder, and had been loaded for shipment to market. The fire is said to have caught from a spark from a docomotive. Fourteen head were smothered in the car, and six others had to be killed after they had been taken out in order to relieve them of their sufferings.

Try to Rob Melvin Bank.

Melvin.—Robbers broke into the First National bank here and put four charges into the safe, blowing off the outer door and badly wrecking the building and fixtures. The noise from the explosion awakened the citizens, who promptly responded, armed with shotguns. A. L. Blackmore exchanged shots with one of the robbers, scaring them away before they had secured any cash. The robbers escaped south on a hand car, which was found near Hartley.

Writes Apology; Kills Self.

Manson.—After writing a note apologizing to his wife for his act, C. D. H. Johnson, a wealthy German farmer living northwest of here in Pocahontas county, shot himself with both barrels of his shot gun, inflicting awful wounds in his face and head that were fatal. In his note Johnson said that he feared the awful pain from which he had suffered in his head would drive him insane. Rather than lose his mind, he chose death.

Anundson Don't Want Office.

Mason City.—Letters received here by relatives of J. H. Anundson, who was reported a candidate for the office of bank examiner for this section of Iowa, announce the fact that Mr. Anundson is not a candidate and does not want the office. This leaves the field clear, so far as this section of the state goes to E. W. Clark, clerk of the courts.

Helps Husband Carry Mail.

Sioux City.—F. L. Roddy is one of the veteran postmen in Sioux City. When the holiday mail nearly broke his back, Mrs. Roddy decided he was working too hard, so she went with him to the postoffice, took nearly half his load, and accompanied him on his rounds as his assistant.

Big Robbery at Colfax.

Colfax.—The Colfax Bargain Store of Sol Blotcky was broken into and $300 worth of merchandise stolen. Entrance was effected through the window at the rear of the building.

DEDICATE NEW ARMORY.

Eagle Grove Now Has One of the Best in the State.

Eagle Grove.—Eagle Grove's fine new armory and opera house, erected at a cost of $35,000 for the use or Company K, Fifty-third infantry, I. N. G., was dedicated with an address by Gov. Warren Garst and other speeches by Adjutant General Thrift, Col. Guy E. Logan, Col. H. A. Allen of the Fifty-third regiment, and others. The building is one of the finest of the kind in Iowa. Its dimensions are 51 x130 feet, and it is equipped with a drill hall 50x70 feet, clear of posts. It has splendid club rooms, a gymnasium, an indoor target gallery, bathrooms, officers' quarters, quartermasters' rooms, locker rooms, a first sergeant's office, etc., besides a complete stage equipment.

SAVED LIVES BY PHONE.

Tank Filled with Gasoline Instead of Kerosene.

Nora Springs.—The value of a rural telephone was never more clearly illustrated than it was here. By a mistake the big tank in one of the leading stores of this town was filled with gasoline instead of kerosent. The clerks had been selling gasoline oil for kerosene nearly all day when it was discovered. Quite a little of it had gone out in the country and for nearly an hour the proprietor kept the rural lines busy informing customers of the mistake while clerks spread the news throughout the town. Quick action prevented trouble. The mistake was made by the gentleman who delivers from the wholesale branch at Mason City.

Man Declared Legally Dead.

Iowa City.—Wayne Magness was formally dclared dead in the district court here by Judge Howell, who tried the case of Anna Magness and Frank Magness vs. the Modern Woodmen of America. The dispute in the case was as to the death of Wayne Magness, father of the plaintiffs, who held a policy in the defendant company for $2,000. Magness disappeared eight years ago, and his wife and other relatives have not since heard from him. In the trial, which was the second one had in this case, a jury was dispensed with and the trial held to the court, resulting in a verdict for the plaintiffs.

Ties 548 Marriage Knots.

Corning.—The Rev. A. Y. Cupp, who lives near Carbon, is the most popular knot tier in the country around. He has united 548 couples during his life of service. The last day of the old year he married two couples and said he would be satisfied if just two more would apply making a round 550. Mr. Cupp is 70 years of age and is hale and hearty; a genial whole souled preacher.

Oelwein Is Progressive.

Oelwein.—The new syndicate block and the Iowa Savings bank at this place, erected during the year 1908, totalled a cost of $30,000. Ten new residences cost $15,000. Miscellaneous improvements cost $15,000 and new sidewalks cost $15,000. Thus over $60,000 has been expended here durthe last twelve months on improvements.

Builds $8,000 Dairy Barn.

Shenandoah.—Mr. J. C. Guthrie, a prominent dairy man here, is building an $8,000 barn on his farm just south of the city. He is planning to have one of the finest dairy barns in the state and is now selecting a choice lot of dairy cows and is getting everything in order for a modern up to date dairy.

$25,000 for Colo Farmers.

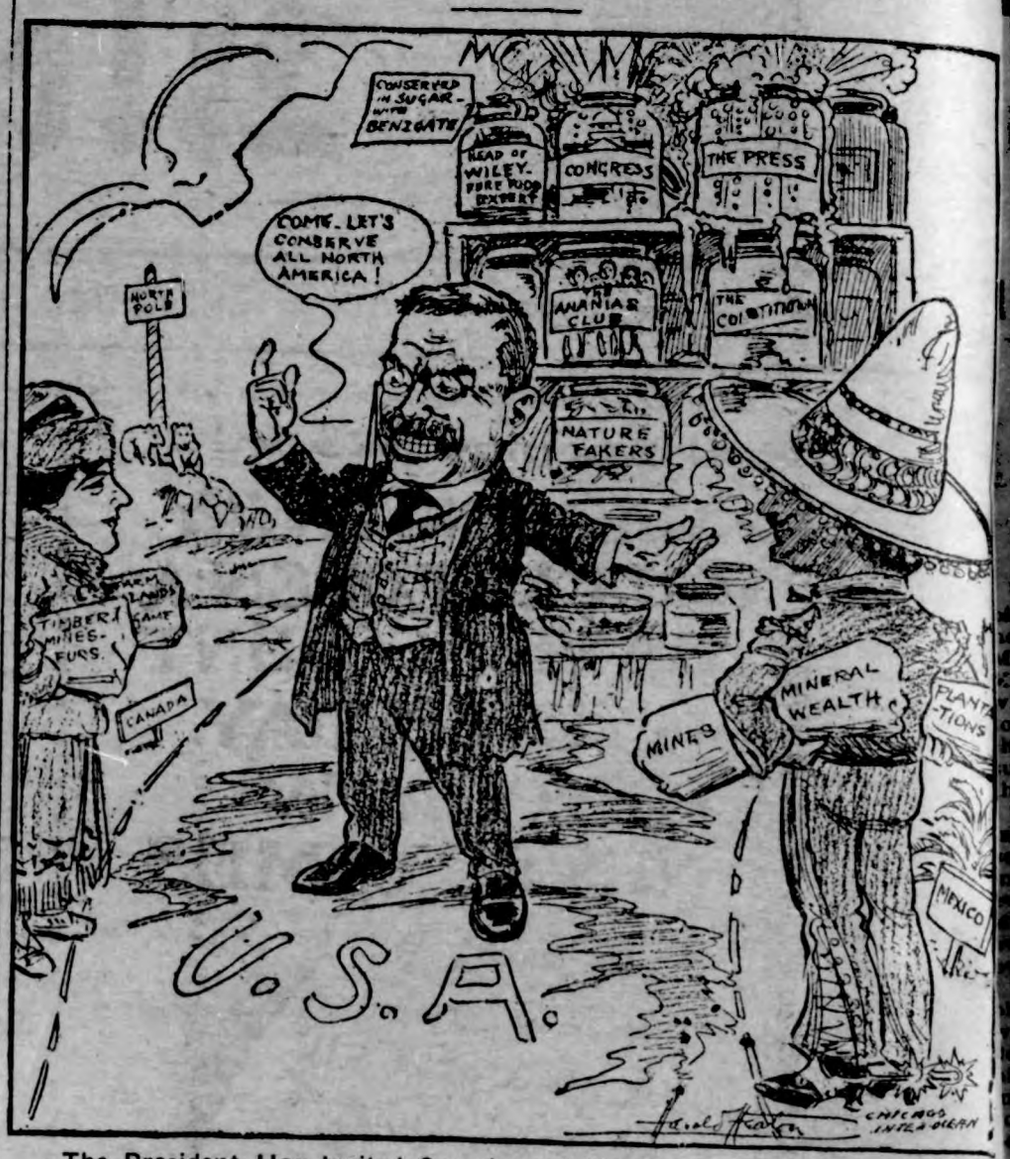
Colo.—Over $25,000 was paid out to farmers by Colo elevators during the first two weeks of December for corn. Thirty car loads were shipped to eastern markets.

Arrested for Robbery.

Creston.—Robert Cooper, who is wanted at Bristow for the robbery of the safe in a store at that point recently, was arrested in this city while stopping at the Blair hotel.

When the Congregational church at Garner was well filled with ladies some degenerate entered the lobby of the church where the ladies keep their hats and destroyed a number of them and rendered others practically valueless.

THE GREAT CONSERVATOR.



The President Has Invited Canada and Mexico to Join in a Conference on the Conservation of the Natural Resources of the North American Continent.—News Item.

DEATH SAVES FROM PRISON

FORMER TREASURER MATHUES OF PENNSYLVANIA DIES.

Illness Superinduced by Exposure of Capitol Graft and His Sentence to Penitentiary.

Media, Pa.—William L. Mathues, former state treasurer of Pennsylvania, died suddenly late Wednesday at his home here, aged 46 years. The cause of death was given by his physician as pneumonia, but it is generally believed that this illness was superinduced by Mr. Mathues' tribulations which were brought upon him by the Harrisburg capitol graft cases and his recent sentence of two years in the penitentiary for his part in the alleged conspiracy against the state.

For many years William L. Mathues was recognized as one of the political leaders of Pennsylvania and his power in Delaware county politics was supreme until the expose of the capitol frauds by his successor as state treasurer, William H. Berry, also of Delaware county. It was then that Mr. Mathues threw off the mantle of Republican county chairman and retired "temporarily," as he stated, until he could be vindicated.

In March of the present year Mathues, former Auditor-General William P. Snyder, James M. Shumaker, former superintendent of public grounds and buildings, and furniture contractor John H. Sanderson were convicted of conspiracy in defrauding the state out of $119,308 in a contract for wooden furniture.

The same defendants were placed on trial later to answer a charge of defrauding the state in a metal furniture contract. On this charge they were acquitted.

The four men above named, together with Architect Joseph M. Hueston, were to have been placed on trial on April 5 next, to answer the charge of fraud in the furnishing of desks for the new capitol. This case involves an alleged fraud of $25,577 on a bill of $61,000.

WRIGHT SMASHES AERO RECORD.

In France Aviator Stays in the Air Two Hours and Nine Minutes.

Le Mans, France. — Wilbur Wright, the American aeroplanist, beat all previous aeroplane records here yesterday afternoon with a magnificent flight that lasted for two hours and nine minutes. He covered officially a distance of 73 miles, but as a matter of fact, counting the wide curves, he made over 90 miles. Mr. Wright's feat was the more remarkable because of the intense cold.

After breaking the record Mr. Wright went aloft again with M. Barthou as a passenger.

Le Mans.—Wilbur Wright made another long flight Wednesday, remaining in the air for one hour, 52 minutes and 40 seconds and covering a distance of 60 miles. He was obliged to stop on account of the intense cold. Both he and his machine were covered with ice.

Feudists Make Truce and Disband.

Jackson, Ky.—Fearing that the governor would send troops to Breathitt county to preserve order, the Callahan and Deaton factions Friday agreed to a truce and disbanded. Both bands left Jackson.

HERMAN JUSTI IS DEAD.

Illinois Coal Operators' Commissioner Expires Suddenly.

Chicago.—Herman Justi, commissioner of the Illinois Coal Operators' association, and a well-known writer on labor problems, died suddenly Friday of internal hemorrhages at his home in Highland Park, Ill.

Mr. Justi was born in Louisville, Ky., December 18, 1852. His early life was spent in the city of his birth and in Nashville, Ky. He was first engaged in the hardware business, but upon his removal to Nashville, became the president of a bank. Later he came to Chicago to live.

For a number of years he has been the commissioner of the Illinois Coal Operators' association, and in that capacity had been instrumental in arbitrating many labor disputes between the miners and the operators. He had written a number of articles on labor problems, and was widely known as an authority on the subject.

FIFTY MINERS ARE ENTOMBED.

Disaster in a Colliery at Lick Branch, Virginia.

Ennis, W. Va., Dec. 31.—The fatalities in the Lick branch mine as a result of the explosion will probably reach 50 dead, according to estimates of the officials.

According to a mine foreman there were 30 men in the mine yesterday, with little chance of their recovery alive.

The cause of the explosion is unknown. State Mine Inspectors Phillips, Warner, Henry and Grady, who were not far away when the accident occurred, immediately came here and all night directed the work of rescue.

There is no excitement at the mine. Practically all the women and children of the victims are bearing their grief in silence at their homes on the mountain side.

All the bodies were finally recovered yesterday.

SHOOTS FORMER SWEETHEART.

Ray Reese of Kansas City, Kan., Then Kills Himself.

Kansas City, Kan.—An hour after he had wished his former sweetheart, now a bride of less than a week, a "long life and a happy one," Ray Reese returned to her home in Kansas City, Kan., late Wednesday and shot her through the breast, after which he stepped into an adjoining room and committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. The woman, Mrs. Clyde Setzer, 19 years old, is not expected to live.

Several months ago Reese was engaged to the young woman, then Miss Edna Mecum, but they quarreled and parted, and on Christmas eve, December 24, she married Setzer, and was living with him in Kansas City, Kan.

Big Fire in Skowhegan, Me.

Skowhegan, Me.—Fire destroyed two and damaged three business blocks, and burned five tenement houses on Water street in the heart of the town, early Friday. Two of the houses were dynamited to check the progress of the flames, and it was only after eight hours' work that the local department, assisted by apparatus from Waterville and Fairfield, succeeded in bringing the fire under control. The loss is estimated at about $400,000.

BIG STICK SMASHES; ROOSEVELT DEFENDS THE SECRET SERVICE

Message to House President Declares His Statements in Previous Words to Congress Were Grossly Misunderstood.

Washington. — President Roosevelt's big stick crashed down upon the heads of Representatives Tawney of Minnesota, Smith of Iowa, Sherley of Kentucky, and Fitzgerald of New York, when the executive sent a special message to the house of representatives, berating those solons for being champions of the successful move to place limitations upon the scope of the secret service.

The president also declared that the interpretation of the house of the secret service clause in his last message was misunderstood, and had there been any evidence which would point to the necessity of an investigation of members, such evidence would long ago have been turned over to the proper authorities.

The message was in answer to the resolution transmitted from the house in which the representatives asked for evidence upon which Mr. Roosevelt based his statements that the "chief argument in favor of the provision was that the congressmen did not themselves wish to be investigated by secret service men."

Message of the President and Reasons Therefor.

The message in part:

"To the House of Representatives: I have received the resolution of the house of representatives of December 17, 1908, reading as follows:

"'Whereas, there was contained in the sundry civil appropriation bill which passed congress at its last session and became a law, a provision in reference to the employment of the secret service in the treasury department; and

"'Whereas, in the last annual message of the president of the United States to the two houses of congress it was stated in reference to that provision: "It is not too much to say that this amendment has been of benefit only, and could be of benefit only, to the criminal classes," and it was further stated: "The chief argument in favor of the provision was that the congressmen did not themselves wish to be investigated by secret service men," and it was further stated: "But if this is not considered desirable a special exception could be made in the law, prohibiting the use of the secret service force in investigating members of congress. It would be far better to do this than to have what actually was done, and strive to prevent or at least to hamper effective action against criminals by the executive branch of the government;" and

"'Whereas, the plain meaning of his words is that the majority of the congressmen were in fear of being investigated by secret service men and that congress as a whole was actuated by that motive in enacting the provision in question.

Now, therefore,

"'Be it Resolved, That the president be requested to transmit to the house any evidence upon which he based his statements that the "chief argument in favor of the provision was that the congressmen did not themselves wish to be investigated by secret service men,' and also to transmit to the house any evidence connecting any member of the house of representatives of the Sixtieth congress with corrupt action in his official capacity, and to inform the house whether he has instituted proceedings for the punishment of any such individual by the courts or has reported any such alleged delinquencies to the house of representatives.'

Cannot Understand Trend of the House Resolution.

"I am wholly at a loss to understand the concluding portion of the resolution. I have made no charges of corruption against congress nor against any member of the present house. If I had proof of such corruption affecting any member of the house in any matter as to which the federal government has jurisdiction, action would at once be brought, as was done in the cases of Senators Mitchell and Burton, and Representatives Williamson, Herrmann and Driggs, at different times since I have been president. This would simply be doing my duty in the execution and enforcement of the laws without respect to persons. But I do not regard it as within the province or the duties of the president to report to the house 'alleged delinquencies' of members, or the supposed 'corrupt action' of a member 'in his official capacity.' The membership of the house is by the constitution placed within the power of the house alone. In the prosecution of crime and the enforcement of the laws the president must resort to the courts of the United States.

"In the third and fourth clauses of the preamble it is stated that the meaning of the words is that 'the majority of the congressmen are in fear of being investigated by secret service men' and that 'congress as a whole was actuated by that motive in enacting the provision in question,' and that this is an impeachment of the honor and integrity of the congress. These statements are not made in accordance with the facts.

Declares He Said Nothing to Warrant the Statement.

"A careful reading of this message will show that I said nothing to warrant the statement that 'the majority of the congressmen were in fear of being investigated by the secret service men,' or 'that congress as a whole was actuated by that motive.' I did not make any such statement in this message. Moreover I have never made any such statement about congress as a whole, nor, with a few honorable exceptions, about the members of congress, in any message or article or speech. On the contrary I have always not only deprecated but vigorously resented the practice of indiscriminate attack upon congress, and indiscriminate condemnation of all congressmen, wise and unwise, fit and unfit, good and bad alike. No one realizes more than I the importance of co-operation between the executive and congress, and no one holds in higher respect the authority and dignity of the congress of the United States in higher respect than I do. I have not the slightest sympathy with the practice of judging men, for good or for ill, not on their several merits, but in a mass, as members of one particular body or one caste. To put together all men holding or who have held a particular office, whether it be the office of president, or judge, or senator, or member of the house of representatives, and to class them all, without regard to their individual differences, as good or bad, seems to me utterly indefensible; and it is equally indefensible whether the good are fonfounded with the bad in a heated and unwarranted championship of all, or in a heated and unwarranted assault upon all.

Charge in Resolution Due to Density of the Solons.

"This allegation in the resolution, therefore, must certainly be due to an entire failure to understand my message.

"The resolution continues: 'That the president be requested to transmit to the house any evidence upon which he based his statements that the "chief argument in favor of the provision was that the congressmen did not themselves wish to be investigated by secret-service men." This statement, which was an attack upon no one, still less upon the congress, is sustained by the facts.

"If you will turn to the Congressional Record for May 1 last, pages 5553 to 5560, inclusive, you will find the debate on this subject. Mr. Tawney of Minnesota, Mr. Smith of Iowa, Mr. Sherley of Kentucky, and Mr. Fitzgerald of New York, appear in this debate as the special champions of the provision referred to. Messrs. Parsons, Bennet and Driscoll were the leaders of those who opposed the adoption of the amendment and upheld the right of the government to use the most efficient means possible in order to detect criminals and to prevent and punish crime. The amendment was carried in the committee of the whole, where no votes of the individual members are recorded, so I am unable to discriminate by mentioning the members who voted for and the members who voted against the provision, but its passage, the journal records, was greeted with applause. I am well aware, however, that in any case of this kind many members who have no particular knowledge of the point at issue, are content simply to follow the lead of the committee which had considered the matter, and I have no doubt that many members of the house simply followed the lead of Messrs. Tawney and Smith, without having had the opportunity to know very much as to the rights and wrongs of the question.

Regarding Restrictions of the Secret Service.

"There was both by implication and direct statement the assertion that it was the law, and ought to be the law, that the secret service should only be used to suppress counterfeiting; and that the law should be made more rigid than ever in this respect.

"Incidentally I may say that in my judgment there is ample legal authority for the statement that this appropriation law to which reference was made imposes no restrictions whatever upon the use of the secret service men, but relates solely to the expenditure of the money appropriated. Mr. Tawney in the debate stated that he had in his possession 'a letter from the secretary of the treasury received a few days ago' in which the secretary of the treasury 'himself admits that the provisions under which the appropriation has been made have been violated year after year for a number of years in his own department.' I append herewith as appendix A, the letter referred to. It makes no such admission as that which Mr. Tawney alleges. It contains on the contrary, as you will see by reading it, an 'emphatic protest against any such abridgment of the rights delegated to the secretary of the treasury by existing law,' and concludes by asserting that he 'is quite within his rights in thus employing the service of these agents' and that the proposed modification which Mr. Tawney succeeded in carrying through would be 'distinctly to the advantage of violators of criminal statutes of the United States.' I call attention to the fact that in this letter of Secretary Cortelyou to Mr. Tawney, as in my letter to the speaker quoted below, the explicit statement is made that the proposed change will be for the benefit of the criminals, a statement which I simply reiterated in public form in my message to the congress this year, and which is also contained in effect in the report of the secretary of the treasury to the congress.

"A careful reading of the Congressional Record will also show that practically the only arguments advanced in favor of the limitation proposed by Mr. Tawney's committee, beyond what may be supposed to be contained by implication in certain sentences as to 'abuses' which were not specified, were those contained in the repeated statements of Mr. Sherley.

Shurley's Declarations on "Pronounced Abuses."

"Mr. Sherley stated that there had been 'pronounced abuses growing out of the use of the secret service for purposes other than those intended,' putting his statement in the form of a question, and in the same form further stated that the 'private conduct' of 'members of congress, senators,' and others ought not to be investigated by the secret service, and that they should not investigate a 'member of congress' who had been accused of 'conduct unbecoming a gentleman and a member of congress.' In addition to these assertions couched as questions, he made one positive declaration, that 'This secret service at one time was used for the purpose of looking into the personal conduct of a member of congress.' This argument of Mr. Sherley, the only real argument as to the merits of the question made on behalf of the committee on appropriations, will be found in columns 1 and 2 of page 5556, and column 1 of page 5557 of the Congressional Record. In column 1 of page 5556 Mr. Sherley refers to the impropriety of permitting the secret service men to investigate men in the departments, officers of the army and navy and members of congress; in column 1, page 5557, he refers only to members of congress. His speech puts most weight on the investigation of members of congress.

"What appears in the record is filled out and explained by an article which appeared in the Chicago Inter-Ocean of January 3, 1904, under a Washington headline, and which marked the beginning of this agitation against the secret service. It was a special article of about 3,000 words, written, as I was then informed and now understand, by Mr. L. W. Busbey, at that time private secretary to the speaker of the house. It contained an utterly unwarranted attack on the secret service division of the treasury department and its chief.

"At the time of this publication the work of the secret service, which was thus assailed, included especially the investigation of great land frauds in the west, and the securing of evidence to help the department of justice in the beef-trust investigations at Chicago, which resulted in successful prosecutions.

Efforts to Kill Move Found to Be Unavailing.

"These methods proved unavailing to prevent the wrong. Messrs. Tawney and Smith, and their fellow members on the appropriations committee paid no heed to the protests; and as the obnoxious provision was incorporated in the sundry civil bill, it was impossible for me to consider or discuss it on its merits, as I should have done had it been in a separate bill. Therefore I have now taken the only method available, that of discussing it in my message to congress; and as all efforts to secure what I regard as proper treatment of the subject without recourse to plain speaking had failed, I have spoken plainly and directly, and have set forth the facts in explicit terms.

"Since 1901 the investigations covered by the secret service division—under the practice which had been for many years recognized as proper and legitimate, and which had received the sanction of the highest law officers of the government—have covered a wide range of offenses against the federal law. By far the most important of these related to the public domain, as to which there was uncovered a far-reaching and widespread system of fraudulent transactions involving both the illegal acquisition and the illegal fencing of government land; and, in connection with both these offenses, the crimes of perjury and subornation of perjury. Some of the persons involved in these violations were of great wealth and of wide political and social influence. Both their corporate associations and their political affiliations, and the lawless character of some of their employes, made the investigations not only difficult but dangerous. In Colorado one of the secret service men was assassinated.

Instances in Which Secret Service Starred.

"In connection with the Nebraska prosecution the government has by decree secured the return to the government of over a million acres of grazing land; in Colorado of more than 2,000 acres of mineral land, and suits are now pending involving 150,000 acres more.

"All these investigations in the land cases were undertaken in consequence of Mr. Hitchcock, the then secretary of the interior, becoming convinced that there were extensive frauds committed in his department; and the ramifications of the frauds were so far-reaching that he was afraid to trust his own officials to deal in thoroughgoing fashion with them. One of the secret service men accordingly resigned and was appointed in the interior department to carry on this work. The first thing he discovered was that the special agents' division or corps of detectives of the land office of the interior department was largely under the control of the land thieves; and in consequence the investigations above referred to had to be made by secret service men.

"If the present law, for which Messrs. Tawney, Smith, and the other gentlemen I have above mentioned are responsible, had then been in effect, this action would have been impossible, and most of the criminals would unquestionably have escaped. No more striking instance can be imagined of the desirability of having a central corps of skilled investigating agents who can at any time be assigned, if necessary in large numbers, to investigate some violation of the federal statutes, in no matter what branch of the public service. In this particular case most of the men investigated who were public servants were in the executive branch of the government. But in Oregon, where an enormous acreage of fraudulently alienated public land was recovered for the government, a United States senator, Mr. Mitchell, and a member of the lower house, Mr. Williamson, were convicted on evidence obtained by men transferred from the secret service, and another member of congress was indicted."

Chief Asks for Reversal of Action of Solons.

The president then gave a number of other instances, all of which tend to point out the efficiency of the secret service, and he concludes:

"In conclusion, I most earnestly ask, in the name of good government and decent administration, in the name of honesty and for the purpose of bringing to justice violators of the federal laws wherever they may be found, whether in public or private life, that the action taken by the house last year be reversed. When this action was taken, the senate committee, under the lead of the late Senator Allison, having before it a strongly-worded protest from Secretary Cortelyou like that he had sent to Mr. Tawney, accepted the secretary's views; and the senate passed the bill in the shape presented by Senator Allison. In the conference, however, the house conferees insisted on the retention of the provision they had inserted, and the senate yielded.

"The chief of the secret service is paid a salary utterly inadequate to the importance of his functions and to the admirable way in which he has performed them. I earnestly urge that it may be increased to $6,000 per annum. I also urge that the secret service be placed where it properly belongs, and made a bureau in the department of justice, as the chief of the secret service has repeatedly requested; but whether this is done or not, it should be explicitly provided that the secret service can be used to detect and punish crime wherever it is found.

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

FLEET IS AT SUEZ

BATTLESHIP ARMANDA WILL ENTER THE GREAT CANAL.

TWO DAYS TO GO THROUGH

American Hospital Ships With Surgeons Aboard Rush to Devastated Italian Cities.

Suez, Jan. 4.—The United States battleship fleet, completing two days ahead of its schedule the next to the longest run of its world girdling cruse, arrived here yesterday morning from Colombo, a distance of 3,440 knots, from which place the fleet sailed on Dec. 20. The loss of a seaman from the battleship Illinois, who fell overboard and was drowned, as previously reported, was the only accident to mar the voyage from Colombo. The Illinois remained on the scene to search for the sailor and is a little behind the fleet. The news of the disaster in southern Italy was received with profound sorrow by officers and men. In reply to a message from the navy department, Rear Admiral Sperry said that he had substantial supplies available for distribution to the Italian earthquake sufferers at once. The Culgoa will distribute these provisions. There are six surgeons and a number of hospital men on board the Culgoa and Yankton, and they are taking with them supplies of cots, blankets, etc. These ships are due to arrive at Messina on Jan. 8 and 9.

OIL COMPANY PAYS FINE.

Waters-Pierce Concern Will Thus Avoid Ouster.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 4.—The Waters-Pierce Oil company evidently intends to pay the $50,000 fine imposed by the Missouri supreme court in the ouster decision. It failed to file a motion for a rehearing. The Waters-Pierce company has until Jan. 15 to show the supreme court that it has severed all connections with the Standard Oil company of Indiana, and it has until March 1 to pay the fine. Attorneys for the Standard Oil company of Indiana and the Republic Oil company have already filed motions for a rehearing. The two companies were ousted from the state and fined $50,000 each.

JAP CORPSES WERE ROBBED.

Chinese Inhabitants Also Murder Wreck Survivors.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 4.—News was brought by the steamer Monteagle, which arrived from the Orient, that some survivors of the lost Japanese steamer Ginsi Maru and the Japanese steamer Nagato Maru, which were wrecked near Chefoo, were murdered by the Chinese inhabitants of the coast village. The death list of the two disasters totaled 750, and as fast as the bodies were washed ashore they were not only stripped of their clothing and robbed of money and valuables, but even teeth were pulled out to get gold filling, and fingers were cut off for the sake of the rings.

Kills Sister's Traducer.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 4.—With the accusation that he was responsible for his sister's downfall ,and that he had abducted her from the Door of Hope, where she was sent to escape his wiles, William Mitchell, an iron-worker, shot and instantly killed Cecil Thayer, a messenger, 19 years old. Mitchell surrendered, and says that any other man would do the same thing.

Wright Beats All Records.

Lemans, France, Jan. 4.—Wilbur Wright, the aeronaut, beat all previous aeroplane records here with a magnificent flight that lasted for two hours and nine minutes. He covered officially a distance of seventy-three miles, but as a matter of fact, counting the various curves, he made over ninety miles. Mr. Wright's feat was the more admirable because of the intense cold.

Campbell for Ohio Senator.

Columbus, O., Jan. 4.—At the democratic house caucus a determination was reached to stand by former Governor Campbell for United States senator. In the event that no joint caucus of the democrats is held no name other than that of Campbell will be presented.

Negro Burned His Wife.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Accused of killing his wife by striking her over the head and then burning her body in the furnace of an apartment building, Elijah Raffty, a negro, was arrested here tonight after several days' search by the police.

Yellow Fever in Cuba.

Havana, Jan. 4.—Yellow fever has broken out in Santiago provinces. Three cases of the dreaded plague were reported. The victims are Spaniards. It is not believed, however, that an epidemic will result.

HURT IN A WRECK.

Kidneys Badly Injured and Health Seriously Impaired.

William White, R. R. man, 201 Constantine Street, Three Rivers, Mich., says: "In a railroad collision my kidneys must have been hurt, as I passed bloody urine with pain for a long time after, was weak and thin and so I could not work. Two years after I went to the —— hospital and remained almost six months, but my case seemed hopeless. The urine passed involuntarily. Two months ago I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and the improvement has been wonderful. Four boxes have done me more good than all the doctoring of seven years. I gained so much that my friends wonder at it."

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WHY WELLS WAS WRATHY.

All Things Considered, He Had Some Excuse for Anger.

Charles E. Wells, who has been called the groundhog senator of West Virginia, because he once introduced a bill advocating the changing of groundhog day from February 2 to July 4, was staying over night at the Grand hotel of a budding West Virginia village not long ago.

He was awakened in the morning by heavy pounding on his door, and the voice of the old man night clerk saying "Five o'clock! Better get up or you'll miss your train."

Mr. Wells didn't intend to catch a morning train and hadn't given any instructions that he should be called at the unearthly hour of five o'clock, so he paid no attention to the old man's early morning greeting and was asleep again almost immediately.

In about 15 minutes he was again awakened by the pounding on his door and heard the voice of the old man saying apologetically: "Don't get up. I rapped on the wrong door."—Lippincott's.

IN SELF DEFENSE.

"Why, professor! Why are you wearing ear muffs on the street on a hot day like this?"

"O, I forgot to take them off! Our baby makes such a noise all the time at home!"

Waiting for His Little Airship.

The birds were flying south. Presently they espied a lone robin perched on a lofty limb.

"Come on," they cried, "and join the bunch."

But the robin perked his head on one side and shook it vigorously.

"What are you waiting for?" they cried.

"I'm waiting," replied the robin, "for one of these daffy little airship chappies to blow along and then mebby I can sneak a ride."

A Long Sleeper.

Miss Louisiana Pletta of Lowell, Mass., when once she falls asleep, remains in an unconscious state for periods varying from one to three weeks. She suffers no ill effects from her lengthy somnolence, and when she awakes she is under the impression that she has slept for only a single night.

THEN AND NOW

Complete Recovery from Coffee Ills.

"About nine years ago my daughter, from coffee drinking, was on the verge of nervous prostration," writes a Louisville lady. "She was confined for the most part to her home.

"When she attempted a trip down town she was often brought home in a cab and would be prostrated for days afterwards.

"On the advice of her physician she gave up coffee and tea, drank Postum, and ate Grape-Nuts for breakfast.

"She liked Postum from the very beginning and we soon saw improvement. To-day she is in perfect health, the mother of five children, all of whom are fond of Postum.

"She has recovered, is a member of three charity organizations and a club, holding an office in each. We give Postum and Grape-Nuts the credit for her recovery."

"There's a Reason."

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

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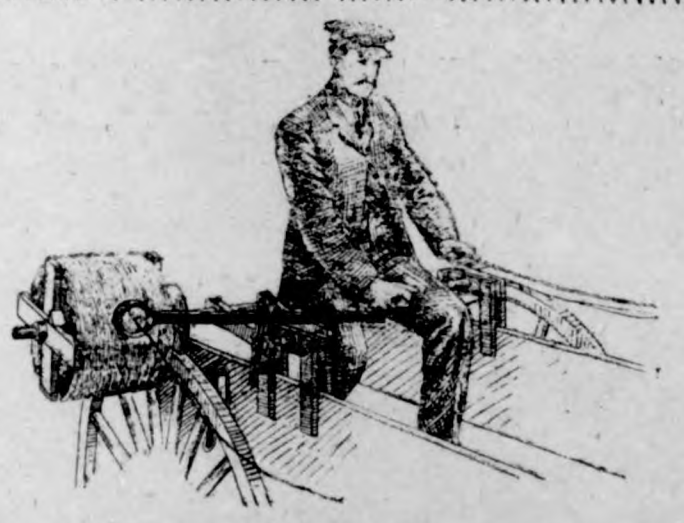

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Permitted to Whistle in Church.

Harry P. Bosson of Reading, as his friends in Worcester say, whistled in church while attending divine worship in that city recently. When asked about it Mr. Bosson said he was not asleep and explained his action by telling the following story: "The minister said just before the contribution that any one who put 50 cents or more into the contribution box was entitled and expected to whistle. As the collectors were on their way the whistling came from all parts of the room was not far from universal. When it came to me it was up to me to dig down and content myself with a whistle."

This is the latest way of raising money for churches.—Boston Herald.

Has Deserved High Position.

Dr. Elizabeth Athman of Gottheimer is the first woman to be elected teacher in a night school in the German empire. She entered upon her duties at the beginning of the present school season in Frankfort. Fraulein Athman is well known in Germany on account of her original investigations upon sociological subjects. She has written and lectured extensively upon the condition of the workingmen, especially those employed in the factories and shops of Germany. As she has lived among the women about whom she lectures and writes and knows thoroughly their condition, she is looked upon as the leading authority on the subject and especially well fitted to act as their teacher in night school.

Extravagance in Styles.

If directoire gowns really become fashionable, it is hoped that other extravagances of the same period will not also be revived. The beautiful Mme. Tallien, who led the fashions at the time of the French directory, is said to have appeared with rings on her toes. Her silk stockings were made with divisions like the fingers of gloves, and she wore sandals studded with jewels. Mme. Tallien was, however, sensible enough to discard the fashionable flaxen wig and to wear her own black hair unpowdered. Natural coiffures did not long remain simple, though. Under the empire they became so elaborate that the ladies of the court had to have their hair dressed the night before Napoleon's coronation, and were then propped upright in their chairs in order to sleep without damaging their headdresses.

An Old Friend.

The dark markings so conspicuous on the moon and known as the "Man in the Moon" are great plains, lying at a much lower level than the brighter parts. In all probability they are old sea bottoms, some of them having undergone upheavals and other changes since the water retreated from them, others presenting the appearance of being unchanged since the time when the waters dried up or were in some other way removed from them.

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The Child's Viewpoi

Percy Alder, M. P., of Lo an amusing story of a sma a recent meeting of the Happy Evenings associati child had been sent away to try for a holiday, and ques to what in all her holiday ha her most, this little slum whose London home adjoine piece of land, replied: "S dead cats."

Birds Not Afraid of M

Among southern Africa which manifest wonderful ta the Cape wagtail, which penetrates to the living room of flies, but will pick them old Boer's veischoons as he his stoep, and perch about h

Chamberlain's Colic, Chole Diarrhoea R Never fails. Buy it now. It may s

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LOCAL NEWS

On first page—the State Savings Bank.

Oysters direct from Baltimore at Kluckhohn's.

Read the large Bostonia ad opposite local page.

Fresh oysters always on hand at Kluckhohn's. tf.

Lloyd Spooner of Iowa Falls, is here visiting relatives.

FOR SALE—Four Shepherd pups. Enquire at this office.

School convened Monday and the youngsters are hard at work again.

Charlie and Tillie Kraus left Tuesday for Colesburg for a visit with relatives.

Wednesday morning the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gibbs was gladdened with a little son.

H. Schroeder shipped stock to Chicago Sunday morning. He returned Wednesday afternoon

Chas. Gruetzmacher of Charles City, visited New Year's day here with his mother, brothers and families.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Arthur Wellemeyer left for Dubuque, Iowa on Wednesday evening. His mother is expected to have an operation performed in one of the hospitals there.

Tuesday and Wednesday were two of the coldest days that we have had so far this winter. Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock the thermometer registered 22 degrees below zero.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets. Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

The New Year's ball given by C. W. Wiles in the Klemme Opera House was largely attended. People were represented from all of our neighboring towns. Good order was maintained and everyone enjoyed themselves. The Garner orchestra rendered splendid music. As a whole it was a success.

Read the First National Bank ad.

Read the ad of State Savings Bank.

Harry Smith was at Garner Wednesday.

Mrs. C. W. Wiles was at Garner Monday.

About an inch of snow fell on Wednesday night.

Mrs. H. Schroeder is on the sick list this week.

M. E. Peck of Garner drilled a well for the Haes brothers.

Geo. Ell of Belmond. visited here Monday with his relatives.

John Ell of Bennet, Neb., arrived Monday for an extended visit with his many relatives.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

Read the market report. Bring your produce to Klemme and receive the highest market price.

Joe Johnson sold to Henry Schroeder 21 head of fat steers. Some of them weighed 1450

W. F. Stille sold a nice bunch of hogs to W. R Bloom which brought him the the nice sum of $421.

This office would be pleased to receive quite a few renewals on the Times the first of the year. We need the money.

Mrs. H. Freie left last week Saturday for Ft. Dodge where she is visiting with her daughter Mrs. L. A. Jenson.

LAST CALL—All those owing us book account and notes must pay at once and save costs.
H. Lau & Son.

J. D. Bachman of Goodell. transacted business at both Garner and Klemme on Monday. He also made the Times office a pleasant call.

Aug. Lau will ship one load of cattle Sunday morning and H. C. Lau one load of hogs. Aug. will go along with the stock and visit his son Ben.

Two of the largest sales so far this season are booked for Jan. 13 and 14. The Arnold sale on the 13th and the Wellemeyer sale on the 14th.

Aug. Lau bought 62 head of cattle last Saturday and sold of these 47 head to a stock buyer east of Cedar Rapids. He also bought 10 head of good steers on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Holmes and daughter of Tyndall, S. Dak. who have been visiting with Lew Lewis and family and acquaintances at Clear Lake, returned Monday.

To the Ladies of Klemme and vicinity,—Buy a sack of Scarlet King Flour; use half of it, if not pleased, we cheerfully refund your money. "Nuf sed."
J. W. Waterman

Corwith has raised another $400 for the detection and return of John Standring. This makes $1350 that will be paid for John. If they double it perhaps he will come back himself and get the reward.—Britt Tribune.

On Nov. 24, 1908 G. W. Kluckhohn had a fracture of his left arm. He carried a policy in the B. A. Y. which included an accident indemnity for which they paid him in full on Dec. 31, 1908 for the amount specified in the policy. He also carried a policy in the Bankers Accident of which he speaks very highly. He can cheerfully recommend both these companies as being fair and reliable.

Change of ad. for State Savings.

The Rock Island System has a change of ad.

Aug. Lau did business at Garner on Tuesday.

For sweet biscuit, bread or cake use Scarlet King Flour, no other take.

Horace Merrell came from Garner Monday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

H. C. Lau shipped two car loads of hogs to Chicago Sunday morning. Aug. Lau. Jr. went along.

Emil Haes and Jim Lunn will soon leave for Minneapolis, Minnesota for a visit with their—well, friends.

German M. E. Church Items

Our balmy weather took a sudden change on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H Griewe called on Elsie Bredlow last Sunday afternoon.

Minnie Lau spent New Year's with friends in Belmond returning Monday.

Revival meetings have been in progress in the Germantown church since New Year.

Emil Sampson and Hugo Neef went to Mason City Monday to complete their business course.

Edward Weisbrod of Fenton, Iowa was a caller at the Schlei home a few days returning Monday.

Elsie Bredlow has been very poorl the last week, having frequent spells of her old trouble.

Ella Griewe, Camilla Neef and Lurena Wessel returned to Charles City on Monday to resume their studies.

W. F. Lau and family returned to their home in Wilmont, Minn. the first of the week after several weeks spent among their kin folks.

Two large auction sales will take place next week, that of the Fred Arnold estate on Wednesday Jan. 13 and Carl Wellemeyer on Thursday Jan. 14.

The Klemme "Standard Bearers" will meet Friday evening with Martha and Nellie Lau. They have an interesting study and every member should try and be present.

The Germantown Womans Missionary society was announced for Tuesday to meet with Mrs. Arnkiel and the Klemme society for Thursday to meet with Mrs. H. Griewe.

Henry Ludeke left for Iowa City last Saturday, to take treatment and possible an operation. Henry has been ailing for several years and was often seized with acute attacks. We trust he may find permanent relief. His sister Sarah went with him.

At the annual election of the Germantown Sunday school the following officers were elected:
Superintendant, Wm. Bredlow.
Vice Supt., E. G. Beier.
Asst. Sec., Franklin Bredlow.
Treasurer, Wm Krans.
Librarian, Will Riemer.
Asst. Librarian, Edw. Schlei.
Asstant Librarian, Franklin Bredlow.
Organist, Lydia Beier.
Sec. of Home Department, G. L. Schaper.
Sec. of Cradle Roll, Mrs Wm. Kraus.
Sec. of Temperance, Erick Josten.

We are glad to note that Etna Suckow is much better and able to be up part of the time.

Remember the entertainment at the Opera House, Jan. 9th. Read display ad. opposite local page.

W. J. Schmidt accompanied a sick friend to Dubuque on Tuesday, but we did not learn the name.

Elmer Schaefer and baby Mable were on the sick list last week, but are better at this writing.

A number of our Klemme young folks attended the services in Germantown last Sunday evening.

The Epworth League will give a program in Klemme Sunday evening in place of the preaching services.

Arthur Bastian of Charles City spent a few days in Klemme last week so we were informed. One of our schoolmams could give the particulars.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Schuldt gave a big New Year's dinner last Friday to which they had invited ten families of friends and relatives. If we counted correctly there were 43 present. It is needless to say that all had a good time and enjoyed the occasion. To make the day still more memorable, two grand children and a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Schuldt were christened in the midst of this happy family circle. The little boy of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Schuldt was named Elden Benjamin. The little girl of Mr and Mrs. Busch was called Beatrice Ruth and the little girl of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stille was christened Elvira Irene.

The Klemme Sunday school held their election Saturday evening. Every officer and teacher was present and gave a report save one. The following persons were elected.
Superintendant, Aug. Wenz.
Asst. Superintendant, Thos. Blank.
Secretary, Minnie Lenz
Treasurer, F. C Griewe.
Librarians, Ralph Ludeke
Librarians; Willie Ridder.
Organist, Esther Gruetzmacher.
Sec. of Home Department. Mrs. G. H. Wessel.
Sec. of Cradle Roll, Emelia Lenz.
Sec. of Temperance, Chas. Albrecht.

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RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

F. H. Ridder	Klemme
G. H. Carlson	"
W. F. Stille	"
E. H. Lenz	"
Aug. Ridder	"
F. C. Griewe	"
Herman Thrun	Goodell
Wm. F. Lau, Wilmont, Minn.	
Rev. G. Haefner, Tomah, Wis.	

DON'T GET A DIVORCE.

A western judge granted a divorce on account of ill-temper and bad breath. Dr King's New life pills would have prevented it. They cure consumption, causing bad breath and liver trouble the ill-temper, dispel colds, banish headaches, conquer the chills, 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

RENEW ON
THE TIMES

We wish to call our subscribers attention to the fact that we expect frequent renewals on this paper this fall, quite a few have responded for which we say thanks. We expect to present statements to those who are more than One Year in arrears. Please Remember!

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. Elise shared her stateroom with a Mrs. Graham, also bound for Canada. The young women on a sightseeing tour met Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented by the trio for the summer. Elizabeth learned that a friend of her father's was to call. Two men called, one of them being the queer-acting stranger on the steamer. The girls were "not at home," but discovered by the cards left that one of the men was Elizabeth's father's friend. The men proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett. The party was told of the search for smugglers in the vicinity of the cottage. Elise visited Mrs. Graham to find that her life was not the happiest. She learned that the Grahams and Lady Edith were acquainted. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. During a storm the young women heard a crash in the basement of the cottage and a moment later Mary Anne, their woman servant, entered, her arm bleeding. To assure them there was no danger, Mary Anne descended to the basement alone and quieted their fears. Lady Edith told the girls of a robbery of jewels at the hotel. Fearing for the safety of her own gems, she left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his queer actions, returned the lost bag and told of mysterious doings of a year before connected with the cottage. Exploring the cellar, one of the girls found a sphinx cuff-button, the exact counterpart of which both Gordon Bennett and Lady Edith were found to possess, also. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man.

CHAPTER VIII—Continued.

There was silence for a minute, and then the man spoke again.

"I tell you there's no use talking any more. I've begun the thing, and I'm going through with it."

"But the danger, Willy, the danger!"

"I'm used to danger."

"Aye, worse luck, that you are! And me like to breake me 'eart wi' thinkin' of you o' nights."

"Then don't think."

"Ah, 'ow can I 'elp it? Me that carried you in me arms when you was a little babby!"

"Well, now, will you do what I ask, or won't you?"

"Don't ask it of me, Willy—don't now."

"I do ask it."

I forgot all honorable scruples against eavesdropping, and listened with all my ears. I can only add in self-defense that I believe any one else in my place would have done the same.

He muttered something I could not hear, however, and Mary Anne gave a stifled sob.

"Oh, you didn't use to be so 'ard!" she exclaimed. "It's she 'as changed you. It's 'er fault—with 'er soft 'ands and 'er 'ard, crool 'eart."

"Don't you say anything against Nell. I won't have it."

"Oh, it's allus Nell nowadays. And what does she care what 'appens to you, so long as she's safe 'erself? If only you'd took to the fishing trade, Willy, and lived respectable 'ow 'appy we might 'ave been, and Sarah Cushley ready to marry you if you'd said the word."

"Sarah Cushley indeed!"

"It's the books—that's what done it. Many's the time I've been sorry I ever let you go to school. Many's the time I've wished I'd listened to yer uncle when 'e wanted to take you on 'is sloop afore the mast. Fur 'e said good 'ard work, with a rope's end now and then, would make a man o' you. But you'd a look o' yer father, and you 'ad 'is fine ways—"

He interrupted her with an unpleasant laugh.

"Fine ways, indeed! That's all he ever gave his son. Don't blame me for anything, mother—look nearer home. I'm not saying it was all your fault. You thought you were married."

"God knows I did, Willy!"

"You brought me into the world, and found you were deceived, like many another fool of a girl—and serves them right, too, for thinking a gentleman would marry them."

"Oh, my boy!"

There was real tragedy in the exclamation, and I found myself wiping away a tear, but the man's voice was as cold as ever.

"So I started life under a handicap—a thoroughbred mongrel, made up of the worst of you and the worst of him. And I turned out a bad lot, didn't I? But whose fault was it?"

"Mine, Willy, mine."

"Yes, yours. Branded from the beginning with the bar sinister—different from other children. Don't I remember it all? Growing up with his aristocratic tastes and your environment; born with the instincts of his class, which make luxuries necessities, and no money to gratify them. And then the cold shoulder everywhere—contemptuous pity from his class, open ridicule from yours."

"I sent you away, Willy. I took the bit of money he gave me and sent you to the states to school, where you could be a gentleman and no questions asked. And I loved you, darlin'; I allus loved you."

"You gave me what you could, I suppose. I'm not blaming you for that. But you turned me loose with a little learning and no money—a dangerous combination, mother. So I went to the bad, preferring a short life and a merry one. Then I met Nell, and was happy, for she loved me. Don't say she didn't—she did, I tell you; she does."

"And so do I, my boy. Who could love you like your mother?"

"Then, mother, do as I tell you, without any more fuss. Come away from this place—it gets on my nerves—and give me something to drink, for I was up all night, and have more work ahead of me."

Their voices died away, and I sat for some time longer meditating upon what I had heard, and, if the truth must be told, afraid to emerge from the cellar while the man was on the premises. At last a sound in the kitchen indicated that Mary Anne had returned alone, so I went boldly up the outside steps and around to the kitchen door.

She sat on a chair near the table, her apron thrown over her head, the picture of despair, and I advanced quietly and laid my hand upon her shoulder, for my heart ached for the poor soul.

"Mary Anne," I said, very gently, "I was in the cellar just now, and heard you talking."

She stared at me with widely distended eyes and trembling lips.

"Miss Elise!" she gasped. "You here?"

"I didn't go with the others, because my head ached. You have not been honest with us, Mary Anne. We didn't know you had a son."

She rested her head in her hands and burst into tears.

"Oh, Miss Elise," she sobbed, "don't look at me that way—I'm unhappy enough without that. Yes, miss, I 'ave a son, and if you 'eard us talkin', you know all about it. He took to drink, miss, and was allus in trouble. And last year 'e got to quarreling—in Montreal it was—and e stabbed a man. And the man up and died. So they're after 'im fur it, and they'll 'ang 'im, miss, they'll 'ang my boy if they ketches 'im."

She rocked to and fro a moment in speechless misery, and then continued:

"And I give 'im money, Miss Elise, but I don't let 'im come up 'ere, except to-day 'e follered me unbeknownst, miss, and I let 'im go in the coal 'ole, God furgive me fur the liberty I took! Mostly 'e comes down the shore in 'is boat, and I meets 'im quite private. But I've give 'im all the money I 'ad, and my brother's give him money, too, and 'e's goin' back to the old country to live a decent life."

"Where were you when I heard you talking?"

"In the coal 'ole at the back o' the cellar. And I beg your parding fur the liberty I took, but don't lay it up agin me, miss, fur what else could a mother do? And, Miss Elise, darlin', you'll keep a quiet tongue in yer 'ead, won't you, and let 'im git away? Fur 'e's shipped as a sailor and sails on Sunday mornin'."

I said I would talk it over with the others, but I thought if she promised never to allow him near the house again we would say nothing, as he was really going to leave the country and reform. She quite cheered up then, and insisted on getting me a lunch, waiting on me with a humility and alacrity I found most touching. This vagrant son explained various little mysteries about Mary Anne which had puzzled me a good deal, and I felt very sorry, indeed, for the poor creature with her secret trouble.

I Forgot All Honorable Scruples Against Eavesdropping.

I had been so excited that I quite forgot my own ills, and longed for the return of the girls, that I might talk the matter over with them. They could not get home before six o'clock, however, so I went out on the veranda to wait for them and enjoy the salt breeze.

To my surprise, I found Lady Edith Campbell reclining in the hammock, reading the morning paper. She laughed as I exclaimed in astonishment, and came to meet me with a kiss of welcome.

"You did not expect me," she said, "and I certainly did not expect to be here, but I woke with such a wretched headache this morning I simply could not go."

"Why, so did I."

"I know—Gabrielle told me. They wanted to put it off again, but Wilfrid had already gone, and I knew he would be disappointed, so I persuaded them to go. About noon my head got better, and my room felt so close and stuffy I longed for your cool breeze and lovely view, so I managed to dress and walk up here, thinking we might compare symptoms. I rang, but no one came, so I appropriated the hammock, as my walk had used me up completely. I hope you don't mind very much."

I hastened to assure her I was delighted, as I had had more than enough of my own society. So we had a long, comfortable afternoon, and by and by Mary Anne brought us tea, with an appealing glance at me which I interpreted as a plea for silence, and I am glad to be able to say I kept her secret inviolate.

"I envy you your complexion," I remarked, as I admired the seashell tints of my guest's face. "Now, I am quite pale and heavy-eyed, but you look as fresh as a daisy, yet you have had just as horrid a day as I."

"It takes a great deal to make the Campbells lose their color," she replied, "or rather, to make it stay lost. I was pale enough this morning, but as soon as the pain left me the red returned. I am shockingly healthy, you know—good, sturdy old Scotch blood."

"But Lord Wilfrid often looks very pale."

"Oh, Wilfrid is an alien—we all tell him so, much to his disgust; and he is far from well, poor fellow, although I think he is improving. Have you noticed that he seems brighter and better of late?"

I made an appropriate reply, and the conversation drifted to other things. As we sat together in the hammock, swaying gently to and fro, I happened to notice that in the lace at her throat she wore the little gold key which had excited my curiosity once before.

I spoke of it, and she at once drew it out and handed it to me, while I told her the story of the cuff button and its unusual design.

"And," I concluded, "your pin surprised me, and so did Mr. Bennett's, but please tell me why you were interested in it."

Her sweet face grew very grave, and she hesitated a moment before replying, then took the pin from me and held it in her hand.

"Elise," she said, slowly, "this little pin was given me by one I loved very dearly, and whom I have lost."

"By death?"

"No, not death; there are worse things—far worse."

I thought of Mary Anne, and wondered if she would not indorse this sentiment.

"I kept the little gold key," she continued, touching it lovingly. "It was the only thing I kept, but I could not give it up. And he—but why should I burden you with my trouble? It is all past and over, and I never refer to it."

"Some day," I hazarded, "you will marry and be happy."

"I am happy now," she returned; "or, rather, I make myself believe it. But I shall not marry, for I have but one heart, and this is its key. I should like to see your button some time when it is convenient, for it was a strange coincidence. As for Mr. Bennett—"

"Well?"

"I was **not** looking at his pin, but at his face. He is so like—so strangely like—the other."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

RETORT WITH A STING IN IT.

Clergyman's Story of Repartee Between Grande Dames.

Rev. C. W. Gordon of Winnipeg startled his brother clergymen at a recent convention by advocating the saving of souls "right off the bat." He said that souls worked upon slowly were apt "to go bad on one's hands."

Afterward Mr. Gordon compared the honest and sincere ways of the frontier with the false and venomous ways of certain circles of society. He illuminated the comparison with a dialogue.

"I overheard this dialogue," he said, "at a reception that I once attended in Washington. The speakers were two grande dames—I believe that is the word—two powerful social leaders, one from Philadelphia, the other from New York.

"'Well,' said the first grande dame, 'I must be off. I've got to go and see my mother.'

"The second put up her lorgnette and drawled:

"'Really—ah—you don't mean to say you've got a mother living?'

"The first grande dame laughed—a high, thin laugh, with something biting, like acid, in it.

"'Oh, yes,' she said; 'my mother is still alive—and she doesn't look a day older than you do, I assure you.'"

He Changed It.

It was a red-hot day in July that the colonel was riding horseback along a highway and found a man dead beside the road. He hurried on to the nearest house and found that the owner was one of the county coroners. The man rallied four or five neighbors and proceeded to view the body, and they were not five minutes in returning a verdict of sunstroke.

"But there was no medical examination of the body," protested the colonel.

"No, but you see work is driving with us and we can't spare the time to fool around," answered the coroner.

"But I don't think he died of sunstroke."

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EARTHQUAKE IN ITALY KILLS 100,000 PERSONS

Messina, Reggio and Many Other Cities Ruined by Shocks, Tidal Waves and Fire--Appalling Disaster Described by Eye-Witnesses--American Consul Dies.

Rome.—One hundred thousand persons are believed to have perished in the awful earthquake that devastated Calabria and the island of Sicily on Monday. The seismic shocks lasted only 23 seconds, but in that brief space of time cities, towns and villages were shattered and the lives of thousands were crushed out. The entire country is stunned by the horror of the catastrophe and the whole world mourns with Italy for her dead.

Messina, whose tragic history has been marked by tidal waves and war, and which was the center of Monday's terrestrial maelstrom, was shaken to ruins. Flames burst forth to complete the city's destruction and to burn alive untold numbers helplessly pinioned beneath fallen walls and broken timbers. The Strait of Messina was shaken and twisted by the earth's trembling, for mariners report the channel altered

Sicily and Calabria Region of Awful Earthquake Disaster.

beyond recognition. The ports and villages on both the continental and Sicilian sides were wrecked or inundated and all lighthouses along the coasts were swallowed up. Navigation now is dangerous and in some places impossible.

Seaport of Reggio Wiped Out.

In the Calabrian district, which was only beginning to recover from the effects of the earthquake of 1905. Reggio was the center of the earth's upheaval. The seaport of Reggio is reported as no longer existing and the city proper is in ruins. The loss of life on both sides of the strait and in eastern Sicily was enormous.

One of the refugees from Reggio who was the first to bring the news of the city's destruction tried to make his way to Sicily in a sailboat, but was compelled to return, and finally found safety at a peninsula port. In describing his experience he said:

"The sea was strangely, mysteriously agitated, and the heavens were ablaze. Nearing Sicily, the clearing smoke revealed the mystery; Messina was in flames. In the frenzy of despair I turned my boat back to Calabria."

Terrible Scenes at Messina.

Starving, bleeding from injuries and almost insane from their terrifying experiences, Messina's survivors are fleeing in all directions. The spectacle presented by the ruined seaport is described as terrifying. Tumbling buildings both killed and mutilated, while hundreds of the injured imprisoned in the wreckage were abandoned to their fate by the fleeing populace. One man said: "The earth seemed to drop and then turn violently on its axis. The whole population, who practically were precipitated from the houses rent asunder, were spun around like tops when they ran through the streets. Many were crushed to death and others, bewildered, took refuge for breath beside the tottering walls, where they soon met the fate of their companions."

Brave Work of Rescuers.

Already British and Russian squadrons have arrived at Messina. Sailors and marines have been disembarked and they have performed courageous acts in rescuing the injured and removing the wounded. A large number of survivors have been transferred to the warships, which are transformed into great floating hospitals. It is imperative that the dead be removed

LATEST NEWS OF QUAKE

Latest estimate of dead, 100,000.
Latest death estimate in Messina, 50,000.
Mount Etna in eruption, adding to terror.
Whole southern Italy and Sicily panic stricken.
Fire in many towns killed hundreds.
Message of sympathy from President Roosevelt.
President Fallieres of France sent message of sympathy.
King and queen of Italy at work in stricken district ministering aid.
United States Red Cross sent aid and will raise fund.
Pope started fund for sufferers.
Catholic headquarters and officials in stricken district wiped out.
Scores of persons, buried under the ruins, are said to be alive, with no hope of rescuing them.
Vandals found looting and robbing the dead are being shot down by troops. Soldiers patrol the stricken towns, and what is practically martial law prevails.

from the ruins in order to avoid a pestilence. Steamers with doctors, druggists, firemen and workmen have arrived at Messina from Catania and other places.

All Nations Offer Aid.

The hands of all the nations have been extended to Italy in her affliction. From rulers have crossed messages of condolence and from the peoples spontaneous promise of that aid which brings the world closer together in times of great calamity. Great Britain, France and Russia have sent their warships quick as the flash of the telegraph could carry the orders to lend assistance to the stricken cities. Relief funds have already been started and a hundred ships and trains are on their way carrying supplies and reinforcements to the south. Rome, Milan, Florence, Naples and other cities are sending physicians, police and firemen.

King and Queen Go to Sicily.

King Victor Emmanuel and the queen, who left for the scene of the calamity, reached Naples last night and proceeded at once to Sicily. A large number of people saw their majesties depart from Rome and one among the number of deputies at the station observed to the king: "The presence of your majesty will suffice to console the stricken population."

The king turned sharply upon the speaker and said abruptly: "Don't talk nonsense."

Described by Naval Officer.

At the time of the earthquake the torpedo boat Sappho was lying in the harbor of Messian and one of the officers told of the occurrences as follows:

"At half-past five in the morning the sea suddenly became terribly agitated, seeming literally to pick up our boat and shake it. Other craft near-by were similarly treated and the ships looked like bits of cork bobbing about in a tempest. Almost immediately a tidal wave of huge proportions swept across the strait, mounting the coasts and carrying everything before it. Scores of ships were damaged and the Hungarian mail boat Andrassy parted her anchors and went crashing into other vessels. Messina bay was wiped out and the sea was soon covered with masses of wreckage, which was carried off in the arms of the receding waters."

Many prisoners from the jails made their escape and looted right and left.

American Consul and Wife Die.

Washington.—That Arthur S. Cheney, American consul at Messina, Sicily, and his wife lost their lives in the earthquake disaster which devastated that city Monday, is indicated by an official dispatch received last night by the state department from Stuart Lupton, American vice-consul at Messina.

The following dispatch came via Malta, Maltese Islands, in the Mediterranean, being received there by wireless from Messina by Consul William H. Gale, and transmitted by him to the state department:

"The Messina consulate destroyed and consul and wife supposed to be dead.—Lupton."

Arthur S. Cheney is a native of Illinois, but was appointed consul to Messina from Connecticut August 15, 1907. Stuart Lupton, who is from Tennessee, was only recently appointed vice and deputy consul at Messina.

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KNEW THE PIG'S WEAK POINT.

Youngster Was Confident of His Ability to "Stump" Him.

It is an interesting fact that the two studies of arithmetic and geography seem to be diametrically opposed to each other in the affections of school children. Pupils who are particularly proficient in one are apt to be backward in the other. A story is told of a little boy who was slow in arithmetic, and whose apparent stupidity in this field was a great source of grief to his father, who had been a mathematician.

One day, when the father and son were walking out, they passed a place where a "learned pig" was on exhibition, and the father took the boy to see this porcine prodigy.

"Just look at that," said the father. "Why, there's a pig that can count and add up numbers! Don't you wish you were as smart as he?"

"Ha!" answered the boy. "Just let me ask him a few questions in geography!"—Ideas.

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Mean Insinuation.

He was a brand new milkman, and, lacking the wisdom of more experienced members of the species, knew not that on certain subjects he should at all times maintain a frigid silence. "It looks like rain this morning, mum," he said pleasantly, gazing skyward, as he poured the milk into his customer's jug. "It always does," was the curt reply. And the milkman was so dissatisfied with the remark that he strode away and savagely kicked a lamp post.

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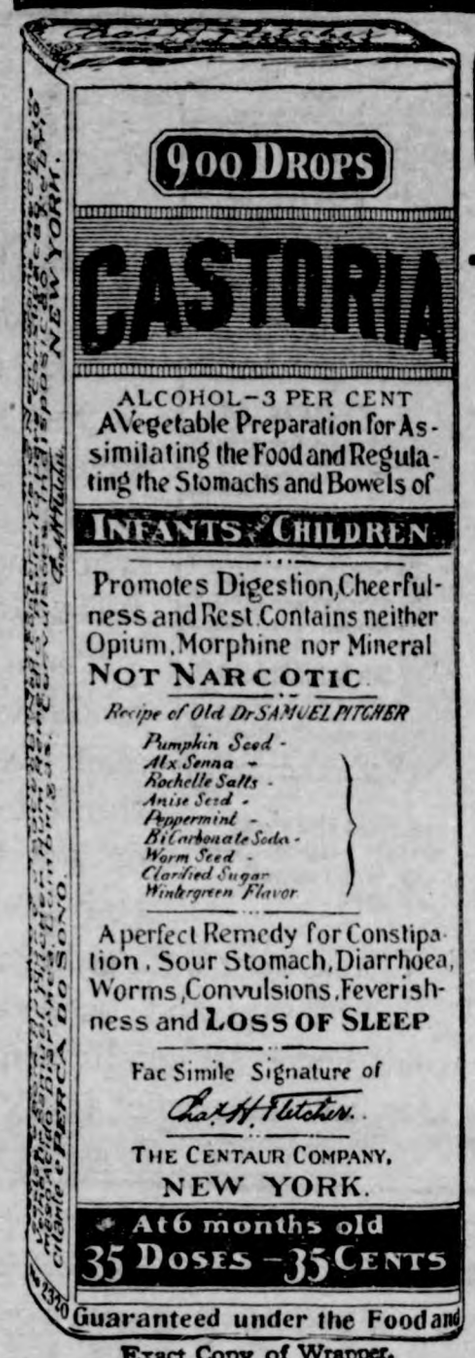

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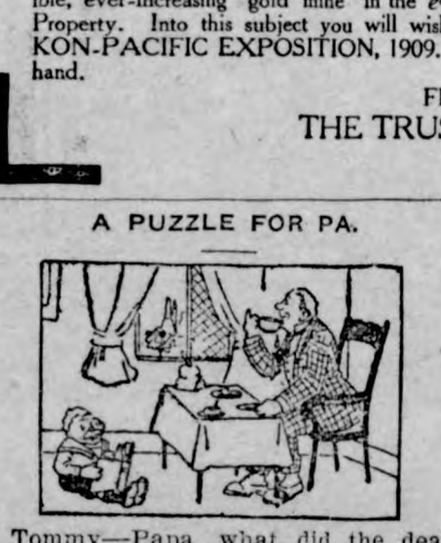

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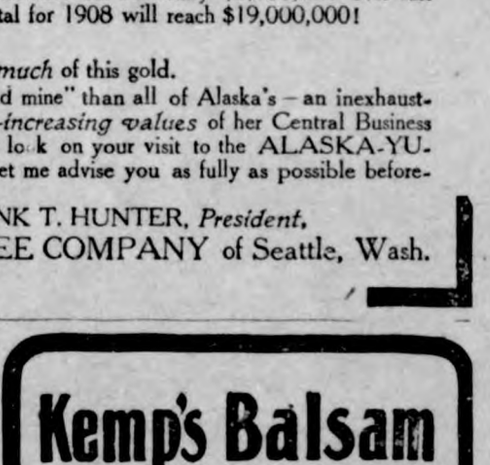

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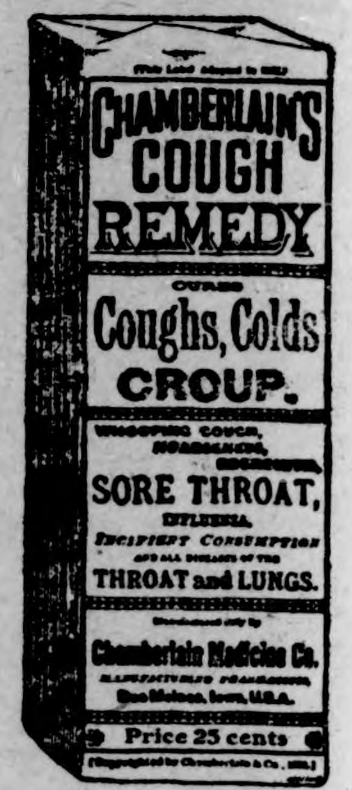

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Mr. Griggs has for the past fifteen years been interested in the raising of deer and is practically the best posted man in the state on this subject. He has an excellent farm northeast of Goodell and southeast of Klemme part of which has been fenced off exclusively for the hardling of deer and now has an excellent herd of about 75 head.

The farm is a very picturesque and unique sight for travelers and many visitors stop to view the surroundings. It is a rare treat to see the deer ramble and is well worth any ones time and trouble to come from a distance to view.

Mr. Griggs ever since boyhood has been interested in wild animals and has acquired a rare knowledge of their traits and habits.

Mr. Griggs is a very pleasing and courteous gentleman to meet and an intereresting talker, he is a great sportsman and enjoys his outings. he is the one that introduced the "Carp Brand" of fish into our northern streams and has benefited the public considerable along this line, he has also through his untiring efforts saved East Twin Lake from corporate greed and has fought the drainage petition to a standstill and saved the beautiful little lake for the public.

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England's turbine fleet already includes 62 warships and 44 vessels of the merchant marine.

When the hens get good and ready they will show what they can do to the alleged corner in eggs.

China presents Mrs. Roosevelt with a tiger skin. Her husband will do the rest, as soon as he gets a year off.

Chicago has at last made a step toward driving its tramps out of town. Free lunch in the saloons has been abolished.

At Sholapur, British India, a factory is successfully making matches with sticks of a peculiarly stiff form of native grass.

Chauncey Depew showed up at the opening of congress with a new story and seems to think that that is all that was required.

In Munich a woman fainted under the weight of her hat. Women shouldn't wear the heavier-than-air style of merry lids.

"Some of the suffragettes," says London Punch, with more or less sarcasm, "were disguised as ladies." Oh, brother! Punch with care!

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., has been made a major on the staff of the governor of Connecticut, but not for meritorious work as a carpetmaker.

After reading the enormous estimates of the value of American crops the farmers are sure to be more curious than ever about who gets the money.

Doubts as to whether interest in athletics may not interfere with scholarship will never go so far as to tempt Prof. Hadley of Yale to root for the opposition team.

More than 30,000 workers were killed in American industries last year. Civilization may come high, but the price should be much less when reckoned in human blood.

A New York automobile speeder who flashed a $1,000 bill in a Harlem police court and got the justice all worked up was in luck that the episode did not occur in some western court or the judge might have had sufficient presence of mind to make the fine $1,000.

One of the judges of Chicago's municipal court confessed recently that it was not until he was elected to the bench that he found time to read Gibbon's "Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire." And yet it would seem that with so much crime in Chicago there would hardly be much opportunity for judicial leisure.

A woman swooned on the street in Munich, Germany, and the doctor said it was because of the weight of her Merry Widow hat. Probably her husband swooned not because of the weight of the hat but the size of the bill. Yet there are women who in the close atmosphere of a theater will keep these hats on.

The total amount of pensions paid by the United States between 1866 and 1908, inclusive, was $3,654,663,364.42, and the cost, maintenance and expenses of the organization for the payment of these pensions during the same period were $122,574,462.96, a total of $3,777,237,828.38, exceeding the amount of money in circulation in this country in 1907 by more than $1,120,000,000.

Experiments recently made by the war department in Washington may result in providing soldiers in the Philippines and other tropical countries with orange-colored underwear and hat-linings. The tests demonstrated the fact that black goods, and red, absorb the sun's rays, white, blue and green disintegrate them, and orange, although it contains some red, almost entirely prevents the passage of heat rays.

New testimony to the truth of the proverb that honesty is the best policy is furnished by the offer of a noted counterfeiter to surrender his outfit and give up his criminal calling. Incidentally the proposition attests the vigilance of the United States secret service, for the counterfeiter says he is hunted down so energetically that his business does not pay. Doubtless many another "crook" can bear the same witness.

Because Mr. Cleveland's two terms as president were not continuous, there has been some confusion in the numbering of the presidents. Properly he was the twenty-second president, Mr. Harrison was the twenty-third and Mr. McKinley the twenty-fourth. On the memorials at Columbus and Buffalo he is called the twenty-fifth. Yet surely McKinley was the twenty-fourth man to be president, and Mr. Taft will be the twenty-sixth.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

MIX-UP IN THE ELECTION.

Interest Over Affair Is Widespread Throughout Mills County.

Glenwood.—There is widespread interest in Mills county over the opinion of County Attorney Starbuck to the board of supervisors which declares that there was no election of members of the board at the general election in November. This opinion was given to the board at the first meeting in January, when the board members asked the county attorney what course to pursue owing to a decision of the supreme court Nov. 23. The supreme court held in that case that the board of supervisors had the lawful power to change from the district plan to the county plan of electing supervisors after candidates for the board of supervisors had been nominated at the June primary by districts, and that such change had the effect to make such primary election inoperative. Mr. Starbuck holds that this principle having been decided by the supreme court, that the converse is true. Following the June primary the Mills county board of supervisors changed the plan of selecting supervisors from the all county plan to the district plan of election. Judge Wheeler, at the September term of court, rendered a decision that the board was wrong in changing at that time. Since the supreme court holds that the board was doing that which it had a right to do, Mr. Starbuck claims there was consequently no election of supervisors in Mills county and that the old members will consequently hold over until another election.

CURE FOR SWINE CHOLERA.

Veterinary at Elkader Meets With Great Success.

Elkader.—Dr. Clyde Beamer, local veterinary surgeon, used the Bruschettini vaccine on swine exposed to cholera with great success. In herds of swine affected he selected certain swine which he inoculated with the vaccine and they were immune to the disease while those not inoculated died. He has met with great success in the use of the vaccine and questions the statement issued by Secretary Wilson, holding that the vaccine was not properly inoculated. Many herds of swine in Cox Creek township are infected with cholera.

37,500 in Council Bluffs.

Council Bluffs.—According to the estimate of the new Council Bluffs city directory, the population of the city is 37,500. The directory contains 15,080 names, which number multiplied by 2½ to represent the names of children and married women, not included in the directory, gives the estimated population. The publishers of the directory say that the city shows a steady condition of growth, prosperity and happiness.

Frats Ousted.

Council Bluffs.—Driven to action by the death of a high school student recently as a result of an initiation into a Greek letter society, the board of education has ousted all secret societies from the schols. Such societies as are organized are ordered to disband and all students in the Council Blucs schools are ordered to discontinue membership and sever their connection with such societies before February 1.

Oelwein Is Progressive.

Oelwein.—The new syndicate block and the Iowa Savings bank at this place, erected during the year 1908, totalled a cost of $30,000. Ten new residences cost $15,000. Miscellaneous improvements cost $15,000 and new sidewalks cost $15,000. Thus over $60,000 has been expended here dur the last twelve months on improvements.

Building Boom at Shenandoah.

Shenandoah.—One of Shenandoah's finest residences has just been started by Mr. John W. Schwartz, a big public contractor here. This is the harbinger for a great many fine modern improvements, including the new Elks' club house, to cost $18,000, a new Methodist church to cost $40,000 and a new Catholic church to cost $18,000.

Stole His Sister's Ring.

Marshalltown.—Because he stole his sister's wedding ring and pawned it for whisky, George W. Hughes was sent to jail in justice court here. Mrs. Nina Meeker, Hughes' sister caused the arrest, and placed a value of $10 on the ring.

FEELY IS CHOSEN.

Waterloo Man Is Choice of Republicans for Speaker.

Des Moines.—Representative Guy A. Feely of Waterloo was chosen as the republican choice for speaker of the house of representatives during the Thirty-third general assembly on the fifth formal ballot at the republican caucus held in the main dining room of the Savery. Freely's final vote was forty, with thirty-seven votes necessary to a choice. Stillman of Greene finished second in the race with seventeen. Lee of Emmet was third with ten. The strength of Harding of Woodbury dwindled to three. Hackler of Webster received two and White of Story one. The total number of votes cast at each ballot was seventy-three, except on the informal ballot and the third formal ballot, when the total was seventy-two. Freely's nomination came as the climax of the most sensational pre-legislative fight in the history of Iowa. Not one of the nine candidates who had announced themselves had withdrawn from the contest when Representative John Sullivan of Polk county called the caucus to order. The nomination of the caucus makes it certain that Feely will be elected speaker of the house when the legislature meets to organize.

SKIN GRAFTING SUCCESSFUL.

Operation on Nun at Dubuque Is Favorable.

Dubuque.—Within the next few days there will be removed from Mercy hospital to the mother house at Mount Carmel one of the most notable cases which the institution has contained for some years. The patient is Sister Mary Carmelita and ever since she was accidentally burned at Mount St. Joseph's fifteen months ago, she has been confined to her bed in the hospital, whither she was removed immediately after the plainful injury. During the fifteen months a dozen or more nuns who were associated with Sister Mary Carmelita have submitted themselves for the process of skin grafting in order that the life of their friend and coworker might be saved. The last of the heroic sisters to give her skin yielded herself to the ordeal within the past few days and now there is every prospect that the patient will recover.

SUNDAY RECEIVED $6,637.

Ottumwa's Free Will Offering Brought Large Sum.

Ottumwa.—According to the report of Chris. Haw, chairman of the finance committee of the recent revival, Evangelist Billy Sunday only received $6,673 in his free will offering and of this amount the evangelist gave the ministerial association $500, and contributed $100 to the Children's Home Finding association. The home finding association also received $138.85 at a special collection taken up. Several other special collections were taken up during the latter part of the meeting for various members of the Sunday party ,and these collections totaled $504.58.

Wed Out of Doors.

Waterloo.—With the mercury 14 degrees below zero, Lura Ashworth and George Hunt, both of Denver, Ia., drove several miles in the country, where they were married in the moonlight by Reverend Schonebaum. The original intention was to be wed at the bride's home in Denver county, but the license was secured in Black Hawk and it was necessary to cross the border line to give legal weight to the ceremony. The groom is restauranteur at Denver.

Ottumwa Politics Boil.

Ottumwa.—As a preliminary to the coming city campaign, the Law and Order league is out for a citizens ticket for the coming spring election, and city politics will begin warming up soon as a result. The proposition of a citizen's ticket does not look good to old time republicans for Ottumwa's experience with the citizen's tickets has always been the defeat of the republican nominee for mayor and the election of a democrat.

Fee System is Eliminated.

Council Bluffs.—The evils of the fee system in the management of county affairs are to be eradicated in Pottawattamie county from this time on. The county board of supervisors at its last session adopted a system of salary compensation for all officers and their deputies.

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NIGHT RIDERS ARE CONVICTED

SIX GUILTY OF MURDER IN THE FIRST DEGREE.

Two Escape with Twenty Years for Second Degree Murder—Death Probable for Others.

Union City, Tenn.—With a verdict of guilty in varying degree, the jury in the night rider trials reported at 8:45 p. m. Thursday night. The 12 men found Garrett Johnson, Tid Burton, Boy Ransom, Fred Pinion, Arthur Cloar and Sam Applewhite guilty of murder in the first degree with mitigating circumstances, and Bud Morris and Bob Huffman, the other defendants, guilty of murder in the second degree, and fixed their punishment at 20 years in the penitentiary.

The punishment of the six first named defendants was left to the court, and may be death or life imprisonment.

The court probably will sentence the six first named defendants to death.

The defendants took the verdict with calmness, as they had been expecting it since the closing of the arguments. Attorney Pierce turned to them when it was announced, and said: "We will tear this case to pieces in the supreme court."

The state expected a verdict of first degree murder in all eight cases, and was visibly disappointed. Bob Huffman, one of the men to escape with 20 years, is the man who, according to the confession of Frank Fehringer, fired the shot which killed Capt. Ranken as he was being drawn up by the rope.

When the jury's readiness to report was announced the military quietly surrounded the courthouse and a detail of soldiers, with revolver holsters open, was deployed around the walls of the courtroom, but there was no demonstration. The prisoners were quickly handcuffed and under military escort taken to prison. The verdict is considered a compromise one, and no trouble is feared by the authorities.

TOOK MONEY TO BUILD HOME.

Embezzling Granite City Banker Sentenced to Five Years.

Springfield, Ill—Pleading guilty to the charge of embezzlement and giving as an excuse that he took the money to build a home for himself and his bride, Wesley A. Martin, formerly a Granite City banker, Friday was sentenced to five years in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., by Judge J. Otis Humphrey in the United States district court. Martin, prior to his arrest, was a social leader of Granite City. He took $20,000 of the bank's money. The shortage was made good. His wife has stood by him, and she was at his side when he was sentenced.

Accused of Stealing Bank Funds.

Philadelphia. — Dewitt C. Hillegas, a well-known insurance broker of this city, was arrested yesterday by the United States authorities, charged upon the affidavit of Bank Examiner Folds, who accuses him with misappropriating funds of the Boyertown National bank in connivance with Morris L. Hartman, the cashier, and being responsible for the failure of the institution in June, 1907.

Big Mail Robbery in Paris.

Paris. — A mail sack containing bonds, etc., worth $200,000 was stolen from a delivery wagon in the Chaussee d'Antin in broad daylight yesterday. The police have not the slightest clew to the thieves.

MINISTER NOT THE VICTIM.

Carpenter Was Murdered and Cremated—Pastor Is Sought.

Port Huron, Mich.—By means two false teeth it was definitely established Friday afternoon that Gideon Browning of Adair village was the man who was butchered last Tuesday evening in the little "Rattle Run" Methodist church in Columbus township.

With part of the mystery which has enshrouded the brutal crime thus cleared, the supervisors of St. Clair county immediately offered a reward of $500 for the arrest of Rev. John L. Carmichael of Adair, pastor of the little church, who was at first supposed to have been killed, dismembered and then burned in the church stove.

Strenuous efforts to discover some motive for the destruction of the carpenter by the minister have been fruitless. Rumors that Carmichael had been seen crossing the St. Clair river into Canada could not be corroborated. An officer sent to St. Thomas, Ont., reported no trace of him there.

Mrs. Carmichael and Miss Carmichael, wife and daughter of the minister, were examined by the prosecuting attorney here and he stated afterward that he was convinced they knew nothing of the murder nor the man's disappearance.

"FATHER" HORTON IS DEAD.

Founder of City of San Diego, Cal., Passes Away.

San Diego, Cal.—Alonzon Erastus Horton, founder of the present San Diego and its oldest inhabitant, died Thursday, aged 85 years, as a result of infirmities incident to old age. In 1867 "Father" Horton, as he was universally known, surveyed, and purchased at auction for 26 cents an acre the 880 acres of land around the bay upon which San Diego now stands. Every flag in this city is at half-mast. Beside being the oldest local inhabitant, Horton was the second oldest Elk in America.

ROBBERY CALLED A FAKE.

Deputy Postmaster at Sault Ste. Marie Arrested as Embezzler.

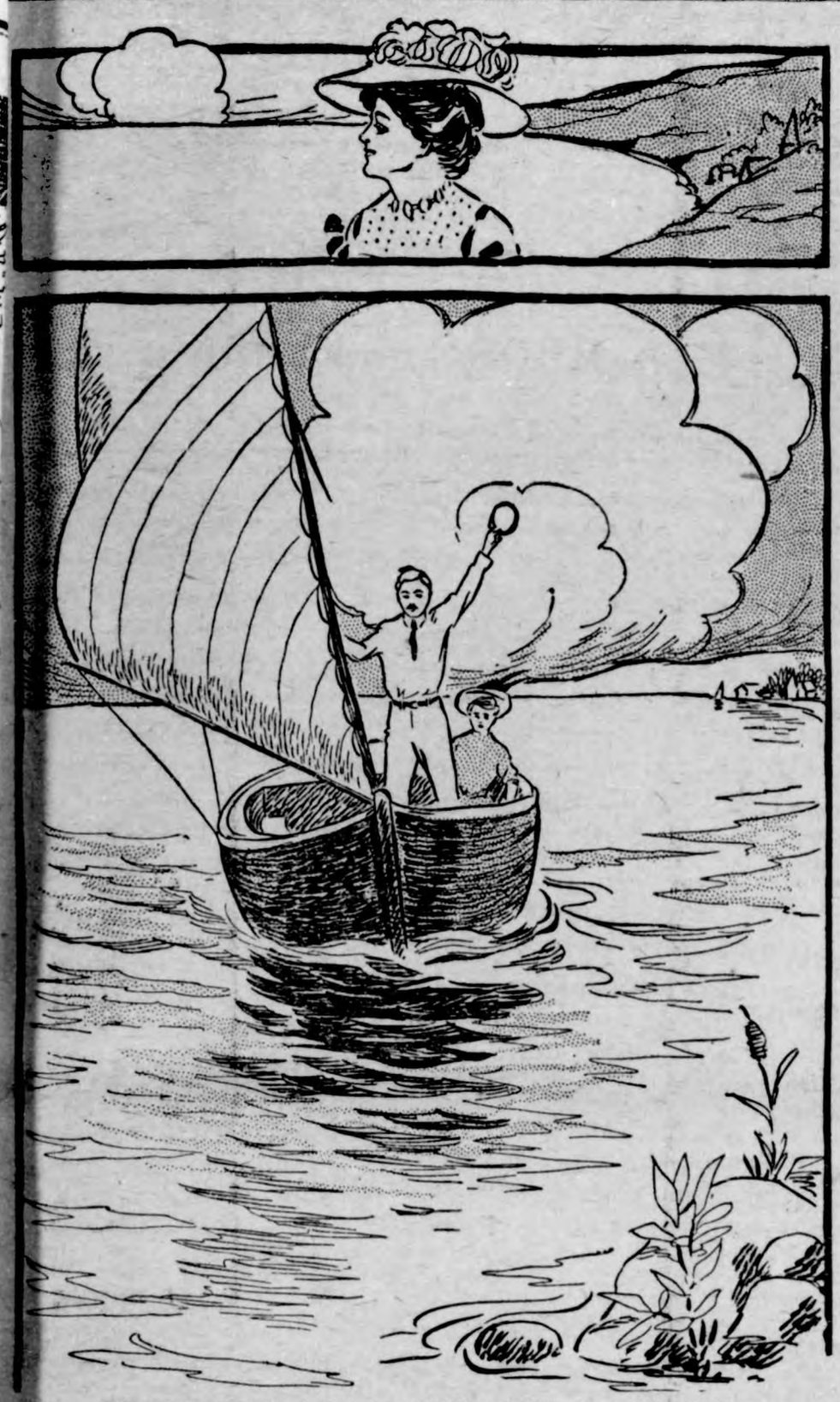
Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.—Deputy Postmaster Frank L. Higgins was arrested Friday on a charge of embezzlement. The arrest is the outgrowth of an alleged robbery of which Higgins reported himself the victim December 14. It was stated at that time that three foreigners assaulted the deputy postmaster with a sand bag while he was alone in the post office making out his payroll the previous evening, and that his assailants escaped with $2,500 of post office funds.

Forest Reserves Upheld.

Denver, Col.—The United States government Tuesday won its case in defense of the constitutionality of forest reserves, when Judge Lewis in the United States district court handed down a decision in favor of the complainant in the case of the United States against Fred Light et al. The case involved the right of the department of forestry to charge grazing fees and was regarded as of the utmost importance in the west.

Deputy Kills Texas Ranger.

Amarillo, Tex.—Texas Ranger "Doc" Thomas was shot through the head and killed Tuesday morning by Deputy Sheriff Keaton in the county courthouse. It is said that bad blood had existed between the two men since the smuggling from the county jail here several days ago of Arthur Binister, wanted at Hot Springs, Ark., in connection with a murder case.



The Singer Stood Erect and Waved His Hat Cheerfully.

The SMUGGLER

BY ELLA MIDDLETON TYBOUT

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. Elise shared her stateroom with a Mrs. Graham, also bound for Canada. The young women on a sightseeing tour met Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented by the trio for the summer. Elizabeth learned that a friend of her father's was to call. Two men called, one of them being the queer-acting stranger on the steamer. The girls were "not at home," but discovered by the cards left that one of the men was Elizabeth's father's friend. The men proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett. The party was told of the search for smugglers in the vicinity of the cottage. Elise visited Mrs. Graham to find that her life was not the happiest. She learned that the Grahams and Lady Edith were acquainted. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. During a storm the young women heard a crash in the basement of the cottage and a moment later Mary Anne, their woman servant, entered, her arm bleeding. To assure them there was no danger, Mary Anne descended to the basement alone and quieted their fears. Lady Edith told the girls of a robbery of jewels at the hotel. Fearing for the safety of her own gems, she left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his queer actions, returned the lost bag and told of mysterious doings of a year before connected with the cottage. Exploring the cellar, one of the girls found a sphinx cuff-button, the exact counterpart of which both Gordon Bennett and Lady Edith were found to possess, also. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. The young women agreed to keep the secret. Lady Edith told a story of a lost love in connection with the sphinx key.

CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

I could not think of anything to say, for at critical moments my vocabulary always proves inadequate, so I merely took her hand and stroked it gently.

"I don't know why I have told you this," she said, "but you have all been so good to us that we are no longer strangers, nor even mere acquaintances; and my heart is still so heavy sometimes. We all have graves in our hearts, we women. Yours has not come yet, and I hope it may be long deferred; mine is still green enough to be painful when I visit it. Forgive me, dear; you look quite sad, and, indeed, I am not worthy of so much sympathy."

"You are very brave," I said, admiringly.

"I do not show the white feather to the world, that is all. But tell me about Mr. Blake, whom I met here the other day. Who and what is he?"

I could tell her very little, for Mr. Bennett had proved uncommunicative about his friend, and beyond the fact that he would be here for an indefinite period I knew nothing.

"But do tell me," I remarked, as she rose to go, "has Mrs. Bundy heard anything about her jewels?"

"Not yet. Poor old soul, she is quite heart-broken. It is generally believed a detective is in the hotel, posing as a guest, but he does not seem to be making any progress. I feel perfectly comfortable about my few possessions, however, thanks to your goodness."

She went away then, and I sat alone in the hammock, thinking of the two secrets I had learned that afternoon, and watching the glow of the setting sun, which turned some sails pink and others pearly white, as the boatloads of merrymakers sailed home.

After a while Gabrielle and Elizabeth appeared, rather the worse for wear, and inclined to be indignant. They had not enjoyed themselves; the shops were no good whatever, Lady Edith had been unable to go, and there had been some misunderstanding, for Lord Wilfrid had not met them at the time appointed.

Altogether, the day had been a failure, and it was not until a good dinner had calmed their aggrieved spirits that I began to relate my own experiences, giving the history of Mary Anne with as much pathos as I could manage.

"Of course," remarked Elizabeth, "we ought to discharge her. It is not pleasant to think of a murderer being concealed in the house."

"Good gracious!" exclaimed Gabrielle, in an alarmed voice. "What are you thinking of? Think of her waffles."

"Oh, I was not going to do it; I only said that we ought to. She is too valuable to lose, especially if he really is going away."

So we told Mary Anne that it was all right, and we would allow her son to escape as he had planned. She was pathetically grateful, and promised never to allow him on the premises again, so we felt quite comfortable about him; and, after all, why should we interfere with a fellow-creature in his effort to preserve life, since the life he took could not be restored by his capture?

But my last thought that night was of Lady Edith and the look in her brown eyes as she held the little key.

CHAPTER IX.

"My love is like a red, red rose
That's newly blown in June;
My love is like a melody
That's sweetly played in tune."

It was a baritone voice, so clear, so strong, and yet so sweet that involuntarily we stopped talking and listened until the end of the verse.

"Where is it?" I questioned.

"I think," said Gordon Bennett, "it must come from a boat; it will round the point presently."

We were walking along the beach, and had wandered farther than we intended, almost to the point of the island, in fact, and, quite tired out, I had seated myself upon a rock to rest a while before going back.

"I wish he would sing again," I remarked; "don't you?"

"Well, no," returned my companion; "to be frank, I would rather have your undivided attention."

"Why, please?"

"I suppose it is because I was born with a selfish disposition."

"Listen!" I exclaimed, as the song began again, closer this time, with every word distinct and clear.

"So fair is she, my dearest dear,
So much in love am I,
That I would love her all my life
Till all the seas run dry;
Till all the seas run dry, my dear,
And rocks melt wi' the sun—"

The boat was quite near now, and the song ceased abruptly as the singer stood erect and waved his hat cheerfully; a white parasol in the stern also beckoned invitingly.

"Why," I said, "they are waving at us."

"It is Graham," said Gordon Bennett, briefly, "and your friend Lady Edith."

"So it is." I was genuinely pleased, for I could see they wanted us to join them, and I was more than willing to avoid the walk home.

"Get aboard," called Mr. Graham, as the bow grated against a rock. "You can do it, if you don't mind stepping from one rock to the other."

"We can do it easily," I replied, "if Mr. Bennett will give me his hand to steady me."

"Would you not rather walk home?" Mr. Bennett's voice was certainly not encouraging, but I ignored it, for I wanted the sail.

"Come, Mr. Bennett," called Lady Edith; "we have plenty of room. I have been spending the morning with Mrs. Graham, and we went out for a sail just after lunch, but she could not be persuaded to join us."

"Oh!" I said, as I took Mr. Graham's outstretched hand and stepped into the boat, which wobbled unpleasantly. "It is awfully nice—after you get in."

"It is a bully day for a sail," he returned, his face glowing with the pleasure it had given him. "I only wish you would talk a bit to Mrs. Graham and get her to come out just once. She has no idea how fine it is.

"My wife," he explained to Mr. Bennett, who had followed me into the boat, "has an unaccountable aversion to the water; and she will not trust herself on it, even with me."

"Indeed!" remarked Mr. Bennett, dryly. "She must condemn herself to a good many hours alone, for I notice you are out constantly."

"Oh, yes; we agreed that I was to go whenever I chose. She does not wish to keep me at home, and we quite understand each other on the subject."

"You were singing," I said, as the sail filled and the boat cut through the water; "won't you please go on. I had no idea you had such a lovely voice."

"Yes," said Lady Edith; "do sing again, Mr. Graham. It was quite lovely, and you must not be selfish with such a talent."

So Mr. Graham sang again, and we listened entranced, for his voice was very melodious, and he sang as the birds do, with no apparent effort or consciousness of his charm. Lady Edith in the stern kept her face in the shadow of her parasol and said but little, yet I saw her eyes grow misty, and remembered our conversation about the little gold key. Was she thinking of the man she loved? I wondered dreamily.

"I'll land you at your own dock," he remarked, as he steered for the shore. "And I'm sure I am very grateful for the nice things you say about the songs. I sing because I like to sing—just as I yield to every impulse whenever I can get any pleasure out of it. It seems the simplest thing to do."

It was rather a dangerous theory, I thought, although as I looked at Mr. Graham's ruddy face and heard his careless laugh I quite understood that he would generally live up to what he said. And I had a quick recollection, too, of the package Elizabeth had opened; was that caused by a sudden impulse, I wondered, and had he extracted his full measure of satisfaction out of it?

Lord Wilfrid was waiting on the dock when we landed, his cap pulled down over his eyes and his manner the reverse of cordial.

"I have looked everywhere for you, Edith," he said. "You did not tell me you expected to go sailing. Did you make up your party this morning?"

He looked at Gordon Bennett as he spoke, and paused for a reply.

"It was quite unpremeditated," said that gentleman. "In fact, your sister and Mr. Graham were kind enough to pick us up a good bit down the beach and give us a lift home."

"Was any one else with you?"

"I took a short sail with Mr. Graham, Wilfrid," said Lady Edith. "I am sorry if you have needed me, but I thought you intended fishing this afternoon."

She looked steadily at him, and he lowered his eyes instinctively. But his face, as he watched Mr. Graham push off and sail away, was heavy and lowering, and his fingers twitched nervously.

"Listen," I said. "Mr. Graham is singing again."

He was standing by his sail now, the light of the sun full upon him, apparently unconscious of the picture he made.

"And I will love you still, my dear,
When all the seas run dry—"

The words of the old song died away, and I turned to my companions.

"Let us go home," I said; but Lady Edith and her brother had already gone.

CHAPTER X.

If there are any who, like Mrs. Graham, dislike salt air and object to the constant intrusion of the ocean, this narrative will not interest them.

Looking back upon it now, it seems to me that everything we did that summer, indeed, almost everything we thought and said, was in some way connected with the sea. And perhaps this is not so strange after all, since we looked out upon it from every window and its murmur was never absent from our ears.

It was Gabrielle who originated the plan of a supper on the rocks. Gabrielle was great in originating, but we used to tell her she liked to watch other people carry out her ideas. She sat in the hammock and urged her project, while her hair blew about her ears and her book slipped unnoticed from her lap.

"We will ask the Campbells to join us," she said, "and Mr. Bennett and Mr. Blake of course."

"And the Grahams," I added.

"If you like;" the tone was not enthusiastic. "I must say she gets on my nerves; she is so mysterious."

Gabriella dislikes secrets unless she happens to be a party to them. She now returned to the subject with renewed vigor.

"It is full moon, you know. Think of the water dashing over the rocks, and the fire we'll make out of driftwood."

"Spoons, forks and napkins for all those people," ruminated Elizabeth, "to say nothing of things to eat. It will be a lot of trouble."

"No trouble at all. Just get Mary Anne to put some things in baskets. In fact," Gabrielle paused a moment before breaking the news, "I have already asked Mr. Bennett; I met him in the village when I went for the mail, and it suddenly occurred to me it would be nice to do this to-night."

Of course after this startling disclosure it was impossible to demur further, and Elizabeth rose to the occasion.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

UNABLE TO SEE THE FUTURE.

Short-Sighted English Statesman Denounced Penny Postage.

"Of all the wild and visionary schemes of which I have ever heard or read it is the most extraordinary." That was the official comment made by Lord Lichfield, postmaster general of England, on Rowland Hill's proposal to establish a uniform postal rate of a penny throughout the United Kingdom. And that was at a time within the memory of some men still living, only 71 years ago. Despite Lord Lichfield's condemnation of it, the scheme was within three years an established fact. And men who in their childhood might have seen and read the first letters ever sent from one part of England to another for a penny may this year see and read letters sent around the globe and practically to every part of the English-speaking world for the same small fee. The achievement will be not only a most impressive rebuke of the short-sighted and timorous administrator of two generations ago, but also an equally impressive demonstration of the constantly accelerating progress of civilization.

Ready for the Dollar.

Marjorie, aged eight, had not been having very satisfactory reports from school. Her father said: "Marjorie, for the first hundred you get I'll give you a dollar." Time went on and the reward could not be claimed. One day the child was taken violently ill. Her mother sent for the doctor. When he had gone, Marjorie said: "Mamma, am I very ill?"

"No, dear; your temperature is a little over 100, but the doctor thinks you will be all right in a day or so."

Smiles broke through Marjorie's tears.

"Now, mamma, I can have my dollar. Papa said he would give it to me if I could get 100 in anything."—Delineator.

PATIENT SUFFERING.

Many Women Think They Are Doomed to Backache.

It is not right for women to be always ailing with backache, urinary ills, headache and other symptoms of kidney disease. There is a way to end these troubles quickly. Mrs. John H. Wrght, 606 East First St., Mitchell, S. D., says: "I suffered ten years with kidney complaint and a doctor told me I would never get more than temporary relief. A dragging pain and lameness in my back almost disabled me. Dizzy spells came and went and the kidney secretions were irregular. Doan's Kidney Pills rid me of these troubles and I feel better than for years past."

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THOUGHT CAME IN TIME.

Or Generous Friend of Hospital Might Have Been Offended.

Lakeside hospital is probably Samuel Mather's chiefest hobby.

If there is a deficit in the hospital finances at the end of the year Mr. Mather is usually only too happy to write out a check that will more than make it up.

This has gone on from year to year until whenever anything is broken or damaged about the place the nurses and other employes look upon the loss as just that much out of Mr. Mather's generous pocket. If a nurse drops a saucer she will smile and remark: "Poor Samuel!" Among many of the nurses the remark is almost a byword whenever anything goes wrong.

Not long ago, so runs the story, Mr. Mather was at the hospital visiting a member of his family who was ill. He was unfortunate enough to lean against a vase of flowers on a table. The vase fell to the floor and broke.

Two nurses were standing by. They exchanged glances and one of them mused absent-mindedly "Poor Sa—"

And then she happened to think.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

EASY FOR THE PAINTER.

Worthy Individual Had All the Details in His Mind.

A Chicago artist relates how a wealthy individual from Kansas City, with his wife and three sons and four daughters, once called upon him.

"Here we are!" exclaimed the head of the family. "Nearly a dozen of us, Mr. Painter. How much for a painting of the whole of us, discount for cash?"

"That will depend," answered the artist, hiding a smile with his hand, "upon the dimensions, style, etc."

"Oh, that's all fixed," responded the other breezily, with the air of a man who knows exactly what he wants. "We are to be dashed off in one piece as large as life, sitting on the lawn of my place just outside of little old K. C., singing 'Hail Columbia!'"—Harper's Weekly.

VAIN THREATS.

Jimmy Juggins—If you do not consent to my marriage with your daughter, I swear I'll kill myself.

Her Pa—Ha, that's good; you'll save me the trouble.

Near Goodness.

Mother—Have you been a good girl while I've been away?

Little Girl—Not quite.—Harper's Weekly.

ROSY AND PLUMP

Good Health from Right Food.

"It's not a new food to me," remarked a Va. man, in speaking of Grape-Nuts.

"About twelve months ago my wife was in very bad health, could not keep anything on her stomach. The Doctor recommended milk half water but it was not sufficiently nourishing.

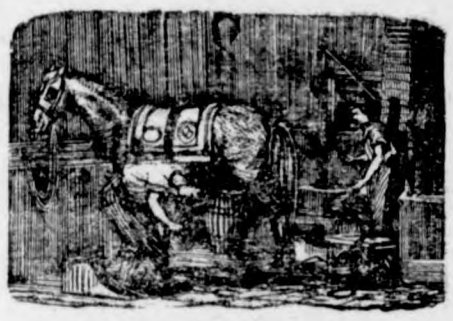
"A friend of mine told me one day to try Grape-Nuts and cream. The result was really marvelous. My wife soon regained her usual strength and to-day is as rosy and plump as when a girl of sixteen.

"These are plain facts and nothing I could say in praise of Grape-Nuts would exaggerate in the least the value of this great food."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Something doing in this space next week.



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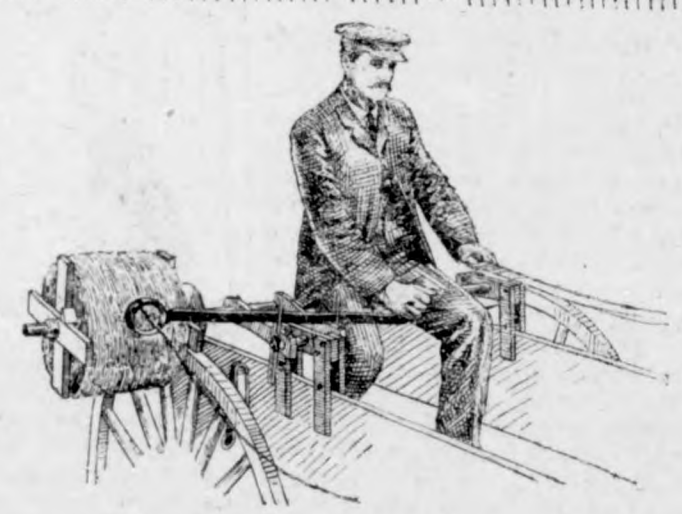

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HIS MOTIVE FOR GOING HOME.

Johnny Wanted a Personal Interview with Sammy Green.

Johnny astonished the family in the country one day by announcing that he wanted to go home.

"What's that?" demanded his father. "Want to go home?"

"Yep," maintained the boy.

"Well, that's very funny. It wasn't two days ago that you were begging us to stay up on this farm until October. Are you sick?"

"Nope."

"Got the blues?"

"Nope."

"Toothache?"

"Nope."

"Mad because your mother won't let you go swimming?"

"Nope."

"Ah! I think I understand," said his father with a chuckle. "I happen to hear you sassing that farmer's boy yesterday out back of the barn, and I also happened to see him flop you on your back. Did it hurt much?"

"N-nope."

"Well, cheer up my boy. We all have our ups and downs in this world. What good would it do you to go home?"

"If I were only home, pap," replied the boy with a longing sigh. "I could knock the stuffin' out of Sammy Green, and then I'd feel better."—Bohemian Magazine.

ONE ON THE JUNIOR PARTNER.

Office Boy's Joke That Was Appreciated by the Manager.

In a large Chicago office, where the value of system and order is appreciated, one of the rules which the manager insists must never be broken is: "Everything must be in its proper place." The clerk who has to look for an article which has a designated place receives a mark against his name, and a second offense is sure to bring him a reprimand. One day recently the boy whose duty it is to affix stamps on the outgoing mail found on his desk a hat, a pair of gloves and a broken box of cigarettes. The initials in the hat gave him a clew, and after making a red ink mark against Rule No. 6, he placed the articles and the office code on the desk of the junior partner and then told the other boys: "I'm fired!" When he received his pay envelope he found that his wages had been raised one dollar, and the manager says Rule No. 6 has never been respected as now.

Fraternal Tramps.

It is said that all tramps have a masonry of their own. I certainly believe it. They leave their signs on fence posts, stoops, sidewalks and trees. These signs are similar to those on Egyptian obelisks or Indian totem poles. Only the other day I threatened with death a veteran of the fraternity and told him to warn his craft not to annoy me, that I was a very dangerous man. The next day there were sundry chalk marks about the premises and have not seen a tramp since. And yet I have fed at least a thousand of these fellows and "watered" them, too. They are a good-natured lot. If I had more money than a mere stipend I'd hire the biggest ballroom in any New York hotel for Christmas and invite a thousand tramps to eat dinner with me and relate a few experiences.

Best Way to Be Useful.

To make oneself beloved, says an old French proverb, that is, after all, the best way to be useful. That is one of the deep sayings which children think flat, and which young men, and even young women, despise; and which a middle-aged man hears with a certain troubled surprise, and wonders if there is not something in it, after all; and which old people discover to be true, and think, with a sad regret of opportunities missed, and of years devoted, how unprofitably, to other kinds of usefulness! The truth is that most of us, who have any ambitions at all, do not start in life with the hope of being useful, but rather with an intention of being ornamental.—Arthur C. Benson, "Essay on Friendship."

Mohammedan Serenity.

A Mohammedan people enjoy one great advantage over all others—they never suffer from the anticipation of that which is to come, and, as a natural result, they can always enjoy the present, although only a few hours may separate them from disaster, or even from death. Their implicit belief in an ordained future imparts a dignified repose and outward calm to all their actions. Thus in spite of the trials and troubles which threatened the state during my stay at Fez, a smooth surface of unchangeable serenity veiled the inner thoughts of every individual, from the sultan to the negro at his gates.—Blackwood Magazine.

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German M. E. Church Items

Mother Kraus has been afflicted with a sore throat all last week.

Fred Sampson has gone to Beulah, Iowa to visit his sister Mrs. Klotzbach.

Mrs Ed. Schaefer suffered last week with an attack of quinsy. She is improving now.

Emma Sampson and Mrs. F. C. Griewe went to Mason City last Friday returning Saturday.

Revival meetings are still in progress in the Germantown church this week and the interest is steadily increasing.

Do you men know what the women think of the lodges? If you don't you ought to read their letters in the "Homestead" of last week, in reply to a "A bachelor."

Herbert Stille left for Kirksville, Mo. again last Thursday. The osteopath treatments are doing him good and we hope to see him permanently cured, when he returns.

W. J. Schmidt did not go to Dubuque last week as was reported to us. On account of the cold weather the trip was postponed and now the patient Fred Nuehring is improving.

Etna Suckow was seized with a severe attack of quinsy last Saturday. She was very sick on Sunday and as Dr. Zinn was taking his own medicine, they called Dr. Richter of Garner out.

Mr. Lenz's house is nearing its completion. The carpenters have nearly finished the interior work and Mr. Roswall of Algona is now graining the upper story and in another week will complete the first story which is all finished in oak.

The old saying is "No roses without thorns" And it seems one can not get up a lecture course without getting in a worthless number. The two first numbers of this years course were so exceptionly good that we all expected the third number of equal quality. But the large audience was doomed to disappointment. They evidently were amateurs on the platform and very green ones at that. The only part deserving any merit was the violinist and she was confined to one time of music. And to discount it all they ended with a sort of suffix "s) iel" which was the silliest thing we ever heard from a lecture platform Tho it may have been true to the experience of some young people, it was below all dignity and decency to present to a mixed audience as presented Saturday night. We rust the committee will reportt their disapproval to the bureau which we know the bureau will appreciate as they are anxious that every number be satisfactory.

Fred Fluhrer of Fl is spending a few days cousins—the Sampsons.

The oldest son of A. S of Oklahoma, is a gues J. Schwichtenberg home

The League will give gram Sunday evening they were to give last

Lizzie Riener is att the house duties at the home during the sickne Pulfrey.

Rev. F. H. Wellerey down from Charles City nesday to attend the sal farm today.

Henry Ludeke was on in Iowa City on afternoon. The doctors ed the operation a succ we wish him a speedy r

Mrs. W. C. A. Gast Monday from her visit former friends in Delev She was in a run-a-wa there but escaped wit bruises.

Sunday was a blustry the feeble bodied and footed were not out. Th huged around the stove said: "It was awfully but the mothers that ca miles to church with the did not seem to mind the er.

A HORRIBLE HOLD-

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To Whom it May Concern

Notice is hereby given that plication of George A. Pabs istered pharmacist No. 78 business under the firm George A. Pabst & Co., pray permit to buy, keep and sel cating liquors for lawful only in the first story and b of the frame building situate One (1) in Block Eleven (11 Original Town of Klemme, County, Iowa, will be on fi office of the Clerk of the Court of Hancock County, I or before the 4th day of Febr D., 1909, and that said applica come on for hearing at the term of said Court to be be held at the Court House in G said County, on the 15th day ruary, A. D., 1909.

Dated this 6th day of Jan D., 1909.

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LOCAL NEWS

Do not forget to read State Savings ad.

Oysters direct from Baltimore at Kluckhohn's.

Jan. 22 Both programme and supper for 25c. The R. N. A.

R. N. A. programme and oyster supper at Opera House, Jan. 22.

J. W. Waterman and clerks are busy these days invoicing their store.

Louis Radloff of Farmersburg, Iowa. is visiting his cousins the Ihde brothers.

Frank Jurgens of near Britt, visited with the Henschen family the first of this week.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

The Arnold sale on Wednesday was largely attended and everything brought a good price Their stock was in first-class condition.

Arthur Schwartz. son of Andrew Schwartz of Jefferson, Oklahoma, is visiting with relatives here. He has a good position in a bank at Siox Falls, S. Dak

Saturday was a hummer of a business day in Klemme. Farmers were largely represented and hitching room was at a premium. Let us have more hitching room and be more accommodating to the farmers.

Val. Josten. Jr. of Twin Lake township is in the lead at present showing in weight the heaviest porkers so far this winter. He sold to H. Schroeder four that averaged 511 pounds. Who is next?

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets. Axminsters. Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

Mr. J. E. Carr of Popejoy, Iowa, was the auctioneer at the Cash Store on Jan. 7-8-9. He is a good one and can sell dry goods and notions as well as live stock. A large attendance was present during the sale days. The remainder of the stock will be moved away.

Dr. Zinn is on the sick list this week.

There's a dandy ad of the State Savings Bank.

Fresh oysters always on hand at Kluckhohn's. tf.

R. N. A. will give a programme and oyster supper at Opera House, Jan. 22nd.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

Ell Bros. have a new display ad. in this issue which we call your attention to read.

Read the market report. Bring your produce to Klemme and receive the highest market price.

Sam Kirkwood left Wednesday for Ringsted, Iowa for a few weeks visit with his brother Will.

Jcoob Weintz left for Iowa City Saturday evening where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

This office would be pleased to receive quite a few renewals on the Times the first of the year. We need the money.

F. A. Arnold and wife are the proud parents of a young son who came Tuesday to make his home with them for a while.

Miss Anna Cooler who has been visiting with the Busemann and Brand families (and a few others) returned to her home at Forest City Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Newell and Mrs. Airsmith drove over from Kanawha Wednesday of this week Mr. and Mrs. Newell are running a sheep ranch near Greenville, Iowa and are getting along nicely We wish them prosperity.

A new hardware and grocery store which will be owned and managed by the Terhufen Bros. in the Shafer store room will be the new enterprise in Klemme. Both of the brothers are well and favorably known in this vicinty. We wish them prosperity in business.

The so-called "Bostonia" at the Opera House on Saturday evening Jan. 9th, our third lecture course number, did not come up to the numbers played previous. The only feature in the programme was the violinist but the rest of the performance possibly would pass for a 10c show.

C. W. Stiehl and wife returned last week Saturday from their visit at Hay Springs, Nebraska where they have been visiting his brother and family. His brother is one of the leading merchants of that town. Chas. says that he had to discard some of his winter clothing while there, that the weather was just fine.

Dist. No. 1 Twin Lake township school is noted for the progress made by the scholars attending it and on Friday evening gave the most successful and enjoyable program and basket sociable to a very large audience. Mr. Wm. Lau was nominated for auctioneer and filled the bill most effectively disposing of 26 baskets for $26.45. This with a balance of $10.75 gives a total of $37 20 at the disposal of the school. Dist. No. 1 is to be congratulated on the conduct of its big school for having J. D. G. Houghton as teacher. The parents of Dist. No. 1 thank Mr. Houghton very much for his hard work with their children to obtain a good education.

A new change completely for State Savings Bank.

Mrs. H. Freie and daughter Mrs. Jensen returned from Ft Dodge Wednesday.

Frank Terhufen who has been on the sick list the past few weeks is able to be about again.

W. R. Bloom shipped three car loads hogs Sunday morning and two car loads cattle Wednesday.

The passenger going north on Monday was several hours late on account of a wreck on the main line.

So far our January weather has been good and cold with occasional strong winds. The pocket book and coal bins have to suffer. We hope for a change before long.

J. G. Tanner, one of Twin Lake's prosperous farmers, sold W. R. Bloom 68 head of Duroc Jersey hogs that netted him the nice sum of $989. John knows how to raise porkers.

Mr. Alvin Haupt of Winterset, Iowa, is making his brother Fred Haupt and family a visit. He is a prosperous farmer near Winterset Land is valued there from $100 to $150 per acre.

NOTICE—I am prepared to teach tapestry painting, new Mexican pigment painting also pyrography or burnt wood at the house. Ladies please call.
24-2 Mrs. J. Josten.

There will be a program and basket social held at the Ell Center school house on Friday evening Jan. 22nd. Everybody is invited to attend. Ladies are requested to bring baskets.
Josie Carothers.
Luella Yohn.

Last Tuesday evening the M. W. A. members installed their officers for the ensuing year. Marion Elder was again re-elected as Head Consul and Lew Lewis, J. E Baumgaertner, P. M. Griesemer, Art Shoop and Ralph Elder were also all re-elected to their old stations as Clerk, Adviser, Excellent Banker, Escort and Sentry. Mr. Geo. Wessels was the only newly elected officer and takes his place as Watchman. Mr. Wm. Fuller again takes his place as Past Consul and administrated the oath to all officers. Will is a past master in administrating oaths and has this part of the business learned to perfection. Dr. Zinn also retains his position as physician of the camp. This certainly is an excellent group of officers and the M. W. A. can feel proud of their executive staff. We believe that every man ought to make it a point to join an order of this kind as the cost of insurance is nominal and that every one can afford to carry at least a $1000 policy without noticing the cost and it seems that a little income just at the time of need is the greatest God-send to any family.

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RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

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Wm. Stork, Oberlin, Ohio

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ced every toll-gate in the state be abolished and every road free. believes that the work of the good s commission will ultimately re- in wiping out the gates. "The toll- " says the governor, "is not of age and has no proper place in time. It is ridiculous to think of ging people money for coming to city."

sensible man is one who knows n to let go before taking hold.

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CAME NEAR CHOKING TO DEATH.

A little boy the son of Chris. D. Peterson a well known resident of the village of Jacksonville, Iowa had a sudden and violent attack of croup. Much thick stringy phlegm came up after giving chamberlain's cough remedy. Mr. Peterson says: I think he would have choked to death had we not given him this remedy. For sale by G A Pabst & Co.

Twin Lake.

J. G Tanner delivered a car load of hogs to W. R. Bloom on Saturday.

H. Pringnitz has been visiting with relatives in Missouri the past week.

M. J. Thompson and family returned last week from their Illinois visit.

Twin Lake farmers attended sales these days in spite of the cold weather.

Albert Tanner came home from Illinois where he visited with relatives during a holiday vacation.

Our popular schoolmaam of No. 2 Miss Stiehl has been making social visits among the neighbors recently

A large number were at the basket sociable last Friday night The program was good and was highly appreciated by all.

Fred Nuehring is slowly improving. They intend to take him to the hospital for an operation as soon as he is strong enough.

HAD HIS EXAMINER WITH HIM.

One Comparatively Easy Way of Obtaining a Diploma.

Representative Littlefield of Maine is very proud of the high praise he received when, as quite a young man, he passed his bar examination.

One of the examiners was an old judge whom Littlefield held in great esteem, and not a little awe. One of the questions asked involved an intricate point of law upon which the judge had once written a treatise and which young Littlefield had learned almost by heart. When he came to answer the questions he quoted, as nearly as he could remember, the judge's exact words.

Never a blush o'erspread the brow of the future statesman when the old judge called him up before the class of candidates. "Young man," he said, "I want publicly to congratulate you upon the way in which you have answered this question. I am amazed that so young a man should have so profound a knowledge of the law."—Unidentified.

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RENEW ON
THE TIMES

We wish to call our subscribers attention to the fact that we expect frequent renewals on this paper this fall, quite a few have responded for which we say thanks. We expect to present statements to those who are more than One Year in arrears. Please Remember!

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Mrs. Blunder had just received a telegram from India.

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BIENNIAL MESSAGE

GOV. WARREN GARST SUBMITS THE BIENNIAL MESSAGE.

33rd GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The Governor Presents Many Important Subjects for the Legislators' Consideration.

Des. Moines.—The biennial message of Gov. Warren Garst to the Thirty-third General Assembly of Iowa is a very interesting document covering a great many questions of

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or, will be for the biennial period ending June 30, 1911, about $7,605,400. By offsetting this with the regular continuing appropriations and all appropriations made and not yet expended it is estimated that there will be available for extraordinary appropriations about $1,500,000.

The governor comments on the "principle of legal regulation of party nominations," and banishment of the political pass and direct corporation activity in politics.

"But regeneration of political methods has been only a part. There has been honest effort, with what success may well be left to the future, to improve all our laws, and especially those which touch our industrial and business life. This has led to modifying and strengthening the laws with reference to corporations, railroads, drainage, transportation, banking highways, insurance and kindred matters; preservation of the public health as by requiring pure food, safety appliances, limiting the hours of labor and regulating child labor; acceptance of a code that all experience has shown to be the best adapted to reformation of evil doers; encouragement of agricultural and industrial education and support of fairs and expositions; adapting school laws to modern needs; aid has been given the poor victims of drug and liquor habits and a retreat has been provided for consumptives; and the too long delayed publication of a roster of Iowa soldiers has been commenced."

Improvement of the approaches to the state capitol is recommended, for which an appropriation of $150,000 is mentioned. The capitol is too small to provide the proper offices for the state employes in Des Moines, "we should therefore take at least a first step looking to the erection of an agricultural, industrial and military hall. There should be ample offices for the department of agriculture, with its allied bureaus dealing with dairying, horticulture, stock breeding, veterinary, pure food and crop service; the commissioner of labor, mine inspectors and geological survey; the board of health, dental board and pharmacy board; the headquarters of the Iowa National guard and a commodious armory."

Codification and revision of our school laws is necessary. More land for the campus and a women's building is needed at the state university. New buildings are needed at the state agricultural school to properly care for the 1900 and more students there. Greater facilities for the training of teachers at the state normal school and possibly another normal school established.

The historical building should be completed and decorated. The state traveling library is commended and should be amply supported.

Laws governing the saloons and liquor traffic should be strengthened and provisions made whereby they can be more easily enforced.

The recommendation of the attorney general that the state legal department be reorganized is endorsed and special attention called to it.

The authority of the state railroad commission should be extended over telephone and telegraph lines as much as over other common carriers, and in "some measure over the public utilities of the state such as street car lines, water works, gas and electric plants; but care must be exercised so that there is left with the municipalities sufficient power for the proper police regulation of these private enterprises. Matters purely local must be left to the local communities." An attorney, giving his entire time, should represent the state in all matters in controversy concerning public service corporations.

Roads should be scientifically constructed and maintained and a special appropriation is recommended.

The department of agriculture should be encouraged to come into the most intimate relationship with the people of the state and to become the avenue through which is collected all information regarding agricultural resources and dissemination of such information where it will be most valuable. The value of the state fair, as a great summer school of agriculture and industry, cannot be overestimated. A fireproof amphitheater should be built.

The board of control is commended and its recommendations should be carefully considered. There are now more than 3,500 person cared for and more than 1,300 employes are under the direction of the board.

Some changes are needed in the primary election law, and provision made for the expense of elections and a uniformity in the printing of the bills.

In order to better facilitate the work of the state departments, a rearrangement and grouping of related departments is recommended. The state insurance department should be independent and under the management of a superintendent.

A commission should be appointed to investigate our method of taxation and report to the next general assembly. Mortgages should pay a small filing fee in lieu of all other taxes. Corporations should pay an annual fee. A direct inheritance tax is recommended. An annual license fee of $1,200 should be made against all saloons, the amount equally divided between the city, county and state. National banks in the state should be assessed and taxed the same as state or savings banks. Trust companies should be organized and adequate laws made to safeguard them.

Many pardons have been granted to convicts and fines remitted, and names of persons now asking for pardon submitted to the general assembly. The board of parole should consider cases before the convicted persons are committed.

Recommendation is made that the salaries of a number of state officials be increased.

An appropriation is needed to complete the roster of Iowa soldiers.

Laws protecting labor should be extended and strengthened.

A number of minor matters are considered in the concluding paragraphs of the message.

The governor commends the commission form of government for our cities and the right of adopting it should be given to all our first class and second class cities, without exception.

The legislature would do well to investigate and consider suggestions made in the annual report of the dairy and food commissioner, especially with regard to legislation to check the tendency to concentrate creamery business in large companies at the expense of the smaller and co-operative creameries.

"You, gentlemen of the Thirty-third general assembly, represent a great corporation, composed of two and a quarter million of the most intelligent people of the earth, they having a capital of approximately five billion dollars. You are called upon to make appropriations for the expenditures of taxes collected for public purposes, and it seems to me there should be one determining factor only; not how much is the cost, but whether that which you authorize is worth more than it costs to the corporation you represent. If the answer is in the affirmative, there would seem to be no chance for further argument.

"I would again admonish you to remember that ours is a growing and developing commonwealth, and the needs of today and tomorrow may be vastly different from those of yesterday. Conditions change with the passing years, and new duties appear with the unfolding of the grander civilization. You have accepted trusteeship for the affairs of a great state. Your predecessors performed their duty well, and with motives of highest patriotism. As trustees with full responsibility for the financial administration of the state, you owe it to your constituents and associates whose confidence you hold, that you do not permit the needless or wasteful expenditure of their money.

"It will be a part of your duty, in the limited time before you, to make provision as well as you can for a more equitable collection of taxes and the fairest disposition possible of the funds of the state. When this is done intelligently, as I know you will do it, the people will rise up and call you blessed."

In 1840 Ohio was by no means a new and sparsely populated state. It had been admitted to the Union thirty-seven years. Its population was over 1,500,000. In proportion to its area the state was then much more populous than Texas or California is today. Iowa has only about as many inhabitants, in proportion to its area as Ohio had sixty-six years ago.

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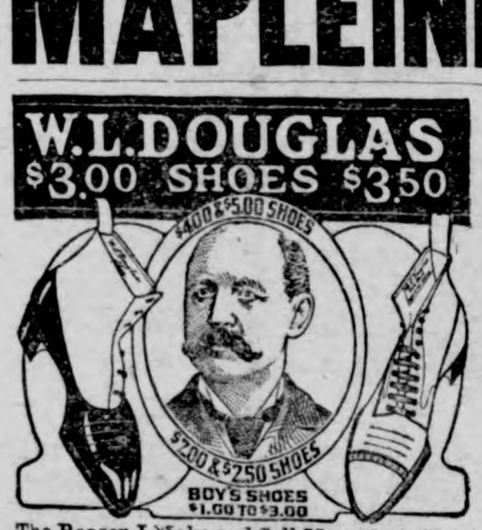

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SLAP AT PRESIDENT

HOUSE LAYS SECRET SERVICE MESSAGES ON TABLE.

DEVOTES DAY TO CENSURE

Won't Receive Any More "Disrespectful" Communications — Roosevelt Tells Alleged Facts Disclosed by Tillman Probe.

Washington.—After having made him the target all day for criticism, with here and there words of commendation, the house of representatives Friday night by a vote of 212 to 35 rebuked the president by tabling so much of his message as reflected on members of congress regarding the secret service detectives, and also declaring it to be the sense of the house that they shall decline to consider any communication from any source which is not in its own judgment respectful.

Senator Tillman.

Senator Culberson's resolution instructing the committee on the judiciary to report whether the president had authority to permit the absorption of the Tennessee Coal & Iron Company by the United States Steel Corporation was adopted by the senate.

Tells About Tillman Probe.

President Roosevelt Friday night made public the details of an investigation by post office inspectors and secret service agents of Senator Tillman's connection with an alleged "land grab" in Oregon. As he presents the evidence to Senator Hale, in response to the latter's request to the heads of the various executive departments for a statement of the operations of the secret service, the president undertakes to show:

That Mr. Tillman used his influence as a senator in an effort to force the government to compel a railroad corporation to relinquish its control of land grants from the United States in order that he and his family and his secretary, J. B. Knight, might profit through the purchase of some of the land;

That the senator used his government franking privilege in numerous instances for the conduct of private business.

Comparatively few senators were favored with the opportunity of reading the president's report to Senator Hale, but those who did read the report took a serious view of it, although most of the senators refused to believe that Senator Tillman had ever done anything in violation of his oath as a senator.

Dean Howard Poisoned.

Des Moines, Ia.—Dr. Howe, special examiner appointed by Coroner Iver G. Newlen to look into the sudden and mysterious death of Dean Frederick Howard of Drake university, Thanksgiving day, reported Wednesday night that the distinguished professor was a victim of poison. Quantities of morphine were found in the intestines. The report says that there are marks pointing to asphyxiation. As to who administered the poison or whether it was self-administered, is not known.

Accused of $1,000,000 Forgeries.

Oakland, Cal. — F. B. Signor, real estate promoter and mining broker of this city, was arrested on complaint sworn to by James H. Murray, a multi-millionaire banker and mining man of Montana, Salt Lake and Seattle, but more recently of Monterey, Cal., charging Signor with forgeries aggregating nearly $1,000,000. Signor is alleged to have forged Murray's name to four notes of $100,000 each, as well as to numerous other negotiable documents.

NOT GUILTY OF ERB MURDER

MRS. ERB AND MRS. BEISEL ARE ACQUITTED BY JURY.

Defendants Scream and Fall Into Each Other's Arms When the Verdict Is Announced.

Media, Pa.—Mrs. M. Florence Erb, wife of Capt. J. Clayton Erb, who was well known in political circles all over Pennsylvania, and her sister, Mrs. Catharine Beisel, who were charged with the sensational murder of Capt. Erb on the night of October 6, 1908, walked from the Delaware county courthouse Thursday free women. After the jury had been out nearly 18 hours it brought in a verdict of not guilty in the case of each woman, both of whom had been charged separately and jointly with shooting the captain. Thus ends a trial that has held the interest of the people of the country for more than a week during which much scandalous evidence was brought out, some of which did not reach the reading public.

Judge Johnson took his seat just as the jury was escorted into the room. There was absolute silence. Then the court clerk went through the usual proceeding of asking whether the jury had agreed and the foreman announced the verdict of not guilty in each case.

There was a second's pause, a dead silence, then, with a half scream, the sisters fell in each other's arms. Everybody in the court room was on his or her feet and women wept as they looked at the pathetic scene.

Surrounded by Wild Crowd.

In an instant the women were surrounded by friends and their attorneys and overwhelmed with congratulations.

Harry Beisel threw his arms around his wife and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Erb, and tears came to their eyes. This scene lasted several minutes.

The jury was not polled, and after Judge Johnson had thanked them, Mrs. Erb hurried from her seat to Dickinson, the foreman, and wrung his hand. Mrs. Beisel did likewise, and they went down the line of the 12 men. Tears stood in the eyes of most of them and the thanks of the women were sobbed out in broken syllables.

EXILE CAUSE OF DOWNFALL?

Overthrow of Yuan Shi Kai Blamed on Ousted Reformer.

New York. — Special cable advices from Penang, Straits Settlement, says that Kang-Yu-Wei, China's exiled reformer and leader of the Chinese Empire Reform association, claims credit for the overthrow of

Yuan Shi Kai.

Yuan Shi Kai, the eminent Chinese statesman, as member of the grand council.

According to the dispatch Kang-Yu-Wei charges Yuan Shi Kai with complicity in the death of the emperor. He is quoted as follows:

"We know Yuan Shi Kai paid a physician 40,000 taels (about $33,000) to poison the emperor. Yuan Shi Kai, seeing the dowager empress' death impending, feared retribution at the hands of the emperor for his betrayal a decade ago which forced my flight and resulted in the dowager empress seizing the reins of control."

Kill Montreal Ice Carnival.

Montreal, Can.—The end of the winter ice carnivals of Montreal, long a feature of the winter days of Canada, was indicated by the action of representatives of all the Canadian and many eastern roads in a meeting at Montreal. Feeling that the continuation of the carnivals and the advertising of the country mainly during the winter time does not operate to the best advantage of the country, the railroad men have decided not to grant reduced rates for the annual ice carnival or other similar events.

Object to a Larger Navy.

Boston.—A remonstrance against further increase of the United States navy was sent to congress Thursday by the board of directors of the American Peace society. It was signed on behalf of the board by Robert Treat Paine, president, and Benjamin A. Trueblood, secretary of the society.

WHY NOT OWN LAND?

ONE OF THE BEST WAYS TO MAKE MONEY IS TO INVEST IN WESTERN CANADA.

"Deep down in the nature of every properly constituted man is the desire to own some land." A writer in the Iowa State Register thus tersely expresses a well-known truth. The question is where is the best land to be had at the lowest prices, and this the same writer points out in the same article. The fact is not disguised that the writer has a personal interest in the statement of his case, and there is no hidden meaning when he refers to Western Canada as presenting greater possibilities than any other part of the American Continent, to the man who is inclined to till the soil for a livelihood and possible competence. What interests one are the arguments advanced by this writer, and when fairly analyzed the conclusion is reached that no matter what personal interest the writer may have had, his reasons appear to have the quality of great soundness. The climatic conditions of Western Canada are fully as good as those of Minnesota, the Dakotas or Iowa, the productiveness of the soil is as great, the social conditions are on a parity, the laws are as well established and as carefully observed. In addition to these the price of land is much less, easier to secure. So, with these advantages, why shouldn't this —the offer of Western Canada—be embraced. The hundreds of thousands of settlers now there, whose homes were originally in the United States, appear to be—are satisfied. Once in awhile complaints are heard, but the Canadians have never spoken of the country as an Eldorado no matter what they may have thought. The writer happened to have at hand a few letters, written by former residents of the United States, from which one or two extracts are submitted. These go to prove that the writer in the Register has a good basis of fact in support of his statements regarding the excellency of the grain growing area of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. On the 29th of April of this year W. R. Conley, of Lougheed, Alberta, wrote a friend in Detroit. He says: "The weather has been just fine ever since I came here in March, and I believe one could find if he wanted to some small bunches of snow around the edge of the lake. There is a frost nearly every morning: at sunrise it begins to fade away, then those blue flowers open and look as fresh as if there had been no frost for a week. . . . There is no reason why this country should not become a garden of Eden; the wealth is in the ground and only needs a little encouragement from the government to induce capital in here. There is everything here to build with: good clay for brick; coal underneath, plenty of water in the spring lakes, and good springs coming out of the banks."

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Opposed to Toll Roads.

Maryland, following the recent lead of Pennsylvania, is moving to abolish toll roads. Gov. Crothers has expressed the hope that before his term is ended every tollgate in the state will be abolished and every road free. He believes that the work of the good roads commission will ultimately result in wiping out the gates. "The tollgate," says the governor, "is not of this age and has no proper place in this time. It is ridiculous to think of charging people money for coming to your city."

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On the way he met a man in uniform with the words "Station Agent" on his cap.

"Say, hold on. What have you got on that wagon," he asked.

"My chicken house, of course," was the reply.

"Chicken house be jiggered," exploded the official. "That's the station."

Honors Easy.

People who were present smiled at the little passage of arms which took place between two young ladies at a luncheon recently. One of them, a bride, shaking hands in her characteristically cordial way, said to the other:

"I'm so glad to meet you! You have afforded me so very much amusement just lately."

"Amusement?" said the other.

"Oh, yes," went on the bride. "I've been through my husband's desk, and I've read all his old love letters. I found several very affectionate letters from you, and I enjoyed reading them, really, ever so much."

"I'm so glad you enjoyed them," purred the other. "But do come and see me very soon. Here is my card. I have the answers to all those letters and you might like to read them as well. Mr. X——'s letters are so much more affectionate than those I wrote him. I know you'll enjoy reading them ever so much more than you did mine."

How He Hunted Bear.

A New York Irishman was visiting a friend in the Adirondacks and was taken with a desire to go hunting. Borrowing a gun from his friend he set off alone in search of game. Some time after his host heard a distant report of a gun. A few minutes later he heard some one shouting. From a window he spied, in the distance, his friend, hot-footing it for home, and behind him a bear, gaining at every step. Nearly spent, the pursued reached the door just in time to cry out:

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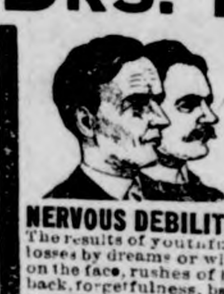

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FOGS OF LONDON AND PARIS.

French Capital Bids Fair to Suffer Worse Than the English.

A certain undesired supremacy has always been granted to London in the matter of fogs, and the London pea-souper has always been considered unequaled in its way. But things have changed a good deal of late. In the first place, those of late years, notably that at the beginning of this month, have been overhead fogs, which made the noonday like night, although in the streets it was perfectly clear, and there was little or no dislocation of traffic. This is said to be owing to the fact that a few hundred feet up the air is cold enough to condense the moisture, whereas in the streets the air is warm enough to keep the moisture uncondensed. This variety of fog is certainly the least objectionable, for it enables people to go about their business without groping along the walls in utter darkness, as used to be the case. Another change that must be noted is the prevalence of fogs in Paris, notably in the present month, when in the first week the fog was much worse on the banks of the Seine than on the banks of the Thames. Some years ago, when Paris burned wood, the city had no real fogs, but now that it has taken to burning coal it has imported the "London particular." And as the Seine at Paris is not tidal, there is less chance of a breeze to carry away the fog than there is even in London.

RAISED FUNDS AND HAD JOKE.

Typical Anecdote Concerning Whistler, the Eccentric Artist.

Whistler's most recent biography has this to say of his early life in Paris: "Though frequently hard up, Whistler had an income which seemed princely to students who lived on nothing at all. If Whistler had money in his pockets, Mr. Ionires says, he spent it royally on others. If his pockets were empty he managed to refill them in a way that still amazes M. Oulevey, who, in proof of it, told us of the night when, after the cafe where they had squandered their last sous on kirsch had closed, he and Lambert and Whistler adjourned to the Halles for supper, ordered the best and ate it. Then he and Lambert stayed in the restaurant as hostages, while Whistler, at dawn, went off to find money to pay. He was back when they awoke with 300 or 400 francs in his pocket. He had been to see an American friend, he said, a painter, 'And, do you know, he had the bad manners to abuse the situation—he insisted on my looking at his pictures.'"

Diplomatic Sufferer.

It was at a well-known sanitarium. A number of frivolously disposed young convalescents were taking their ease on couches on one of the commodious sun-balconies of the establishment, and, despite the rules enjoining perfect silence upon all, were enjoying a lively conversation, mixed in with much giggling. Suddenly from the darkened depths of a room, the windows of which looked out upon their balcony, there came a plaintive voice.

"Vill you youngk latdies be goot enough to sdop dalking so loud?" it said. "I vass trying to vake up, undt your lofely woices lull me to sleep again efery time I gets mine eyes open already yet."—Harper's Weekly.

Girl Miner.

The west has a girl miner who works eight hours a day. Her name is Laura White, her age is 22 years, and she hails from San Francisco. Some time ago she located several mining claims in the dreary Funeral range, near the eastern edge of the famous Death Valley. One of the claims proved to be a rich one and she and her brother are working it alone.

The brother works at the bottom of the shaft and Miss White hoists the ore to the top. At first she wore skirts but finding that they impeded her work, she donned the miners' regulation boots and trousers, shirt and Mexican sombrero.

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France is strongly tempted to subsidize the stork.

Connecticut hen lays two eggs a day. But we're still paying famine prices.

England's invasion by American racetrack touts is hard on the sport of kings and pikers.

A French army officer has invented eye-glasses which enable the wearer to see on all sides and the rear.

Electric waves may conquer the London fog, but we defy them to produce results on Chicago smoke.

Does Sig. Ferrero believe that Eve was all she was cracked up to be, or has he evidence to the contrary?

The nickel John D. Rockefeller gave as a tip has become almost as famous as the $29,000,000 he refused to give up

President Roosevelt has saved nothing out of his salary, but don't worry. He can get a job of some sort.

St. Louis woman leaves her husband because he could read her thoughts He'll be careful, after this, not to read 'em aloud.

Water having been discovered on Mars, we may cease pitying the thirsty inhabitants therof. It's a great load off our minds.

Pencil drawings may be rendered permanent by brushing them with a mixture of equal parts of skimmed milk and water.

Gentlemen who ride from one end of the country to the other on the rods think there is nothing much the matter with the Pullman car except the price.

Russian milionaire burns his money to save his heirs from the curse of riches. It is not said that they were particularly grateful for his thoughtfulness.

We should imagine, from some of the rambling remarks of Prof. Hugo Muensterberg, that applied sociology was a good thing until one came to apply it.

A New York man of 83 has married a pretty girl of 18. It may surprise the unsophisticated to know that the old man is very, very wealthy.—Detroit Free Press.

King Edward weighs 210 pounds, it is boasted. And we gaze at the majestic proportions of our own new ruler and smile superciliously at Britain's puny prince.

With two Connecticut chauffeurs in the penitentiary the amusement of running over people as they alight from the street cars bids fair to become less popular.

Pennsylvania husband of 71 sues neighbor of 69 for alienating the affections of his wife, aged 65. Well the poor girl probably wanted some body nearer her own age.

Just a suggestion born of love for the babies. Shouldn't that toddling little emperor of China be strapped to the throne? Very serious consequences might result from a tumble.

An ocean freighter coming into New York reported striking an iceberg with such force that a live polar bear on the ice fell from the force of the impact on the deck of the ship. The ordinary tale of ocean adventure is getting too tame for up-to-date consumption.

That story about an alligator killing an eagle in the air sounds rather difficult, until you read that it was a baby alligator, and that the eagle flew away with it. According to the story, the representative of American freedom soon had reason to regret his enterprise.

The skull of a man supposed to belong to the earliest period of the earth was lately found in France, and from the conformation of the jaw it is plain the men of that time could not have laughed. But then life in the glacial period may have been no laughing matter.

The Baltimore woman who claimed that her husband allows her only two cents a day to run the house on, shows plainly what stamp of a husband he is. There can be no doubt in the minds of the unprejudiced that he is not the two-cent male there has been such praise about.

Socialistic candidates for congress received votes in 162 districts this year; Prohibitionist candidates in 15? districts. The strength of the two parties in the north and west, for the south contributed only four candidates out of the total, two Prohibitionists and two Socialists.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

EX-SENATOR HEALY IS DEAD.

Shining Legal Light of Iowa Answers Last Summons.

Fort Dodge.—Ex-Senator Thomas D. Healy died Jan. 15, after an illness of three weeks, death being due to pneumonia. He was born on a farm near Lansing, Iowa, and moved with his parents to Fort Dodge in 1883. Graduating from the University of Michigan law department he returned to Fort Dodge and was elected city attorney, that being his first public office. He soon gained fame in his chosen profession and for several years was connected with the legal department of the Chicago Great Western railroad. He was elected twice as state senator, for the counties of Webster and Calhoun. During his first term he was appointed on a special committee to investigate state institutions and report to the next session of the legislature. The present board of control grew out of the report of that committee and the bill which followed. He was a leading candidate for the position of federal judge to succeed Judge Shiras. The present judge Henry T. Reed was appointed to the position. In 1906 he was made district attorney for the Illinois Central railroad from Fort Dodge west and upon the death of James Knighte of Dubuque, recently, he was made attorney for the lines of the road west of the Mississippi, which position he held at the time of his death. The funeral will be held Monday morning at 9:30 from the Corpus Christi church.

$85 FOR TEN EARS OF CORN.

None of the Prices Reach Skyrocket Level Set At Last Year's Show.

Ames.—The highest price at the Ames short course corn sale was $85, which was paid by H. F. Patterson, business manager of the Iowa Agriculturist, for A. L. Plummer's championship ten ear sample. This is at the rate of $8.50 an ear, or nearly a cent a gernel. The championship thirty ears shown by C. R. Bishop of Altoona were purchased by the exhibitor for $65. Mr. Proudfit's championship bushel also went back to the grower at $76. The price brought by the championship single ear was something of a disappointment to those who looked for a repetition of some of the skyrocket prices of previous years. This ear was bought back by its grower, J. C. Frame, for $28. None of these prices are as spectacular as those made at the show two years ago when the record breaking price of $150 for a single ear was reached. The general average, however, was higher than it has ever been before. The entire proceeds amounted to $1,400, which was $400 more than last year's record.

SMALL POX AT RED OAK.

Public Gatherings of all Kinds Forbidden until January 18.

Red Oak.—The schools of Red Oak are closed, the corn school indefinitely postponed, the convening of the district court is postponed, the Monday club will not meet until further notice, the county spelling contest is postponed, and there will be no public gatherings until after January 18, in order to stamp out the smallpox epidemic here.

$200 For Iowa Corn Prize.

Mason City.—Owen T. Denison of this city has offered a premium of $200 for the best yield of corn raised in 1909 on ten acres in Cerro Gordo county. The premium will be awarded $100 for the best ten ears, $50 for the second best, $25 for the third best, $15 for the fourth best, and $10 for the fifth best. It is a unique plan of Mr. Denison to stimulate the farmers to more thorough cultivation of corn.

Contest Over $175,000.

Rockwell.—Unable to agree as to a division of the property which was left to them by the late Frances McMullen, who died last summer, worth $175,000, the heirs have made application to the district court to sell the entire property, eight farms, in this county. There are eighteen representatives interested in the estate.

Allison Library to People.

Dubuque.—The private library of the late Senator William B. Allison was turned over to the use of the public in the local Carnegie-Stout library institution by Mrs. Brayton, late housekeeper of Senator Allison, to whom it was left in his will. There are 5,000 volumes of well selected works.

MURDER AT UNION.

Holdup Man Killed The Proprietor of A Restaurant.

Union.—Linn Trimble was shot twice and instantly killed at his restaurant here by an unknown man, who atempted to hold up the restaurant keeper, his son and his wife, who were in the place at the time of the murder. Trimble and his family were in the restaurant about 11 o'clock when the man entered. He held the door with one hand and drew a revolver with the other, ordering the three to hold up their hands, and to give him their valuables. Thimble handed him one pocketbook and put his hand in his pocket for another. It is suposed the man thought that he intended to draw a gun for he fired instantly, shooting Trimble through the neck and the breast. Trimble died immediately. He was about 45 years of age and highly esteemed.

Suspect Caught in Alden.

Aden.—A man was arrested here whom the police believe to answer the description of the unknown slayer of Linn Trimble at Union. The man refuses to give his name or anything that might lead to his identification. He will be taken to Union for purposes of identification.

LENOX COMPLETES ITS $100,000.

Subscriptions Are Completed Three Months Ahead.

Hopkington.—Lenox college has just sprung into new prominence, not only by its success in securing $100,000 new endowment, but especially by the manner in which this feat was achieved. Active work began less than a year ago, and Jan. 1, 1909, was made the time limit, and it had all been completed and settled more than three months before that date, and the money raisers are now busy at other projects. This unusual condition has been heralded by the church papers and has given the college unexpected notoriety.

Another point which is quite unusual was that the subscriptions were of such a character that they could be at once turned into cash, and Mr. Carnegie promptly added his check for $25,000, acording to his previous promise. Other colleges have had to wait months and even years for a satisfactory adjustment with him.

LIQUOR FOES SPLIT.

Election of W. C. Barber Causes Break in Ranks.

Des Moines.—All the old animosity between the prohibition party and the anti-saloon league broke out afresh at the state convention of the constitutional amendment federation when W. C. Barber, state superintendent of the anti-saloon league was nominated for secretary. The impassioned prayers for a united and harmonious temperance body were then forgotten in a bitter war of words, and the prohibition party representatives left the hall. The representatives of the anti-saloon league, the W. C. T. U., the Intercollegiate association, and the state reform bureau were left in possession of the field and Superintendent Barber was unanimously elected secretary. The board then continued with the election of officers and formulating plans for the coming year.

Gambler's Den in Iowa Church.

Emmetsburg.—It has just leaked out that the janitor of one of the churches of this city has discovered a "den" within the sacred precincts of the church edifice. Far up among the rafters of the roof a platform had been built, making a snug little room, which had been fitted up with tables, chairs, etc., and plentifully supplied with cards, tobacco, books and magazines. The conspirators also had a private means of entrance cleverly hid among the posts and rafters, and the result was a cosy little den, secure by reason of its isolation and the solemn quiet of the church.

Dynamiter Hurt at Last.

Iowa City.—John Chesheck, dynamiter, braved the laws of chance for thirty-four years, but now he lies dangerously injured at Mercy hospital, with both eyes blown out and the side of his head crushed in. A dynamite charge struck by his bar at the E. J. C. Bealer quarries spent its force in his face. He was picked up unconscious by his two sons and by Mr. Bealer. Seven charges had been set off simultaneously by Mr. Chesheck and one failed to explode. He was trying to remove it.

CARROLL MADE IOWA GOVERNOR

FORMER AUDITOR OF STATE BECOMES CHIEF EXECUTIVE.

HOUSE GALLERIES ARE PACKED

Mrs. Carroll and Other Relatives Witness Bestowal of Iowa's Chief Office upon Kinsman.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 15.—Beryl F. Carroll took the oath of office as governor of the state of Iowa late yesterday afternoon before an audience made up of members of both houses of the Iowa general assembly, field officers of the Iowa National Guard, state officials, prominent men from every corner of the state and a large number of citizens of Des Moines. The house chamber, in which the ceremonies were held, blazed with the colors of the national flag, while the dress uniforms of the field officers of the National Guard added color to the setting.

Members of the families of Governor Carroll and Lieutenant-Governor Clarke occupied the official box, twenty people making up the party.

Before the ceremonies the Henry orchestra played in the rotunda, and later in the house itself, while the guardsmen, who acted as the guards and ushers of the occasion, seated the crowd. Following the music, the invocation by Rev. Mr. Thompson, and the administering of the oath to Governor Carroll and Lieutenant-Governor Clarke, Governor Carroll delivered his inaugural address.

Carroll, Native Iowan.

Gov. Beryl F. Carroll is a native born Iowa citizen and is 49 years old. He was born on a farm in Davis county March 15, 1860. He attended country school, then the high school at Agency, later the college at Bloomfield and finally the North Missouri Normal school at Kirksville. Here he met Miss Jennie Dodson, to whom he was married June 15, 1886. They have two sons, Paul, aged 18 years, and Jean, aged 7. Mr. Carroll taught school in his early youth, then engaged with a brother in the business of buying and selling stock, and later became editor of the Davis County Republican. In 1892 he was district elector for the Sixth congressional district. In 1895 he was elected as senator from the Third senatorial district and served in the Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh general assemblies, when he resigned to become postmaster at Bloomfield, which position he held until nominated for auditor of state in 1902. He served three terms in that capacity, but retired to become a candidate for governor, to which place he was elected at the last general election by an enormous vote.

Clemency to Oil Trust.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 15.—A month's delay in winding up its connections with the Standard Oil company of New Jersey was granted to the Waters-Pierce Oil company by the supreme court of Missouri. The original decree of the court ordered the Waters-Pierce concern to furnish a statement that it had taken steps to operate independently by Jan. 15 The decree gives until Feb. 15 in which to take this action. The $50,000 fine assessed against the company must be paid by March 1, the penalty for nonobservance of these court orders being a forfeiture of the company's charter.

Tie Victim to a Trestle.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 15.—Word reached here that William A. Anderson, a conductor on the Chesapeake burg to Pikeville, had been robbed brug to Pikeville, had been robbed and murdered. His body was taken out upon a high railroad trestle and bound to the rails, where it was struck by a freight train shortly afterward and badly mangled. There is no clew to the murderers.

Turkey Decides Against War.

Constantinople, Jan. 15.—The Turkish government accepts the Austro-Hungarian offer of 2,500,000 pounds Turkish ($10,800,000) indemnity for the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina, thus removing every possibility of war. The grand vizier, Kiamil Pasha, received Marquis Pallavicini the Austro-Hungarian ambassador, and notified him of the decision of the council ministers.

Sacrifices Self To Free Brother.

Rockford, Ill., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Matilda Fletcher Wiseman, wife of Rev. N. A. Wiseman founder and for many years pastor of Grace church at Des Moines, died here virtually sacrificing her life in a vain attempt to secure the release of her brother, George W Felts, from Joliet penitentiary where he is serving a life term for murder

MURDER; SUICID

FORMER ILLINOIS BANK EXAMINER COMMITS CRIME.

WOMEN DROWNED IN BAT

W. R. Seeley, a Former St. Joseph Mo., Banker, Suddenly Goes Insane in Seattle, Wash.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 18—W. Seeley, an attorney and former national bank examiner for Illinois under Controller of the Currency Eckels, his wife Mrs. Kate M. Seeley a member of the National Society the Daughters of the American Revolution, and his daughter, Miss Re Seeley, a student at the Universi of Washington, and a member Delta Gamma society, were fou dead in a bathroom of their house the fashionable Capital Hill distri yesterday. The victims had be dead since the previous Thursda The women, each of whom was cl in night robes, had been murdered being struck on the head, evident with a hammer There was no ma of violence on Seeley. He is believ to have been partially chlorofo and then drowned in the bath tub. three were kneeling at the side the bath tub with their heads s merged in the water. A steam trunk was on the bodies of Seeley a his wife.

That Seeley killed his wife a daughter while insane over financ worries and then committed suici is the theory of the coroner and t police. He was clothed in his und wear, shoes and trousers. His nig gown, which was bloodstained fr the bodies of the two women, w found beneath a clean pillow in room occupied by him and his w The pillow on which Mrs. Seeley been sleeping was saturated w blood. The bodies were found by C M. Smeltzer, who was the fiance Miss Seeley, and E. R. Seibell, friend of the family. The fam could not be communicated with a 9 o'clock Thursday night, w Swelser talked over the phone w Miss Seeley. Although keeping the appearance of prosperity. See had been forced to borrow money his last month's house rent from W. Wilshire, an attorney from wh he rented desk room in the New Y Life building. No articles of jewe or anything of value was taken fr the house. Every window and d was securely locked.

FUSILLADE ON A TRAIN.

Man Fatally Wounds Stranger Ting to Free Brother.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 18.—A s cial from Fort Smith says: Enter the car of an Iron Mountain tr here in which his brother, Gra Quinn, sat handcuffed to Police ficer Burgess of this city, who w taking Quinn to Little Rock to turned over to the military auth ties as a deserter, Lee Quinn open fire on the officer, Burgess return the fire and several of the passeng came to his assistance. Quinn af emptying his pistol jumped from train and escaped. During the fu lade one of the passengers, Ir Brassfield of Mulberry, Ark., recei what is believed will prove a f wound.

SEND BUILDING MATERIAL.

Secretary Newberry Outlines Re of Sufferers.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 18.—Sec tary of the Navy Newberry was his desk yesterday completing t general administration program for sending to Italy building mater for the construction of a large nu ber of small houses to shelter ear quake sufferers The first vessel be loaded will be the Eva. It estimated that she will hold enou material for about seven hundr houses. She will be ready to s today. Within three weeks, it is pected to have all the vessels load and on their way to Italy. In ad tion to the Eva, four or five oth vessels will be chartered as the g ernment intends to send enough m terial for from 2,500 to 3,000 hous

LIEUT. GOVERNOR QUITS.

Illinois Executive Hands in His Res nation.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 18.—On t eve of the expiration of his term lieutenant governor of Illinois, Jud Lawrence Y. Sherman sent his res nation to Governor Deneen. Jud Sherman will be unable to be pr ent at the inaugural ceremonies, b cause of an important law cas which demands his presence in Peor and this is given as his reason f resigning. In his absence Senator C. Pemberton, the retiring preside pro tem, will preside over the ear morning session of the senate a will officiate in the inaugural pr gramme.

State Capital Gossip

Many Items of Interest from Our Correspondent at Des Moines.

Great Law Force.

Des Moines.—In an address in this city, Attorney General Byers made the following statement:

We have in the state at this time about 3,000 constables, 99 sheriffs with from 125 to 150 deputies; we have 800 mayors and city marshals. Hundreds of policemen; we have 99 county attorneys with a grand jury in every county with 55 district judges; we have a supreme court, an attorney general and numerous state inspectors. What a tremendous power for the enforcement of the criminal laws of the state this great force would be if properly organized and if every man from the lowest to the highest could be made to perform his whole duty. Without opportunity to closely observe the workings of the law enforcing officers of this state the task may seem impossible; to me it is simple enough. Let the legislature make the governor or some other officer or state department, responsible for the conduct of peace officers, mayors and prosecuting attorneys by lodging with him the power to remove these officers, upon proper complaint, and after full hearing; and then establish a harmonious working relation between all of the law enforcing officers of the state with the power of supervision lodged with the head of the department of justice and the thing is accomplished, or as nearly so as it is possible with human instrumentalities.

Frame A New Tariff Law.

Governor Carroll has received applications for appointment as delegates from Iowa to the national tariff commission convention which will be held at Indianapolis, Feb. 16, 17 and 18, and he expects soon to announce his appointments in accordance with the request made recently by a number of prominent associations of manufacturers and jobbers in their formal call for the convention. Iowa is entitled to eleven delegates, one representing each of the congressional districts, to be named by the governor. The mayors of cities have also been asked to appoint delegates, as have all commercial or other organizations favorable to the plan for which the convention is called

Senate Committee Clerks.

Although unlooked-for, the row that has been brewing over senate committee clerks was precipitated in the upper house by a motion of Senator Gilliland. After the Mills county senator had opposed the concurrent resolution providing for adjournment from Thursday evening until Tuesday morning unsuccessfully, he made a motion that no committee clerks be sworn in until after the senate reconvened following the recess. After a sharp debate further consideration of the motion was postponed upon motion of Senator Peterson until after the house of representatives was heard from on the concurrent resolution. Senator Saunders opposed the motion.

Ellis Presents First Bill.

Representative Ellis, of Jackson, sprung House File No. 1, the first bill introduced at the Thirty-third General Assembly. It is a measure providing that the state appropriate $1,500 to remove the remains of former Governor Ansel Briggs from Omaha to Andrew, Jackson county, and that a monument be erected. Briggs was the first governor of Iowa, serving from 1846 to 1850. He is buried in a cemetery at Omaha, where his grave is not given attention. A similar bill was introduced at the last session but did not emerge from the committee.

Larger Salaries for Many Officers.

Representative Henry H. Boettger of Davenport has begun work on bills to raise the salaries of county officers. His first bill, increasing the per diem pay of township officers from $2 to $3, is completed and will be introduced soon. Township trustees, clerks and assessors are affected by this measure. All these officers now get $2 per diem for as many days as their services are required. Mr. Boettger believes they should be paid enough to make it worth while for good men to do this work. Other bills to increase the maximum for county officers and their clerks are being worked out by Mr. Boettger.

Chairmen of Senate Committees.

Ways and Means, Smith of Mitchell; judiciary, Dowell of Polk; appropriations, Maytag; railroads, Saunders; agriculture, Bruce; schools, Allen of Pocahontas; public health, Clark; cities and towns, Gilliland; banks, Stuckslager; insurance, Whipple; telegraphs, Mattes; corporations, Sammis; suppression of intemperance, Cosson; labor, Hunter; highways, Nichols; elections, Peterson; libraries, Savage; charitable institutions, Smith of Des Moines; printing, Larrabee; mines, Fitzpatrick; constitutional amendments, Burgess; congressional and judicial districts, Van Law; senatorial and representative districts, Bennett; military, Brown; compensation public officers, Seely; pharmacy, McCullagh; commerce and retail trade, Gates; penitentiaries, Allen of Van Buren; public builders, Frudden; horticulture, Taylor; fish and game, Francis; rules, Balkema; public lands, Wilson; engrossed bills, McMannus; enrolled bills, Adams.

Report The Baby Or Pay Fine.

Fond papas must make a report of the birth of a son or daughter to the district or county registrar of births, if a bill prepared for passage by the Thirty-third general assembly is acted upon favorably. And if papa, or mamma, or some other responsible person does not make the report and pay the filing fee of 50 cents, there will be a fine of from $10 to $200 or a jail sentence of sixty days, or both, as a penalty. All these things are provided in the measure that has been written by Dr. Louis J. Thomas, secretary of the state board of health, and he will ask the passage of the bill in order that the state's vital statistics may be complete. At present the physician in attendance is expected to report all births, but Dr. Thomas says this is a very unsatisfactory plan for the reason that the doctors are not prompt and often fail altogether to make their reports.

Reservoirs at Glenwood.

In the efforts which the state board has put forth to secure a supply of pure water for the state institution for feeble minded at Glenwood one after another difficulty has been met, the latest confronting the board being the necessity for a filtration plant, the water which was finally located and diverted to the institution's use being found so full of iron as to be almost useless.

To render the water fit for all purposes two huge cisterns or reservoirs are being constructed which will be used as settling basins. They will cost about $66,000. Each cistern will have a capacity of 165,000 gallons, requiring the excavation of 3,000 cubic yards of earth. The construction is of cement, the walls being almost two feet thick. Almost a trainload of material will go into their construction, 320,000 pounds of cement and crushed rock being required.

Carroll Announces his Aides.

Announcement has been made of the appointees to be connected with the executive offices under Governor Carroll.

Private secretary—C. C. Nye of Des Moines.

Pardon clerk—Anna D. Cummins of Des Moines.

Requisition clerk—H. Wood of Sioux City.

General clerk—C. M. Snyder of Mount Pleasant.

Stenographer and clerk—Winifred P. Dobson of Des Moines.

Messenger—Thomas J. Bell of Sioux City.

First Senate Bill Introduced.

Senate file No. 1 will be known throughout the Thirty-third assembly as the insurance department bill. Senator C. C. Dowell of Polk county introduced the bill immediately after Governor Clarke had announced his appointments of committees. It went to the insurance committee. The bill carries provision for an insurance commissioner at $3,500 to be appointed by the governor and confirmed by the senate to have charge of the insurance supervision of the state. It is understood that the insurance companies are inclined to ask that the appointment be lodged with the executive council.

Carroll a Native Iowan.

B. F. Carroll is the first native born Iowan to be inaugurated governor of the state.

GOVERNOR CARROLL

IOWA'S NEW EXECUTIVE ADDRESSES THE ASSEMBLY.

THE INAUGURAL ADDRESS

Calls the Attention of the Law Makers of Iowa to Needed Legislation.

Members of the Thirty-first General Assembly and Fellow Citizens of Iowa.

Conscious of the great responsibility that has been placed upon me by having been elected as your chief executive, I have taken this most solemn obligation required by our constitution and laws, and through the help of Divine Providence and by your aid and assistance I shall endeavor to fulfill it to the utmost of my ability. Fully realizing that to assume the duties of governor of our state is no light or trivial undertaking, I most solemnly implore the guidance of an over-ruling Providence and earnestly request the co-operation of all the people of our commonwealth to the end that I may succeed in giving you an administration that shall result in the greatest good to our citizens, and in promoting and advancing the many interests of our state. Notwithstanding the duties and responsibilities that must be assumed, I am, nevertheless, profoundly grateful for the high honor that has been conferred upon me.

Take no Backward Steps.

That great and substantial progress has been made in the direction of corporation regulation, I believe all will agree, but there is much yet to be done. There is, however, in all reform as in all periods of unusual prosperity, great danger of reaction. What shall we have accomplished if after all the effort that has been put forth, both by the state and the nation, to bring about reforms along the lines suggested, with all the attendant agitation and interference with business conditions necessarily resulting therefrom, we are to slacken our energy or lessen our efforts to secure better regulation and control of corporate interests.

The question of the right and duty of the state to regulate and control, not only its own corporations, but those seeking to do business within its borders, is so well established as not to need any argument in its support.

How to Amend the Laws.

We have recently had all of the laws passed since 1897 codified and printed in the form of a Supplement to the Code. This codification reveals the fact that in a number of instances amendments to the laws were attempted, which by reason of improper references, are of questionable validity I desire to submit for your consideration the inquiry as to whether it would not be wise and desirable in amending any section of the law that the section be rewritten as it would appear when amended. By this means there is, in reality, a codification of the laws brought down to date of last amendment.

Primary Election Law.

The last regular session of the General Assembly enacted a law providing that all nominations for state, congressional, legislative and county offices, except for judges of the various courts, shall be made by a vote of the people at a primary election to be held in the month of June of the year in which a general election is to be held.

There is one thing, that causes me to fear that the statute may not meet with final approval, that is, the apparent inability of the voter to acquaint himself with the candidates, especially for the minor state officers and those below the head of the ticket.

There seems to be some grounds for the belief that the candidate whose name appears first among the list of candidates does secure some advantage over others. If this be true and a reasonable means can be found whereby to obviate the difficulty it should be done, as all candidates should so far as is possible, stand upon absolutely equal footing.

Each county should meet the expense of its own primary the same as it does the expense of the general election. By such means better economy will be observed and less friction in the payment of claims will follow.

I am impressed with the idea, also, that perhaps June is not the best month in the year for holding the primary. I am inclined to believe that March would be a more satisfactory time.

Simplify the Ballot.

I believe the method of voting should be such that it can be accomplished with ease rather than with effort and that every voter should decide for himself as to whether he desires to vote a straight or a mixed ticket, and once having decided the question he should be enabled to carry out his wishes in the easiest and most expeditious manner. I know of no way to provide him such means better than to restore the circle to the ballot.

Tariff Revision.

Our people are not only in harmony with the declaration of the party platform upon the subject of tariff, but they are in accord with the President and with Congress in the enactment of the many reform measures that have found their way into the statute books of the nation in recent years, and there is a sincere desire that such additional laws be enacted as are necessary to make these statutes more effective.

Protect Our Resources.

It is possible that our people, without stopping to consider the matter, do not fully realizes the relation of our state to the very important and far reaching subject of conserving our resources and its bearing upon our future welfare. We have well nigh reached the period already at which our forests are gone. Our supply of coal, while apparently almost inexhaustable, is being mined at an enormous rate and it is apparent that in some parts of the state, at least, the soil is not being protected as it should. However, the waste of the soil itself is scarcely more subject to criticism than is the waste of the products of the soil. Frugality and the absence of it clearly mark the difference between the successful and the unsuccessful man. Especially is this true of them who reside upon the farms. The former who plows the corners, cultivates the fence rows, houses the machinery, shelters the live stock and leaves no forage or grain to waste in the fields is the man who usually has a bank account. Our people will have learned a great lesson, taken a great step in advance when they shall have reached the conclusion that it is more profitable to farm fewer acres and do it better. Landlordism is no particular advantage to our country. While there can be no objection to a man who does not reside upon a farm owning a reasonable number of acres, the owning of the farm by the man who tills it should be encouraged. The marked improvement, however, in farming and all kinds of agricultural pursuits in recent years is very gratifying and furnishes ample proof of the fact that there are still greater things in store for the future.

A Commission on Conservation of Natural Resources.

It has been suggested that a commission be created for the purpose of studying the natural resources of the state and recommending to the people such measures as may be employed to conserve those which are in danger of being exhausted and to develope those whose power and usefulness have remained latent, but which by proper effort might be brought into use. Especially is it desirable that careful consideration be given to the possibility of utilizing some of the larger streams of the state as a means of transportation and for furnishing power for the generating of electricity and the running of machinery thereby serving the double purpose of not only furnishing power and convenience in transportation, but also, indirectly protecting the coal fields and other natural resources of the state.

I believe that the commercial organizations of the various cities of the state which have already taken up the study of the conservation and development of our natural resources, would be glad to concentrate their efforts and contribute of their funds toward the maintenance of such a commission if the state will lend its moral influence and support to the proposition. It has, therefore, occurred to me that it might be profitable to consider the creation of a commission on conservation and development of natural resources, which should consist of at least five members, each of the five largest commercial clubs or business men's associations of various cities of the state naming one member, the expense of the members and of the commission to be borne by the association represented, or it might be advisable to permit each club of the state desiring membership in such commission to name one member, if the club is willing to bear its share of the expense as above provided. I would not, however, deem it wise that the membership of the commission exceed ten or fifteen at most.

A Merchant Marine.

In my judgment our nation needs to be thoroughly aroused to the necessity for the re-establishment of a merchant marine. While we have been making great and rapid progress in almost every line or branch of trade, industry or business enterprize, we have signally failed as to a merchant marine. Some obvious reason exist why this nation has not been able to compete with other nations in the matter of shipping upon the high seas.

I am not arguing for ship subsidies. I hope some other solution to the question can be found. The necessity for the establishment of this great enterprise is all that I am considering.

Domestic Commerce.

I want to commend the action of the commercial clubs, not only of our capital city, but of other cities of the state, in their efforts to learn the facts as to discriminations and to remove any existing disadvantages to our people. I trust that you, as members of the General Assembly, will interest yourselves in these matters and if you find additional legislation needed to protect our interests along the lines above suggested, such legislation should be promptly enacted.

Public Utilities Commission.

The question of the establishment of a commission to regulate and control the public utilities of the state has been discussed to a greater or less extent by some of our people and is, in my judgment, a subject worthy of your careful consideration.

This whole subject is one far reaching in its effect and of great importance to all of our people. In my judgment its consideration cannot and should not be ing deferred. I believe that it is entitled now to your most thoughtful consideration.

A Revenue Commission.

It is proposed that a commission be appointed for the purpose of making a study of the question of revenues and taxation, which commission shall report to the next session of the General Assembly a bill embodying a proposed new law upon the question of taxation. Our past experience with such a commission has not been very satisfactory, the report of one or more such commissions having been rejected by the legislature, but the magnitude and importance of an attempted revision of the revenue laws is such that in my judgment it could not, with satisfaction, be accomplished during a regular session of the legislature unless the preparation of the bill is made during a recess.

Revision of School Laws.

The Thirty-second General Assembly created a commission to consider and report to this session of the legislature, a proposed revision of the entire school laws of the state. The work has been done and the report is now before you for consideration.

The Auditor's Office.

Having recently retired from the office of Auditor of State, I trust that you will not deem it improper if I make a few observations as to the affairs of that office. It is generally recognized, not only by our own people, but by all those who are acquainted with the various interests now supervised by the Auditor, as being one of the very important offices of the state. I know from experience, that the enormous amount of work connected with the various departments makes it almost impossible for anyone to familiarize himself with all the details of the office and with the law with reference thereto, so as to know when the several departments are being properly managed and supervised.

I can say to you with assurance that I know whereof I speak, that neither time nor human endurance makes it possible for any man to personally supervise the auditing department, the revenue department, the insurance department, the banking department, the municipal accounting department and to serve as a member of the Executive Council with the enormous amount of business now connected with each of the branches of the Auditor's office and the rapid increase in the business of each and all of them. I say it is impossible for any man to do all of the above without great injustice to himself or to some of the various interests of the state entrusted to his care. I do not now care to pursue this discussion to the extent of suggesting how relief should be given to this department of our state government. That I shall leave for you to consider, but I am deeply in earnest as to the necessity for some action to be taken with reference thereto.

Fees and Ped Diem.

I have for a long time believed that in so far as it becomes possible the per diem and fee systems or compensation should be abolished. The more I observe the workings of each the more thoroughly I become convinced that they are wrong.

I believe that in almost every instance where the per diem system now prevails the scope of the work to be performed is such that it can readily be determined what would be a reasonable compensation therefor and that in all such cases a fixed salary should be provided.

Documents and Printing.

In my judgment, your committee on printing should look carefully into the question of the number of reports and documents that are now provided for in order to determine whether or not an unnecessarily large number of some of them is not now printed, also, to see if the demand for some kinds of reports and documents may not have increased so as to make it desirable that a larger number be supplied.

Law Enforcement.

Laws ought to be enforced, they should be strictly enforced. If perchance they be too drastic, let them be amended, but let them at all times be obeyed. Laxness in law enforcement leads to a disregard for the law itself and to disrespect for and distrust of public officials. In the main, I believe the people will be given just such official service as they demand.

Legislative Responsibility.

Members of the General Assembly in closing I want to assure you that I fully appreciate the important position of the legislator, as I have been privileged to occupy a seat in your honorable body. No greater responsibility rests upon any official than the responsibility resting upon the men who make the laws. The executive or administrative officer who is faithful to duty will carry into effect the laws which he finds upon the statute books. Therefore, the responsibility of determining the effect of a statute should rest with the legislature.

Our people are justly proud of our state and of its institutions and we should write it upon the tablets of our hearts and emblazon it upon our banners that in comparison with other states and with the institutions of other states there shall be none better than our own.

MORE PINKHAM CURES

Added to the Long List due to This Famous Remedy.

Camden, N.J.— "It is with pleasure that I add my testimonial to your already long list—hoping that it may induce others to avail themselves of this valuable medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I suffered from terrible headaches, pain in my back and right side, was tired and nervous, and so weak I could hardly stand. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored me to health and made me feel like a new person, and it shall always have my praise." —Mrs. W. P. VALENTINE, 902 Lincoln Avenue, Camden, N. J.

Gardiner, Me.— "I was a great sufferer from a female disease. The doctor said I would have to go to the hospital for an operation, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound completely cured me in three months."— Mrs. S. A. WILLIAMS, R. F. D. No. 14, Box 39, Gardiner Me.

Because your case is a difficult one, doctors having done you no good, do not continue to suffer without giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. It surely has cured many cases of female ills, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing-down feeling, indigestion, dizziness, and nervous prostration. It costs but a trifle to try it, and the result is worth millions to many suffering women.

Teacher's Orders.

"Here, ma!" requested the boy, hurrying in from school before time; "hang my jacket up behind the stove."

"Is it wet?"

"No; but teacher sent me home to tell you to warm my jacket for me!"—Judge.

Wagner Fooled the Critics.

Here is a story of Wagner's visit to London in 1855: After the first Philharmonic concert the critics reproached him for conducting a Beethoven symphony without the score. At the second concert, to satisfy his audience, Wagner had a "partition" on his desk, which he frequently consulted. The critics declared the improvement was marked. The score, however, was Rossini's "Barbier de Seville."

He Wouldn't Sell.

The owner of a small country estate decided to sell his property, and consulted an estate agent in the nearest town about the matter. After visiting the place the agent wrote a description of it, and submitted it to his client for approval.

"Read that again," said the owner, closing his eyes and leaning back in his chair contentedly.

After the second reading he was silent a few moments, and then said, thoughtfully: "I don't think I'll sell. I've been looking for that kind of a place all my life, but until you read that description I didn't know I had it! No, I won't sell now."—Exchange.

HER MOTHER-IN-LAW

Proved a Wise, Good Friend.

A young woman out in Ia. found a wise, good friend in her mother-in-law, jokes notwithstanding. She writes:

"It is two years since we began using Postum in our house. I was greatly troubled with my stomach, complexion was blotchy and yellow. After meals I often suffered sharp pains and would have to lie down. My mother often told me it was the coffee I drank at meals. But when I'd quit coffee I'd have a severe headache.

"While visiting my mother-in-law I remarked that she always made such good coffee, and asked her to tell me how. She laughed and told me it was easy to make good 'coffee' when you use Postum.

"I began to use Postum as soon as I got home, and now we have the same good 'coffee' (Postum) every day, and I have no more trouble. Indigestion is a thing of the past, and my complexion has cleared up beautifully.

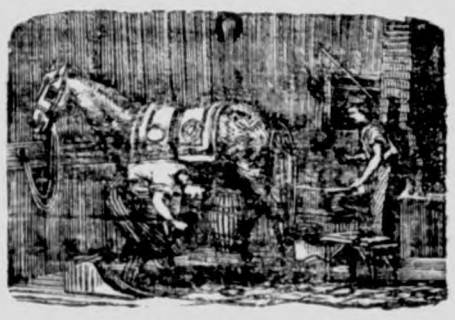
"My grandmother suffered a great deal with her stomach. Her doctor told her to leave off coffee. She then took tea but that was just as bad.

"She finally was induced to try Postum which she has used for over a year. She traveled during the winter over the greater part of Iowa, visiting, something she had not been able to do for years. She says she owes her present good health to Postum."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Something doing in this space next week.



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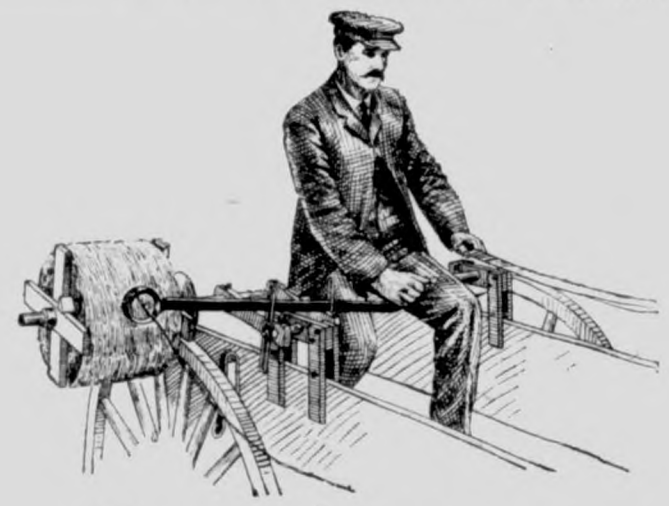

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Yes Sir! We mean just what we say. "A penna saved means a penna earned" and you can do this by going to H. Lau & Son and buy you a first-class "A Grade Surrey" and top buggy and Dane mower and Dane hay loaders, buckers, stackers, 20 century Kemp manure spreaders. You can also buy cultivator plows, binders, mowers, hay rakes, Jones scales, harnesses, flynets, lap dusters, whips, oils of all kinds, tile spades, barb and smoot wires, fence stapels and other farm implements. Royal Tailors tight fit suits. They will keep style and collor, fit guaranteed.

H. Lau & Son.

Subscribers who are more than One Year in arrears to the Times, are requested to pay up at ONCE.

WHAT IMPRESSED THE RUSSIAN.

American Gastronomical Delicacy Had Appealed to Him.

Recently a member of the Russian revolutionary party, who had been through all sorts of exciting vicissitudes in his native country, was on a visit to the United States.

Wishing to be polite to him and talk on those subjects nearest the Russian's heart a gentleman who met him asked all sorts of questions about the Douma, the Czar, dynamite, and everything else which he adjudged interesting to the foreigner.

Then, when he could think of nothing more about Russia, he turned the conversation in this direction:

"I suppose that you find America a striking contrast to your own country—full of liberty and respect for everybody's rights. It must seem peculiar to you to note how little the government interferes with citizens as they go about their daily work. And the absence of soldiers—that must strike you as strange after Russia. I feel sure that it must. Tell me, sir, what is it that you like best about America?"

The Russian's eyes lighted up.

"Waffles," he replied.

DINER KNEW WAITER'S TRICKS.

Had No Intention of Paying for Other's Carelessness.

When the three men sat down the leader of the trio began a minute inspection of the tablecloth. Presently he put his finger on several little scorched spots.

"See this?" he said to the waiter.

"Yes, sir."

"Well," said the man, "just bear in mind, won't you, that these holes were here when we came in, and when we get through don't tack a dollar onto our bill to pay for burned table linen."

"That's all right," said the waiter. "I'll look out for that."

The order having been given the cautious diner elucidated his remarks still further. "That is a trick those fellows have," he said. "Somebody burns the tablecloth with sparks from a cigar and gets away before the damage is discovered, and the next comer, if he happens to be a smoker, is blamed for his predecessor's sins, and is charged with the cost of the linen. I have had to pay well for other people's carelessness, so nowadays I make it a point to examine tablecloths at the beginning of a meal."

Splitting the Difference.

When jurymen in Stony Gulch disagree, there is usually some member whose influence, backed by his recognized "handiness" with a gun, carries the day. "Some thought he'd ought to get $3,000 damage, and some thought $4,000," said Bud Lewis, referring to a recent case, "but I persuaded 'em to compermise."

"Indeed!" said the stranger, with a wary eye on Mr. Lewis' gun, which he seemed to be fondling in rather a careless way. "What sort of compromise?"

"I put it to 'em, 'Why not split the difference and call it $500?' And when I'd brought my reason to bear on 'em," said Bud, with a loving gaze at his weapon of defense, "they all come round to that compermise in no time." Youths' Companion.

A Thirteenth Century Drink.

Thirteenth century tastes in food had few limitations. Besides the "fowl of Africa and the rare gadwit of Ionia" mentioned by Fitzstephen, gourmets in the time of King John used to regale themselves on herons, cranes, crows, storks, cormorants and bitterns. Some would wash their meals down with wine, but the majority drank mead or metheglin. Mead, according to Holinshed, was only the washing of the combs after the honey had been taken from them, and so poor a beverage that it had to be spiced, peppered or made palatable with sweetbriar or thyme. But metheglin contained one hundredweight of honey to 24 gallons of water, and must have been much more intoxicating than the strongest old ale of the present day.

How an Alaska Hunter Got a Bear.

Joe Kanaka, a Jap, was in pursuit of large game a few days ago in the vicinity of Knik. Instead of being armed with a thirty-thirty or any firearm he carried only a coil of rope. Seeing a black bear feeding near a prospector's trail he sprang upon the bear's back and quickly had a noose of the rope around Bruin's neck.

The Jap held to one end of the rope and succeeded in tangling the bear in its coils, but the bear tore Kanaka's clothing to shreds. When the bear was thoroughly tangled the Jap beat him into submission and led him into Knik.—Valdez Prospector.

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The City Dray Line

Will do your coal and other hauling at reasonable rates. Leave your orders at the store or ring up No. 37.

ELL BROS. Klemme, Iow

German M. E. Church Items

F. C. Griewe is filling his ice house this week.

Mother Friedow was on the sick list the first of the week.

Rev. C. A. Schuldt was canvassing nursery stock among our farmers in Germantown this week.

Horace Merten who teaches in district No. 4, attended the revival meetings one evening.

Both Sunday schools will elect delegates next Sunday to attend the convention to be held in Garner, March 1-4.

Mrs. Smoker of Vincent, a schoolmate of Anna Griewe during their college days, is visiting at the Griewe mansion.

We are glad to report that Henry Luedeke is improving nicely in the Iowa City hospital. His sister Sarah is expected home this week.

Mrs. H. Griewe suffered severe pain all of last week in her shoulders, neck and head, caused by a fall several weeks previous.

W. J. Schmidt has a little lumbering camp of his own these days. He is felling all of the poplar trees on his place. Later he will have them sawed into lumber.

Carl Wellemeyer is loading his household goods in Garner to-day. He will ship them to Greely, which is the nearest railroad point to his destination. We regret the removal of Mr. and Mrs. Wellemeyer from our midst.

The revival meetings in Germantown are still in progress. Tho' the weather has been anything but favorable and we have had all sizes of audiences, the interest has steadily been increasing. They will likely be concluded with this week.

The old saying is, if you want anything done you must get a busy person to do it. This is verified by a man in Canton, O. who is the janitor of one of the public schools. His work requires him to labor from five in the morning until nine at night five days in the week and on Saturdays he clerks in a clothing store. Yet he has found time to organize an adult Bible class of 135 members of which he is teacher.

Our Germantown Sunday school is making a special effort this year to increase the interest and attendance of the adult classes. Some of the teachers have organized their classes and elected a secretary, treasurer, field secretary and are getting down to thorough work. This is in line with the new movement all over America. Let us get away from the idea that the Sunday school is for children only. There are now more than 2300 organized adult Bible classes in the State of Iowa. Kossuth Co. leads with 124 classes.

Fred Fluhrer is visiting Germantown relatives this

Rev. C. A. Schuldt pr in the Germantown church day evening.

Miss Minnie Markham, elementary grade worker speak in Klemme in the G E. church this evening Sunday school workers the churches should atte

IDEAS FOR THE HOSTE

Some Novel and Simple Ways tertain Guests.

A Handkerchief Shower.

This affair for a prospecti was arranged in a very clever Twelve intimate friends were to luncheon with the request the gift "mouchoir" rolled up smallest package possible. B ing to the dining-room the took all the packages and disa When luncheon was announc one voice the guests exclaim pretty." Suspended from the lier there was an inverted umbrella, from each rib ther smaller umbrella and from t by ribbons there was a gilde ing can the sprinkler of whic holes with baby ribbons of colors coming out. At the en ribbon there was a tightly ro age. The effect was lovely. cards were miniature "Jap" with the cards tied to the The candle shades were or with these same tiny paras small lanetrns filled with puffed rice were at each pla mint sherbert, which was the had smilax twined around glass with another little um the top of the glass.

THE CHILDREN LI KENNEDY'S LAXA COUGH SYRU

Good Old Stock.

"Have ye anny ancisters, ly?" asked Mrs. O'Brien.

"An' what's ancisters?"

"Why, people you shprung

"Listen to me, Mrs. O'Bri Mrs. Kelly, impressively. "I the rale stock of Donah shpring from nobody. The at thim!"

NOTICE.

In the District Court of County, Iowa. Febr Term, 1909.

In the matter of the Application of George A. Pabst to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors for lawful purposes only.

To Whom it May Concer

Notice is hereby given th plication of George A. Pab istered pharmacist No. 7 business under the firm George A. Pabst & Co., pra permit to buy, keep and s cating liquors for lawful only in the first story and of the frame building situat One (1) in Block Eleven Original Town of Klemme County, Iowa, will be on office of the Clerk of the Court of Hancock County. or before the 4th day of Feb D., 1909, and that said appli come on for hearing at the term of said Court to be held at the Court House in said County, on the 15th da ruary, A. D., 1909.

Dated this 6th day of Ja D., 1909.

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THE KLEMME TIMES

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LOCAL NEWS

Do not forget to read State Savings ad.

Oysters direct from Baltimore at Kluckhohn's.

Jan. 22 Both programme and supper for 25c. The R. N. A.

We call your attention to the G A. Pabst & Co. new ad. this week.

R. N. A. programme and oyster supper at Opera House, Jan. 22.

The weather the past few days has been warmer with a heavy fog this Thursday.

Mrs. A. B. Shafer and Mrs. Lemon and son were at Garner Tuesday visiting friends.

H. C. Lau, our north elevator man, has a change of ad in this issue which he cal's your attention to read.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

A City Marshal is an officer that this town is very much in need of. One was very much needed the other evening.

The Farmers Institute will be held at Britt, Jan. 26-27, in Garner, Jan. 28-29. All farmers and others should attend these meetings. Many good subjects will be discussed.

To have good health live long and happy, follow the advise of the greatest health specialist—take a physic once a week Do this and you won't know what a sick day is. Hollister's rocky mountain tea the safest physic. 35c. G A Pabst & Co.

Jim Carothers of Garner, has the contract for filling the F. C. Griewe ice house. John Henschen and Louis Sampson are doing the artistic work inside. The ice is 18 inches thick and is nice and clean.

Our Twin Lake correspondent has been writing regular of late and good news at that. We will be obliged to make a change with some of our correspondents if we do not hear from them within the next two weeks.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

There's a dandy ad of the State Savings Bank.

Fresh oysters always on hand at Kluckhohn's. tf.

Miss Grace McKee of Garner, visited at the J. W. Scott family over Sundav.

Wm. Bachman of Avery township, is erecting a barn. Dimensions will be 64x44

R. N. A. will give a programme and oyster supper at Opera House, Jan. 22nd.

H. Thiemann, Aug. Barz, Herman Schuldt and Fred Haupt were at Garner on Monday.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

Read the market report. Bring your produce to Klemme and receive the highest market price.

This office would be pleased to receive quite a few renewals on the Times the first of the year. We need the money.

Last Tuesday Prof. Houghton was installed Foreman of Homestead No. 1084 of Brotherhood of American Yeomen.

Friday a few inches of snow fell and Saturday the farmers took advantage of it and came to town in their bob sleighs.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson, relatives of Lew Lewis and family arrived last week Saturday from Balaton, Minn. for a week's visit.

We call your attention to the Elmer Ludeke ad. at head of local page. He has what you want in the line of clothing and guarantees a fit.

Frank Kluckhohn attended Oddfellows Lodge at Goodell last week and was installed as Warden by J. L. Manuel of Britt the D. D. G. M.

The healing, soothing refreshing action of Hollister's rocky mountain tea cleanses and regulates the bowls, tones and purifies the stomach, increases nerve force. Makes you well keeps you well. Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co

Terhufen Bros. will be heard from in a space ad. in next week's issue. If their goods arrive tn time they expect to open up for business sometime next week.

There will be a Programme and Basket Social at the M. Palmby school house two miles east of Klemme on Tuesday evening Jan. 22nd. Ladies are requested to bring baskets. All are cordially invited to attend.
Gertrude Parker, Teacher.

NOTICE—I am prepared to teach tapestry painting, new Mexican pigment painting also pyrography or burnt wood at the house. Ladies please call.
24-2 Mrs. J. Josten.

There will be a Basket Social January 29, 1909 at the Newberger School four miles east of town. A good humorous program is being prepared. All come and give us a hearty support.
25-2 Laila M. Reed, Teacher.

PRESIDENT HELPS ORPHANS.

Hundreds of orphans have been helped by the President of the Industrial and Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga. who writes: We have used Electric Bitters in this institution for nine years. It has proved a most excellent medicine for stomach liver and kidney troubles. We regard it as one of the best family medicines on earth. It invigorates the vital organs purifies the blood aids digestion creates appetite. To strengthen and build up thin pale weak children or run down people it has no equal. Best for female complaints. Only 50c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

Aug. Wenz did business at Garner on Wednesday.

F. A Arnold transacted business at Garner on Monday.

C. C Suckow and Fred Henschen were Garner visitors on Monday.

O. E. Carlson will farm the Chas. Schroeder farm the coming season.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy
Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

Mrs. C. H. Mann of Garner, visited with her son and family over Sunday.

Frank Kluckhohn visited with his—well, cousin, at Bancroft over Sunday.

Elko Buss who has been visiting at Ackley, Waterloo and Iowa Falls, returned Saturday.

W. R. Bloom shipped one car load of hogs and H. Lau one car load of hogs Sunday morning.

Pocahontas smokeless coal at the North Elevator. It's good stuff. Try it. 1w

Miss Grace Blank left Monday for Wilmont, Minn. where she will visit her brother Will and family.

J. Baumgaertner and E. G. Ell left Wednesday evening for Dows where they are taking in the poultry show.

H Schroeder shipped two car loads of cattle from Forest City to Chicago on Sunday morning Henry went along.

C. J. Kraus who has been confined to his house the past two months with rheumatism, was seen on our streets Saturday.

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FOR SALE—My 6 H. P. gasoline engine. Will trade same for a good horse.
25 2 C. J. Kraus.

Joe Johnson shipped three car loads of cattle from Klemme Sunday morning. Joe Johnson, Aug. Arvidson and Chas. Anderson went along.

CAME NEAR CHOKING TO DEATH.

A little boy the son of Chris. D. Peterson a well known resident of the village of Jacksonville, Iowa had a sudden and violent attack of croup. Much thick stringy phlegm came up after giving chamberlain's cough remedy. Mr. Peterson says: I think he would have choked to death had we not given him this remedy. For sale by G A Pabst & Co.

Twin Lake School Dist. No. 1.

Report for month ending Jan. 15, 1909:

Number enrolled	30
Average attendance	25

The following were neither absent nor tardy:
Edwin Josten
Emil Lau
Fred Etchen
Ben Schwichtenberg
John Swalve
Vida Houghton
Elsie Josten
Clara Swalve
Lena Swaloe

Fred Haupt, J. D. G. Houghton,
Director. Teacher.

DON'T GET A DIVORCE.

A western judge granted a divorce on account of ill-temper and bad breath. Dr King's New life pills would have prevented it. They cure consumption, causing bad breath and liver trouble the ill-temper, dispel colds, banish headaches, conquer the chills. 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

Chris. Hansen	Goodell
C. J. Kraus	Klemme
J. D. Bachman	Goodell

A HORRIBLE HOLD-UP.

About ten years ago my brother was held up in his work health and happiness by what was believed to be hopeless cousumption writes W. R. Lipscomb of Washington, N. C. He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man today. It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lung hemorrhages coughs and cold bronchitis lagrippe asthma and all bronchial affections. 50c and $100. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co.

Twin Lake.

Miss Hulda Stiehl visited over Sunday at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tanner were in Garner last Friday.

Ida Schwichtenberg is sewing for Mrs Wm. Nuehring this week.

Aug. Stille and family visited with Prull's and other relatives in Germantown on Sunday.

Have you noticed that John Tanner is all smiles these days? Why shouldn't he smile so long as the troubles are little ones. A new son arrived at their home on Monday. Mrs Aug. Stille and Flora Schoenwetter cared for the new comer. Those concerned are getting along nicely.

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often receive severe burns putting out fires then use Bucklen's arnica salve and forget them. It soon drives out pain. For burns, scalds, wounds, cuts and bruises it earth's greatest healer. Quickly cures skin eruptions old sores, boils, ulcers, felons; best pile cure made. Relief is instant, 25c at G. A. Pabat & Co.

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The Child's Viewpoint.

Percy Alder, M. P., of London, told an amusing story of a small girl at a recent meeting of the Children's Happy Evenings association. The child had been sent away to the country for a holiday, and questioned as to what in all her holiday had pleased her most, this little slum maiden, whose London home adjoined a waste piece of land, replied: "Seeing no dead cats."

Birds Not Afraid of Man.

Among southern African birds which manifest wonderful tameness is the Cape wagtail, which not only penetrates to the living room in search of flies, but will pick them from the old Boer's velschoons as he sits on his stoep, and perch about his chair.

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. Elise shared her stateroom with a Mrs. Graham, also bound for Canada. The young women on a sightseeing tour met Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented by the trio for the summer. Elizabeth learned that a friend of her father's was to call. Two men called, one of them being the queer-acting stranger on the steamer. The girls were "not at home," but discovered by the cards left that one of the men was Elizabeth's father's friend. The men proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett. The party was told of the search for smugglers in the vicinity of the cottage. Elise visited Mrs. Graham to find that her life was not the happiest. She learned that the Grahams and Lady Edith were acquainted. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. During a storm the young women heard a crash in the basement of the cottage and a moment later Mary Anne, their woman servant, entered, her arm bleeding. To assure them there was no danger, Mary Anne descended to the basement alone and quieted their fears. Lady Edith told the girls of a robbery of jewels at the hotel. Fearing for the safety of her own gems, she left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his queer actions, returned the lost bag and told of mysterious doings of a year before connected with the cottage. Exploring the cellar, one of the girls found a sphinx cuff-button, the exact counterpart of which both Gordon Bennett and Lady Edith were found to possess, also. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. The young women agreed to keep the secret. Lady Edith told a story of a lost love in connection with the sphinx key. Elise and Gordon Bennett discovered Lady Edith and Mr. Graham, the latter displaying a marvelous baritone voice.

CHAPTER X.—Continued.

"It is all very well for you to laugh," she remarked, "but you don't even know whether there is as much as a cracker in the house. I'll have to go to the village and see what I can find."

I really sympathized with Elizabeth and tried to show it in a practical manner.

"Suppose I do the marketing. I love poking round in those queer little shops."

"You'd buy whatever they told you," she returned, ungratefully, "and probably come home with a leg of mutton and a head of cabbage for a picnic supper. No—I'll send Mary Anne; that will be best of all."

Mary Anne, as usual, came nobly to the rescue.

"It's not the first supper I've spread on the rocks," she said, "and most likely it won't be the last. So rest easy, Miss Elizabeth, fur well I know how to purvide and there's nothin' to worrit yerself over at all. Though why folks should want to do sich things when they might set up at a table and eat like Christians, I can't fur the life of me make out."

Gabrielle repeated this speech as we sat around our fire that night and watched the waves break against the rocks, sending up little fountains of foam that sparkled in the moonlight. Her hands were clasped about her knees, and her hair glistened here and there where the spray had touched it.

"Of course," said Lord Wilfrid, "one could not expect the lower classes to understand the subtle fascination of an evening like this."

"Wilfrid knows so little of the lower classes," interposed Lady Edith; "wouldn't it be better, dear, to give them the benefit of a doubt? They may enjoy the beauties of nature in their own way, you know, although it is, of course, quite different from yours."

It was a very innocent little speech, laughingly uttered, yet Lord Wilfrid's face darkened disagreeably and he pulled his cap down over his eyes in a manner distinctly irritable. Evidently he brooked no criticism, however slight, and I wondered whether this was the effect of his illness or his natural disposition. His sister looked at him a moment, then turned to Elizabeth with a perfunctory remark about the beauty of the night. She never noticed his sulky moods, although they occurred quite often, and was always ready to respond with a smile or a cheerful word when he deigned to be pleasant again.

Elizabeth laid her hand on Lady Edith's with a caressing gesture. She said afterward that she was glad she had done it, for at the moment she quite hated Lord Wilfrid and knew from the way his sister's hand clasped hers that she needed sympathy.

They sat together upon a large flat rock with their backs against a higher boulder, while Mr. Blake and Mr. Graham sat at their feet, feeding the fire with bits of driftwood and casting appreciative glances at the picture just above them.

I thought Mr. Blake looked as though he envied Elizabeth and would have been quite willing to be sympathetic himself. I could not see Mr. Graham so distinctly, for his face was in the shadow, so I leaned forward a little that I might get a better view. As I did so I noticed that Mrs. Graham also was looking toward him and beyond him to the sea, her dark eyes widely opened and her lips slightly parted.

The fresh salt air had brought no touch of color to her face, which seemed even paler than usual in the white light as I followed the direction of her gaze, past the blazing fire, over the rocks, and out where the ocean stretched undulating into space. A broad silver path was spread directly opposite us, quivering with the incoming tide and sparkling here and there where the billows broke into little white-capped waves.

We Continued to Talk for Awhile in a Desultory Way.

"It is lovely, isn't it?" I said, thinking I understood her abstraction.

She turned toward me with a quick nervous movement.

"I beg your pardon, I'm afraid my thoughts were wandering."

I repeated my remark with the inane feeling such repetitions cause, and she replied with a repressed vehemence which the subject scarcely seemed to warrant.

"Lovely? Oh, no—not to me. Look beyond the little path of light to the interminable darkness, and think what lies beneath."

"Don't think," interposed Mr. Graham with his light laugh, "and don't look too far. There is where Mrs. Graham and I differ. She is always looking into and beyond—though she's awfully afraid of what she may discover. As for me, I prefer not to go below the surface; I'd rather float on those jolly little waves, for instance, than dive beneath them."

"And I," said Elizabeth, "would rather sit here and watch them than do either."

"I'm afraid you are not ambitious, Miss Elizabeth," said Mr. Bennett; "one must dive a bit if one considers the future."

"Who cares for the future?" interrupted Mr. Graham; "it is the present we live in, isn't it? The past is gone and not worth worrying about; the future will look out for itself; but the present—where we live and breathe, love and hate! Ah, that's the time for me, and I think I make the most of it. No one can accuse me of crying over spilt milk, or taking undue thought for the morrow, eh, Juliet?"

"No," she returned; "no, Harry."

She spoke dully and immediately lapsed into silence in a manner that provoked me. Mr. Graham frequently made such little jocular appeals to his wife, and always endeavored to include her in any merriment or general conversation that interested him. I thought she should respond, sometimes at least, and could understand what Gabrielle meant when she said she often had to resist an inclination suddenly to shake Mrs. Graham and see if she would then be roused from her usual apathetic indifference.

We continued to talk for a while in a desultory way, but as the moments passed we lapsed into silence and watched the water dash noisily over the rocks, for the surf was wonderfully fine that night. So we sat around our fire looking out upon the restless moonlit ocean and listening to the roar of the breakers as wave followed wave in quick succession, each thinking our own thoughts and no doubt carried by them beyond the distant horizon of our most cherished hopes and ambitions.

Of course I cannot answer for the others, but I know that I was at first oppressed by a sense of my own insignificance and then blissfully happy, content with the present moment and oblivious to the flight of time.

As I sat dreaming dreams so vague that they had no individuality but merged one into the other like mist into clouds, a little boat glided silently into the silver path. It came out of the darkness into the light with spread sails that glistened pearly white, and as it floated on the sparkling water it seemed to me a phantom ship upon an enchanted ocean. I watched it entranced, wishing I knew its destination and whence it came.

"It is your ship," said Gordon Bennett, "coming home to you."

I do not believe I was surprised when he spoke, for it was not the first time he had responded to my unuttered thought. He sat upon a lower boulder at my right, his cap in his hand, his hair powdered by occasional showers of spray from an especially large breaker, while Mrs. Graham at my left was wrapped in a shawl and hovering over the fire. His voice was scarcely more than a whisper as he continued:

"It is bringing you many treasures. Pearls beyond price—"

"Pearls mean tears," I interrupted.

"Not these pearls; they are gems of real joy, spotless in their purity and of great value. There are other jewels, too—rubies, emeralds, diamonds—and sapphires like your eyes."

"But I want my ship to bring me more than jewels."

"There are other things. Perfumes and spices from Araby the Blest, gold straight from the mines without alloy; and perhaps, Miss Elise, it may bring you the elixir of eternal youth. Would you like that?"

I had a quick vision of Gabrielle and Elizabeth wrinkled and palsied by age, while I was still quite young and kittenish.

"No," I said, "I do not want eternal youth."

"But I want it for you. I should like to think you would always look as you do to-night."

"Where has it been?" I chose to ignore the implied compliment.

"The ship? To the Land of Dreams, of course; and deep down in the hold beneath the jewels, I think it is bringing you—"

"What?"

"Ah, that is not for me to tell you. You must discover it yourself."

"Suppose," I remarked, "it happens to be your ship, not mine. What then?"

"It isn't my ship, Miss Elise. Mine is somewhere on the black water, but it has not reached the light as yet. I sent it out long ago, and sometimes I have thought it was lost."

"Wrecked?"

"So I feared. But just lately I have begun to believe it will come safely home. Sometimes I have even dreamed I could see it coming into port and bringing me—"

"What?"

"My heart's desire."

I wanted very much to ask him what it was, but something prevented. So I looked out over the rippling silver path and wished my ship was really coming home laden with treasures from the Land of Dreams.

I wondered, too, what I might discover hidden in the hold and whether I would be able to find it without assistance. The little boat, however, merely sailed on and I saw that it was going steadily away from me, taking with it my unknown treasures.

Gabrielle also had been watching it and presently voiced her theories.

"There goes the smuggler," she announced, as one having authority in such matters.

"He is taking Mrs. Bundy's emeralds," supplemented Elizabeth, "we ought to hope he will be wrecked."

"Do you wish it?"

"Why, no," Elizabeth hesitated; "no, Mr. Blake, I'm afraid I don't."

"Nor I," said Gabrielle; "somehow I can't help taking an interest in him. Every time I hear of a new lot of things being smuggled in I feel quite a thrill of relief. But I can't forgive the emeralds; he might have let the poor old woman alone."

"I suppose he could not resist them," said Lady Edith. "I have read somewhere that there is an irresistible impulse—"

"Could you understand such an impulse?" inquired Mr. Blake.

She considered a moment before replying.

"No, I cannot understand it. I do not wish to be intolerant, but some things are inconceivable."

"Try," he insisted; "put yourself in his place and remember the temptation. Human nature is weak, you know."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

BY THE LIGHT OF SPLINTERS.

Religious Meeting Under Peculiar Circumstances a Great Success.

Elder J. W. Cook, in his "Forty-Five Years a Minister," relates this incident: "I remember one time up in Clair county, Missouri, I arrived at my appointment just at night. It was raining, but the people turned out just the same. The schoolhouse was of logs, and inside it was dark as a dark night could make it. A brother said: 'Will someone please light the candle?' But there was no candle to light, no grease, no oil of any kind. The little cabin was crowded and the rain was pouring down. It was a good half mile to the nearest house where a candle might be procured. But a resourceful brother relieved the situation thus: 'We must have a meetin'; that's sartin. The boy's traveled 'way over here to preach for us, and he's goin' to do it. Now we'll tear off some planks from the platform and light 'em and take turn about holdin' 'em so he can see his Bible. I got matches.' That meeting under the flickering splinter light was an astonishing success."

A Side Light.

The fortune teller, whose specialty was restoring lost and stolen articles by her powers of divination and spirit help, was perturbed.

She had missed a wallet full of bills and a diamond ring from her bureau drawer.

"Maria," she cried to her assistant, "have you taken the most effective means to get those articles back?"

"Yes'm," said Maria. "I reported it right off to the police."

Knew One of the Firm.

Attendant (showing him through the structure)—This house is built on what is known as the "slow combustion" plan.

Mr. Pneuritch—Ah, yes; I think I know Slocum. I have seen him at the club; but I have never had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Bustion.

CATARRH IN HEAD.

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MR. WILLIAM A. PRESSER, 1722 Third Ave., Moline, Ill., writes:

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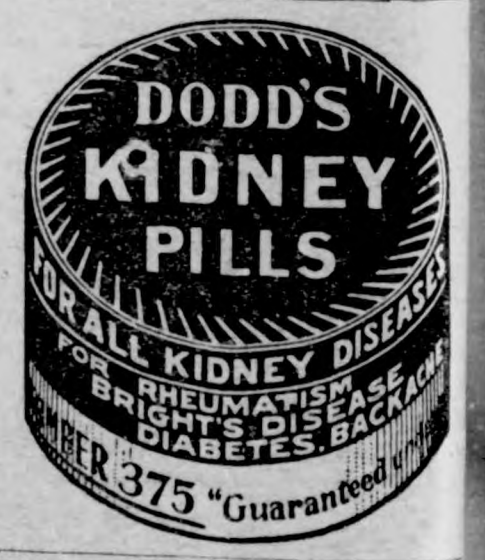

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NO TEMPTATION.

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Advice to Mothers.

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"What's he talking about?"

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CROWD CHEERS VERDICT

Defendant, Overjoyed, Carries News to His Brother in Jail, Who Probably Never Will Be Tried.

Flushing, N. Y.—After reviewing the evidence for 22 hours and taking 15 ballots before all were agreed, the jury in the trial of Thornton Jenkins Hains Friday afternoon found the prisoner not guilty as a principal with his brother, Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., in the killing of William E. Annis.

For the second time in his life Thornton Hains has been found not guilty of the charge of murder, he having been acquitted of murder in shooting a companion named Edward W. Hannigan in an open boat in Hampton roads 17 years ago.

Thornton Hains had an affecting greeting with Capt. Hains in the Long Island jail, where he hurried in a motor car after the verdict to bring his brother the news. Old Gen. Hains and his wife, who had been anxiously waiting to learn the verdict in the Hotel Astor, in Manhattan, since the jury went out at five o'clock Thursday night, heard the news from their son

Thornton J. Hains.

Thornton, who telephoned his parents as soon as he left the courtroom. Mrs. Hains nearly fainted from joy at the news.

Rarely in any court of law has such a demonstration been witnessed as that which occurred when the jury made known its verdict, which came like a thunderbolt. The packed courtroom of spectators rose as one man and cheered and applauded with such mighty vigor that the gavel falls of Justice Crane on his desk could not be heard.

Officials of the district attorney's office in Queens county are quoted as saying that the verdict in this case probably means that Capt. Hains will never be brought to trial and that he will be surrendered into the care of his family or the federal government.

"Under this verdict it is perfectly safe for any person who is ingenious enough to frame up a defense to go out and kill. Private vengeance seems to have taken precedence over the people's law," was the only comment that Prosecutor Darrin had to make.

HORROR IN HUNGARIAN MINE.

Scores of Men Killed by an Explosion and Fire.

Veszprim, Hungary.—In an explosion of fire-damp in the Auka coal mine here Thursday, which was followed by a dust explosion and fire, 240 men were entombed.

Sixteen living miners and the bodies of 45 dead persons thus far have been brought out of the pit.

The fire has been held to one locality and it is hoped that the remainder of the entombed miners will be rescued alive.

The town of Veszprim lies 60 miles southeast of Buda Pest and has a population of some 15,000, composed mostly of Magyars.

Shively Is Indiana Senator.

Indianapolis, Ind.—B. F. Shively was chosen on the twentieth ballot for United States senator in the caucus of the Democratic members of the legislature after many weary hours of balloting.

John Worth Kern, recent candidate for vice-president on the Democratic ticket, made a gallant fight and led in the early balloting. Once he gave the field a scare, when on the third ballot he jumped to 32 votes.

Portuguese Mob Fights Troops.

Oporto.—The distress in the port wine growing regions arising from a crisis in the wine trade culminated Friday in rioting. At Regoa the troops that were preserving order were fired on by an infuriated mob and replied with a bayonet charge.

WESTERN CANADA'S 1908 CROP

WILL GIVE TO THE FARMERS OF WEST A SPLENDID RETURN.

The following interesting bit of information appeared in a Montreal paper:

"Last December, in reviewing the year 1907, we had to record a wheat harvest considerably smaller in volume than in the previous year. Against ninety millions in 1906 the wheat crop of the West in 1907 only totaled some seventy-one million bushels, and much of this of inferior quality. But the price averaged high, and the total result to the farmers was not unprofitable. This year we have to record by far the largest wheat crop in the country's history. Estimates vary as to the exact figure, but it is certainly not less than one hundred million bushels, and in all probability it reaches one hundred and ten million bushels. The quality, moreover, is good, and the price obtained very high, so that in all respects the Western harvest of 1908 has been a memorable one. The result upon the commerce and finance of the country is already apparent. The railways are again reporting increases in traffic, the general trade of the community has become active after twelve months' quiet, and the banks are loosening their purse strings to meet the demand for money. The prospects for 1909 are excellent. The credit of the country never stood as high. The immigrants of 1907 and 1908 have now been absorbed into the industrial and agricultural community, and wise regulations are in force to prevent too great an influx next year. Large tracts of new country will be opened up by the Grand Trunk Pacific both in East and West. If the seasons are favorable the Western wheat crop should reach one hundred and twenty million bushels. The prospects for next year seem very fair." An interesting letter is received from Cardston, Alberta (Western Canada), written to an agent of the Canadian Government, any of whom will be pleased to advise correspondents of the low rates that may be allowed intending settlers.

"Cardston, December 21st, 1908.

"Dear Sir: Now that my threshing is done, and the question 'What Will the Harvest Be,' has become a certainty, I wish to report to you the results thereof, believing it will be of interest to you. You know I am only a novice in the agricultural line, and do not wish you to think I am boasting because of my success, for some of my neighbors have done much better than I have, and I expect to do much better next year myself. My winter wheat went 53 bushels per acre—and graded No. 1. My spring wheat went 48⅜ bushels per acre, and graded No. 1, My oats went 97 bushels per acre, and are fine as any oats I ever saw. My stock is all nice and fat, and are out in the field picking their own three square meals a day. The weather is nice and warm, no snow—and very little frost. This, in short, is an ideal country for farmers and stockmen. The stock requires no shelter or winter feeding, and cattle fatten on this grass and make the finest kind of beef, better than corn fed cattle in Ills. Southwestern Alberta will soon be known as the farmers' paradise; and I am only sorry I did not come here five years ago. Should a famine ever strike North America, I will be among the last to starve—and you can count on that.

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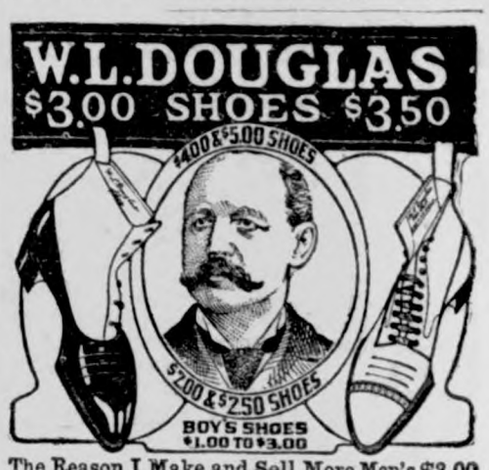

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"Amusement?" said the other.

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How He Hunted Bear.

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4—Recitation by Gail Bloom.
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6—Song by Miss Gilbert of Garner.
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8—Piano duette by Anna and Daisy Schuldt.
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14—Recitation by Holley Lewis
15—Song by Esther Bloom.

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The weather was not very favorable and the attendance was not as large as would have been otherwise.

Climate Sharpens Appetite.

Probably the Eskimo banquets last longer than any others, and the quantity of food swallowed is also proportionately greater. Ross records that seven of his party of natives once ate continuously for 33 hours, during which time they consumed 200 pounds of seal meat. Europeans, exposed to the same climatic conditions, act in much the same way. Capt. Scott of the Discovery, on his return from his long sledge journey over the inland ice of the Antarctic continent, did nothing but eat and sleep for the space of three days and nights, and even then he was still hungry.

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It seems reasonably clear that Castro saw the psychological moment coming and ducked.

Chicago isn't exactly going "dry," but it is trying to give up impure milk, and that's a hopeful sign.

It is proposed to double the president's salary. If that is done, there'll be 14 candidates instead of seven, next time.

Connecticut's champion eel skinner has retired from business. Here's a good job for some ambitious young athlete.

One thing certain is that the Emmanuel movement cannot stop the pervading disposition of man to put up an argument.

A new kind of flea has been discovered in California. It has six teeth and is a high jumper. Maybe it is designed to pounce on airships.

An exchange tells us that the kaiser's favorite maxim is "Forget it." All right. Von Buelow isn't going to be the one to jog his memory.

Senator Elkins has long had an eye to the best investments. Since the country thought that he was figuring on a duke, he has bought a bank.

Whiting's chief of police was held up and robbed of his star, revolvers, money and billy. We hope the highwaymen left him with at least a clew.

A Colorado man gave his grandson, aged one month, $1,000,000 as a Christmas present. Think of the toys that youngster can buy with all that money.

The telephone girls at Rockford, Ill., struck because they were not permitted to talk. As well tell the birds not to sing and the flowers not to throw off their fragrance.

A Pittsburg artist succeeded in getting a flashlight photograph of a member of the city council in the act of receiving a bribe. It may properly be referred to as a moving picture.

Specializing in farming will be carried too far if scientific farmers produce cobless corn. Several thousand acres then would have to be devoted to raising a variety that grew only cob pipes.

Both Paris and London are discussing the commercial future of the flying machine. It is a safe prophecy that the sporting fraternity will get into aeroplaning some time in advance of commerce.

Castro of Venezuela, who "revoluted" himself into the presidency and has held on like grim death ever since, must have hearty contempt for one who is so "easy" as the late President Alexis of Hayti.

A New York judge has decided that a man whose salary is not more than six dollars a week need not pay alimony. This may cause some men to quit exaggerating when they refer to the salaries they draw.

Since this country set up in business as an independent nation its gold mines have yielded more than three billion dollars. It takes the American hen about six years to furnish eggs and chickens worth that much.

Going barefoot seems to be growing less popular in the West Indies than it used to be. During the last fiscal year the United States exported more than two and a half million pairs of shoes to these islands, one-third as many as the exports to the whole world.

Early in the new year another battleship will be added to the navy. It will be called the Delaware in honor of Maryland's little neighbor on the east. No doubt it will be a fine ship, and will add more strength to about the strongest naval fighting force in the whole world.

The children of the late Charles E. Perkins of Boston have given to the city of Colorado Springs "The Garden of the Gods," one of the scenic wonders of America. The park has long been open to the public, and the formal transfer is in accordance with Mr. Perkins' wish. This gift is similar in spirit to Mr. Kent's gift of Muir Park, California, to the nation, and to a bequest recently received by the city of Boston of a large sum of money to maintain the city parks.

In the light of revelations from Hayti it is not at all surprising that revolutions succeed there. It is announced in official dispatches that the government troops are so disaffected that they have to be tied together in couples to prevent them from deserting. This suggests a modification of an old "pome:"

The soldiers they stand two by two
The sergeant and the corporal too.
If not tied they'd surely flee,
Leaving the gov'ment up a tree.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

THE "INTENT GOVERNS".

State Wide Dispute Given Judicial Adjudication.

Keosauqua.—Judge D. M. Anderson in district court here decided the contested election case of Morris vs. Meek, in favor of the incumbent, Meek. This was a contest over the office of county treasurer. On the face of the election returns Meek had a majority of 18. When tried before the contest court it was found that Morris had a majority of 5. As finally counted Meek has a majority of 1 in a vote of 3,840.

The contest grew out of the fact that in a few precincts the election officers threw out ballots having crosses before the names of president and vice president, holding that they were identifying marks. The court holds that they are not identifying marks and counts such ballots.

The court threw out one ballot where the word "yes" was written before Senator Allen's name, holding that it was an identifying mark. The court threw out eight ballots where the voters had put a single straight line in the square in front of one or the other of the candidates, and one ballot where the voters had attempted to vote by putting a circle in the square before every name on one of the tickets. All other ballots were counted as marked.

This is the first decision of a court with respect to a contention which has arisen everywhere in the state and may have wide significance. Thousands of voters marked ballots by drawing a square in front of Taft's or Bryan's name and putting a cross in it, thinking the square had been left off by mistake, and so, not voting for electors, at all. Judge Anderson decides they should be counted.

Several legislative seats depend on the ruling made as to this matter, it is thought. It is not unlikely the contest committees may take cognizance of Judge Anderson's view.

The same point arises in the Hepburn-Jamieson congressional contest.

WRECK SAFE AT DAWSON.

Citizens Close in on Robbers and Frighten Them Away.

Dawson.—Robbers blew open the safe of the Bank of Dawson, but before they could secure the large amount of money in the shattered vault, were frightened away by armed citizens and escaped on a handcar ,going toward Perry. For several days three suspicious characters have been hanging about the place and are thought to have committed the robbery. The citizens were awakened by the crash of the explosion which blew open the outer door of the safe, shattered the windows in the bank and adjoining buldings and wrecked the interior of the bank. A second explosion quickly followed when the inner door of the vault was broken open. By this time the citizens armed with rifles and shotguns had rallied and started for the bank. The robbers were in the act of getting the money from the inner vault when they were frightened away.

HEIRS PLAN FIGHT.

Depositions Are Taken for Introduction at Trial.

Des Moines.—The legal battle to determine whether the $50,000 estate of Daniel Francis shall go to his natural heirs or to the Preachers' Aid Society of the Methodist churches to be used in building a home for superannuated ministers, will start in the district court Jan. 26. Francis was 82 years old. He died last May. Just prior to his death he attempted to convey all of his property to the Preachers' Aid society. The heirs brought suit in the district court to recover their share, charging undue influence had been exerted by certain ministers who knew Francis' mind was weak.

Business Houses Close Early.

Pella.—In compliance with a request made by the Baptist brotherhood to the Commercial club, forty of the principal business houses in Pella have agreed to close their stores and shops at 6:30 p. m. from Nov. 1 to April 1, except Saturdays and holidays. The rest of the year they agree to close at 7 p. m.

Fog Concealed the Fire.

Nora Springs.—A dense fog shielded from the neighbors the home of A. C. Jackson, near here, and they did not know it was on fire till it was in ruins. The loss is about $3,000.

CONFESSED AN OLD MURDER.

Philip Martin Says He Killed W. G. Reed in 1905.

Montezuma,—County Attorney H. E. Boyd has returned from Anamosa, where he secured a confession from Philip Martin that he and a companion murdered Thomas W. Reed near here in January, 1905. Martin implicates Jesse Finley as an accomplice. The men were charged with the crime originally, but were discharged by the magistrate. An indictment recently was returned against them, however. Finley is in jail here and Martin is under a thirty-five-year sentence for crimes of which he was convicted in November and is at Anamosa reformatory. He will be brought back in March and told the county attorney he would plead guilty to murder in the first degree. He was 18 years old at the time of the crime and claims to have been drunk. Finley also will be tried at the March term. He denies guilt.

County Attorney Boyd and Sheriff Binegar have been working on the case for more than a year, being satisfied that Martin knew of the crime. At one time they went to Seattle for him, but he had disappeared. He was found in Brooklyn when arrested for the crimes for which he is now serving thirty-five years. The thirty-five years are the maximum length of the penalties. The prosecution for murder and penalty thereof, if conviction is secured, will take precedence over the sentences for the other crimes.

ROMANCE IN REAL LIFE.

The Published Picture of Dead Mother Restored Helen Coffey.

Waterloo.—Helen Coffey, a pretty 17-year-old girl of Marshalltown, has been identified as the granddaughter of Mr .and Mrs. Eugene Smith of this city. Her mother, Anna G. Smith, ran away from home twenty years ago, when 17 years of age. She married Edmond Coffey, her sweetheart, in Council Bluffs and the couple made their home in Marshalltown. Six years ago she died. A picture of the mother published at the time of the Haskin-Coffey secret wedding at Christmas time, gave the girl the the clue which has lead to the establishment of her identity as the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Smith. A feature of the case is the fact that the young girl has been frequently in Waterloo and at one time for a period of three months worked in a local department store.

200 ILLEGALLY MARRIED.

Police Judge Has no Power as Uniter of Lives.

Des Moines.—Nearly 200 people married by Mayor A. J. Mathis during his term as police judge are not legally man and wife.

The knots were illegally tied according to Police Judge A. J. Stewart. He was asked recently to perform a marriage ceremony and replied that a police judge under the statute had no right. The Iowa code states specifically that only judges of district, superior or supreme courts and justices of the peace and mayors can perform wedding ceremonies. If Judge Stewart's interpretation of the law is correct there are scores of men and women in Iowa who were not married according to the statutes and who will have to have the knot tied over again.

BATTLES OFF MASKED MAN.

Osceola Girl Forced to Walk Four Blocks With Gun at Breast.

Osceola.—Miss Anna Barnard, the daughter of W. S. Barnard, prominent citizen of this town, was forced to walk four blocks at midnight, Jan. 17, with the cold muzzle of a revolver, in the hands of a black masked man, pressed against her breast, battled with her assailant, freed herself and fled to the home of her affianced, Will Kimball, two blocks distant, where she rang the door bell and fell in a faint. She was picked up by Kimball and his sister, taken into the house and revived.

Shoots His Uncle.

Shenandoah.—Sam Jarvis shot his uncle three times, one shot taking effect in his cheek, which may prove fatal. The wounded man was taken to the Wabash railroad hospital at Moberly, Mo. Jarvis was interpreter for a gang of Greeks working for the Wabash and living in a car side tracked at Imogene, where the shooting occurred.

State Capital Gossip

Many Items of Interest from Our Correspondent at Des Moines.

Opposed to Insurance Bill.

Des Moines.—Declaring that the state of Iowa needs no insurance department and that the business of the department is better handled in the office of the auditor of state than it could be in any other way, Senator Quigley of Clayton is devoting much time to arguing against the Dowell bill for the establishment of a separate department.

The Clayton county senator has figured it out, from reports in the auditor's office, that the insurance business handled by that office is decreasing from year to year instead of increasing, and he has prepared a table showing that in 1906 the taxes paid into the Iowa treasurer's office and credited to the life and fire insurance companies their business in Iowa amounted to $321,699.36. In 1907 the total was $307,499.57, and Senator Quigley says this in itself is an indication that the business is becoming smaller than greater.

"There was a time," said Senator Quigley, "when this plan, no doubt, would have been feasible. This was before the insurance business was taken in hand by Governor Carroll, then state auditor. He made it one of the principal parts of his department and he systematized it so well that there is now, I believe, no reason for changing the present plan, even if there were not additional reasons against such a change."

He favors, instead of relieving the auditor of the insurance work, the removing of the banking department to the treasurer's office and that of city accounting to the office of the secretary of state. This division, he thinks, would be a wise one and would be the more economical one.

Economy is the keynote of Senator Quigley's opposition to the Dowell measure; and he has gone to the trouble to secure information regarding the cost of handling separate insurance departments in states where such departments exists.

First Bill to Be Signed.

Governor Carroll has affixed his signature to the bill providing for the official celebration of Lincoln's birthday as a legal holiday in Iowa. It is probable that he will also issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the state to observe the centennial of the birth of the martyred president. Special significance will attach to the signing of this bill, as it will be the first to be approved by the new executive. It was adopted by both houses on Jan. 22, after its introduction by Senator Stuckslager of Linn, and it will take effect at once after having been signed by the governor and published officially.

The celebration of Lincoln's birthday by both houses of the legislature will be an elaborate affair. The committee consisting of Senator Maytag and Representatives Moore of Linn and Holmes of Kossuth, appointed Saturday to arrange the programme, will within a short time announce the speakers for the day.

Re-elect Senator Cummins.

Albert B. Cummins, junior United States senator from Iowa, was declared re-elected at a joint session of the two branches of the general assembly in the chamber of the house of representatives, which convened at noon Jan. 20. The vote was: Cummins, 115; Porter, 40. The chamber was crowded with members and visitors, the board of regents of the state university going from their meeting rooms in the state house in a body to witness the proceedings.

Anxiety Prevades Liquor Ranks.

The usual anxiety over liquor legislation is making itself apparent in Iowa this year. Members of the legislature are receiving appeals from their constituents of more stringent laws on the subject, and now that the plan for taking from the druggists the right to sell liquors is about to be proposed to the legislators the liquor dealers are becoming frightened.

New Years and Lincoln Win

The bill by Senator Stuckslager and Representative Moore to make February 12 a legal holiday passed both houses. An effort was made in the senate by DeArmand to cut out New Year's day as a holiday, but this got only six votes. The Lincoln day bill was approved unanimously in the senate and only one vote against in the house.

Reports Cost More Than the Goods.

According to the report of the executive council the state of Iowa spent for printing and binding during the two years from July, 1906, to July 1908, the sum of $136,428.62. The sum for the stock used in the printing and binding brings the total for the two years up to $166,859.17. Of the first named sum, $88,378.90, was paid for printing and $51,049.72 for the binding. The report itself emphasizes the need of printing reform. Items are recorded in the report, whose cost was not so large as the cost of the printing of the item in the report. This occurs time and again in the lists of expenses of traveling representatives of the different state departments and while they are demanded by law, and department heads large printing charges have brought the matter to the authorities, and it is likely that some measure will be asked in the next few weeks which will change the laws upon the subject of printing reports.

Important Liquor Case.

Final arguments were made before the supreme court in the case that will decide the right of the state to prohibit the soliciting of orders for whisky and other liquors by agents of liquor dealers. Attorney General Byers made a short oral argument for the state and written briefs were submitted by the appellants. County Attorney C. A. Dewey of Washington county sought to enjoin agents of liquor salesmen from taking orders from consumers. Judge Preston ruled for the state, and the defendants appealed. The United States supreme court has ruled that states may prohibit such soliciting, even by agents of liquor dealers in other states.

Tax State Banks Same as National.

Representative Grier has a bill on bank assessments to meet the complaint of discrimination as between the banks organized under the federal laws and those under state laws. Mr. Grier would have the assessment of the stock of state banks made as now upon reports from the bank and the assessment to be at the bank, so that taxes are paid in the township where the bank is located, but he would have the assessment to run against the owners of the bank stock and be paid by them. This would come near to placing state banks on a par with national banks as to taxes. In the meantime it is proposed to memorialize congress to have the national bank act amended so that national banks will be assessabe the same as state banks in each state.

Blow to Liquor Interests.

In the senate was introduced a bill affecting seriously the liquor interests, although the proposed enactment is short. It was introduced by Senator Van Law and places public libraries and dwelling houses occupied by families in the same class with churches and public schools in relation to the location of places where intoxicating liquors are sold.

Good Balances Shown.

The report of the state board of control which has just been filed with Clerk Rush Benedict in the house of representatives shows balances in the various institution funds which total $483,452.31. The Cherokee and Independence hospital show the largest balances, with $125,333.41 at Cherokee and $123,137.72 at Independence.

Smallest Senatorial District

Senator Lyman B. Parshall of Jackson county represents the smallest senatorial district in the state, measured by population. Jasper, Clayton and Jackson counties are the only three without cities of considerable size within their borders that are made to compose a senatorial district and of these Jackson county has the least population.

To Honor Burns.

One of the most remarkable resolutions ever offered in an American legislative body was adopted by the lower house of the Iowa legislature providing for a special programme to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Robert Burns.

Junkets as Usual.

By a viva voce vote, the lower house applied the steam roller to opposition to visiting committees for each of the state institutions and decided to adjourn for five days, to give these committees a chance to make personal investigation of the institutions under the board of control.

"My Ring! It Is Gone—My Ruby Ring."

The SMUGGLER

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. Elise shared her stateroom with a Mrs. Graham, also bound for Canada. The young women on a sightseeing tour met Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented by the trio for the summer. Elizabeth learned that a friend of her father's was to call. Two men called, one of them being the queer-acting stranger on the steamer. The girls were "not at home," but discovered by the cards left that one of the men was Elizabeth's father's friend. The men proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Lady Edith told the girls of a robbery of jewels at the hotel. Fearing for the safety of her own gems, she left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his queer actions, returned the lost bag and told of mysterious doings of a year before connected with the cottage. Exploring the cellar, one of the girls found a sphinx cuff-button, the exact counterpart of which both Gordon Bennett and Lady Edith were found to possess, also. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. The young women agreed to keep the secret. Lady Edith told a story of a lost love in connection with the sphinx key. Elise and Gordon Bennett discovered Lady Edith and Mr. Graham, the latter displaying a marvelous baritone voice.

CHAPTER X.—Continued

Lady Edith rested her chin on her hand and thought a while. Mr. Blake and Mr. Graham gazed at the lovely face grown suddenly serious as she pondered the question, and I knew that Gordon Bennett forgot my very existence as he leaned forward awaiting her reply.

"It is hard for me to realize," she said slowly, "never having been tempted."

"How can any one know what he would do until the time comes?" interrupted Mr. Graham, "as to yielding to an impulse—well, why are we given impulses if not to obey them?"

"Isn't that rather a dangerous theory?"

Lady Edith laughed as she spoke, but there was a note of anxiety in her voice, and she glanced involuntarily at her brother, who still maintained his sulky silence.

"A very dangerous theory," remarked Mr. Bennett; "but to return to our discussion. Smuggling is a hazardous business, Lady Edith, and it requires some courage, too, for one practically takes his life in his hands, especially stormy nights when the sea runs high."

"Yes," ejaculated Mrs. Graham; "yes!"

"Oh, I don't know," said her husband, "it has its compensations. One lives, you know—lives. Think of a night, out there, with the waves mountains high—a stiff wind, and raining, perhaps. Black sky, black water, black everything, and the uncertainty about landing your cargo safely. Then the sail back again triumphant and exulting—you and the elements alone together. Can't you taste the salt spray? Can't you feel the boat cut through the water? Can't you—"

"Harry!"

He paused abruptly and turned to his wife.

"I beg your pardon, Juliet," he said very gently, "I quite forgot your aversion to the water or I wouldn't have let myself go."

As Elizabeth often insisted, there were nice things about Mr. Graham after all. His patience with his wife's vagaries were certainly most commendable, yet I found myself reaching out after her hand as though I understood and sympathized with her strange attitude—which I certainly did not.

Meanwhile the little boat sailed on, and whether it carried a smuggler with his ill-gotten spoils or my treasures from the Land of Dreams we never knew, for it slipped away into the darkness as quietly as it had emerged. I felt as though I had lost something very valuable as I looked out over the empty water and the ensuing silence brought me no vaguely blissful dreams, but rather a sense of uneasiness and impending danger.

Our fire had burned itself away into a bed of embers, where charred bits of wood occasionally sent forth feeble flames as the night wind brought them renewed life. The moon climbed high in the heavens as we sat listening to the waves wash over the rocks, while the embers glowed and paled and glowed again in indignant protest against their relegation to the ashes of the past.

Presently Lady Edith turned to Graham. "Sing," she said.

And Harry Graham obeyed without self-conscious demur. Looking up at the rock where she sat with Elizabeth, he smiled and removed his cap.

"If it will give you pleasure," he said, quite simply.

She made a gesture of assent and after a moment's silence he began to sing, softly at first, then his voice gradually attained its full compass. I have never heard a voice just like Harry Graham's—so strong and yet so sweet. It had a wonderful depth of tenderness about it, too, and we listened entranced, unwilling to lose a note or a word of his song, which was quite unfamiliar to me at least.

Out of the purple distance,
Over the surging sea,
Borne on the winds of heaven
Cometh a Voice to me;
See how the white gull resteth
Low o'er the tossing spray,
Pausing awhile to listen
Before it is up and away!

O'er the trackless waste of waters
Where nameless thousands sleep,
From the realm of endless silence,
Cometh the Voice of the Deep;
Hark, to the whispering water
Bringing a message to me,
"Child of the restless ocean,
Thy destiny waits for thee."

Where the far-away dim horizon
Touches the mist-bound sea,
There lieth an Unknown Kingdom
With its gates ajar for me;
And, so, like the gull, I'm resting
At peace o'er the tossing foam,
Just waiting, listening, longing,
For the Voice to call me home.

"Don't! Oh, Harry, don't."

Mrs. Graham had risen and was gazing at her husband with widely dilated eyes and arms extended. It was a cry of irrepressible suffering, apparently wrung from her against her will.

I reached her first, being nearest, and as I slipped my arm through hers I found that she was trembling and very cold.

Mr. Graham had reached his wife almost as soon as I had and his voice was filled with genuine solicitude.

"Why, you're cold," he continued, "awfully cold, your lips are quite blue and trembling. This night air has been too much for you, as you feared. I'm sorry I urged you to come, but I thought you would enjoy it."

She clung to him, oblivious of our presence.

"Take me home. I must go home."

"And so you shall."

He spoke gently, as one calms a frightened child, and still retaining her hand turned to Elizabeth.

"I'm really very sorry, but we must go home. It has been an awfully jolly evening. Mrs. Graham is a bit unstrung, she's not strong, you know; I shouldn't have allowed her to stay out so long in the night air. And of course I shouldn't have sung."

We murmured polite, if slightly incoherent, regrets and tried to look as though nothing surprising had happened, but I think we were all relieved when the Grahams finally departed. As we watched their retreating figures gradually grow smaller in the distance, Gabrielle voiced the question that trembled on my lips.

"Why shouldn't he sing?"

Nobody was ready with an appropriate reply, for it really did seem as though one endowed with so enviable a gift should be permitted to use it at will.

I shivered a little, for the embers no longer sent out any heat, and the wind from the ocean had suddenly grown damp and chill. Lady Edith also shivered and drew her cloak closely about her.

"I think we, too, must go," she said; "I am sorry the evening has ended. It has been very delightful, and I shall always remember it."

"I should suppose Mrs. Graham would remember it also," remarked Gabrielle, "but I don't believe she thought it delightful."

We were gathering up our wraps preparatory to going home as she spoke, and Mr. Blake had just taken possession of the shawl spread upon the rock where Elizabeth had been sitting when she uttered an exclamation.

"My ring! It is gone—my ruby ring."

This ring was Elizabeth's dearest possession and the pride of her heart. It was a marquise, formed of seven rubies surrounded by diamonds, and as all of the stones were unusually good it was really very valuable. We were aghast at the catastrophe and hastened to help her look for it.

"It can't be gone," exclaimed Gabrielle, turning over sticks and stones suspiciously; "it must be here."

"It was too loose; I should not have worn it. I must have rolled into the water and I shall never see it again."

Elizabeth spoke in the hushed tone in which one refers to those recently removed by death.

"Don't feel that way about it," said Lord Wilfrid, roused at last; "I am quite sure we will find it. Let's see—you sat here with Edith, and Graham and Mr. Blake just below. It might have caught in the fringe of the shawl. Perhaps Mr. Blake will kindly shake it."

Mr. Blake complied without result. Useless also was the ensuing search of the rocks, although they were gone over inch by inch, the men lighting matches to examine dark crevices while we scrutinized the most improbable places and tried to peer into the rapidly rising water.

At last we gave it up and prepared to go home, each in turn assuring Elizabeth that when morning came she would surely find her ring, but nevertheless secretly convinced that it was irrevocably gone.

"I've had a good time, barring the last half hour," said Gordon Bennett, as he took my shawl; "have you?"

"I don't know what Elizabeth will ever do without her ring," was my evasive reply.

"Give her another. The jewels your ship is bringing you are far more valuable—"

"Nonsense," I interrupted. "Can't you see that she is unhappy and we are all worried?"

"Please don't worry," he said; "tomorrow morning bright and early I'll have another look at the rocks. I'm rather a good prophet and something tells me she will get it again. If I can't find it I'll get a diver and see what he can do. But I don't think we will need him, for when daylight comes it will probably be discovered exactly where she dropped it. Anyway, there is no use giving up a thing as lost until every possible means of finding it is exhausted. You won't worry, will you?"

These practical suggestions were very cheering and I turned to repeat them to Elizabeth. She was saying good-night to the Campbells, who had decided to return to the hotel along the shore. To my surprise I heard Lady Edith also suggesting the services of a diver.

"They are quite wonderful, you know," she was saying, "and all sorts of things have been recovered from the ocean."

"Yes," added Lord Wilfrid, "we will all have another look to-morrow, and if it is not to be found by daylight I know of an expert diver. However, I'm sure when the tide goes out it will be left among the rocks."

So by degrees our guests departed and we returned to the cottage, rather depressed and inclined to consider the evening a failure.

Mary Anne met us, holding the door hospitably open and smiling expansively.

"Well," she remarked, "and did you 'ave a good time? And didn't I 'ave a good supper?"

We told her about Elizabeth's loss and she listened in silence. But her ruddy face grew serious and her jaw dropped, as we described our search among the rocks and our theory that the ring had dropped into the sea.

"Lost, is it?" she said at last; "don't you fret, Miss Elizabeth, dear. I know them rocks inch by inch, and I'll 'ave a look meself, so I will. Jest go to sleep and rest easy now."

We were glad to follow this sensible advice, but I think we all were some time in getting to sleep. I found myself thinking of Mrs. Graham, rather than the lost ring, and wondering vaguely why she did not like to hear her husband sing. The puzzle was too much for me, and I was just slipping into a blissful state of unconsciousness when I thought I heard a step under my window.

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LONG WARS DUE TO WHISKERS.

Trivial Incident Led to Three Hundred Years of Fighting.

For ages beards were the delight of ancient beauties. The sight of a shaved chin excited sentiments of horror and aversion. To obey the injunctions of his bishops, Louis VII. of France cropped his hair a la pompadour aud shaved off his luxuriant whiskers. Eleanor of Aquitaine, his consort, found him with this uncommon appearance very ridiculous and very contemptible. She revenged herself by becoming something more than a coquette. The king obtained a divorce. She then married the count of Anjou, who shortly afterward ascended the French throne, and gave him as her marriage dower the rich provinces of Poitou and Guienne; and this was the origin of those wars which for 300 years ravaged France and which cost the French nation 3,000,000 men. All of which, probably, had never taken place if Louis VII. had not been so rash as to shave off his whiskers, by which he made himself so disgusting to the fair Eleanor.

Doctor Not Needed.

"I got an awfully funny note once from Gen. ——, an Irish-American on the staff of Gov. ——," said Dr. Shackelforth. "His wife was taken with a sudden indisposition, he summoned his servant and bade him get the buggy ready to come for me. By the time the horse was hitched up and the general had written me a note his wife recovered. But he sent the note anyway, with a postscrip.

"'My Dear Doctor: I wish you would hurry around this way as fast as you can. My wife is desperately ill. Jump into my buggy and come along. Don't let anything stop you.

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"Well, no—mamma," said he, slowly, evidently casting in his mind for an excuse, "but," he added, reassuringly, "I cried a little before I came downstairs!"—Delineator.

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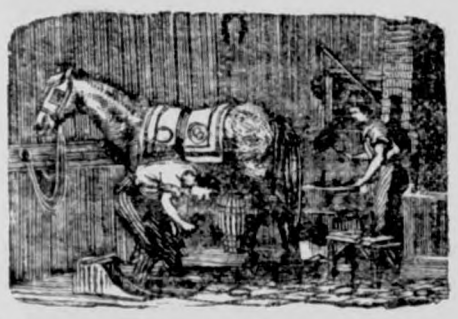

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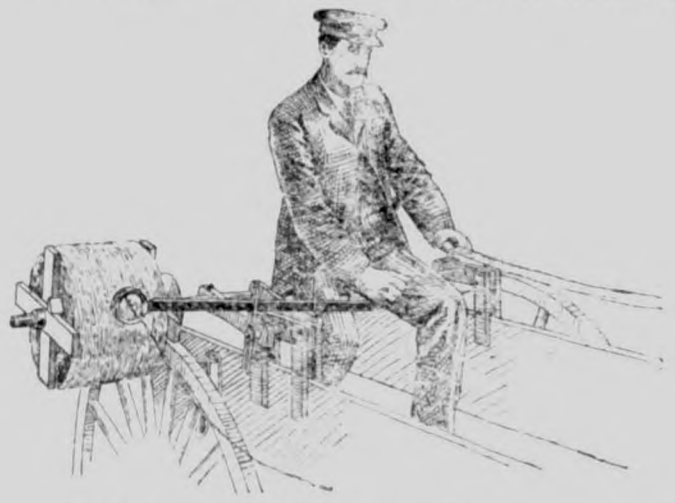

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Subscribers who are more than One Year in arrears to the Times, are requested to pay up at ONCE.

South Germantow.

Miss Edna Suckow who was sick for nearly a month is convalescent at this writing.

On account of the rough roads Mr. Sweeley started for Goodell horse-back last Monday morning. We hope he enjoyed it.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the fine weather the forepart of this week after the three days of London fog we had last week.

Because the teacher Miss Wellemeyer was taking examinations on Wednesday and on Thursday there was no school in Dist. No. 8 from Wednesday to Friday of this week.

G. I. Schaper has recovered a severe cold which lasted about three weeks and took the forms of sore throat, cough, catarrh and neuralgia and effected all parts of his body except his feet. He hopes the next attack will effect only his soles, (of his shoes).

That Short-horn cattle are good for beef is a well established fact and that they are also good for the dairy has been fully demonstrated by G. I. Schaper. His cream check after deducting for hauling and manufacturing for December from five cows, amounted to $43.75 or about $8.50 per cow per month. Adding to this 50c per cow for the cream and butter used in the house-hold will make it $9.00. The cows were in the corn stalks during the day, were fed on wild hay at night and given a feed of ground corn and bran every morning and evening He will try to raise it to $10 during February and March by feeding clover hay.

SURE REMEDY FOR HICCOUGHS.

Science at Last Has Devised Cure for Troublesome Complaint.

Did you ever take nine swallows of water to cure the hiccoughs? Do you remember the time some one scared the hiccoughs away by telling you of a whipping due for some meanness?

Well, science has been studying hiccoughs and caught the hiccoughs by the "nape of the neck." The nine swallows of water had a little science in it, and so did the scare cure. The scientific hiccough cure consists in pressing down to numbness the nerve that connects the stomach, heart, lungs and brain, the pneumogastric nerve. The pressure partially and locally paralyzes this nerve and of necessity the hiccoughing must cease.

Have the hiccoughing patient sit down and be at ease, with the muscles of the neck relaxed as much as possible. Grasp both sides of the neck somewhat toward the back part and press down steadily and as hard as the subject may permit for about one minute, having the patient work the head from side to side. Within about one minute the nerve will be numbed and rested and the spasmodic motion will cease. It may require longer pressure is some cases, but the result is sure if patience is maintained.

COULD INTRODUCE THEM ALL.

One Guest, at Least, at Dinner Party Who Knew the Host.

In a volume lately published in London, "Piccadilly to Pall Mall," there is this queer anecdote of the vagaries of social life in the capital: Some years ago an eminent personage accepted, or suggested, a dinner with a certain millionaire, at that time comparatively unknown. The first guest to arrive, having explained to the butler that being unacquainted with his host he would wait till some one else came who could introduce him, lingered in the hall. The second was in the same predicament, as were the third, fourth, fifth, and other guests up to the ninth, who chanced to be "the eminent personage" himself. Upon the dilemma being explained to him, he cheerfully said: "Oh, come along with me. I will introduce you all—I know him."

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ELL BROS. Klemme, Iowa

German M. E. Church Items

Sarah Ludeke returned Monday from Iowa City.

Jacob Goeller left Tuesday morning for a visit to Clayton county.

Esther Schuldt of Garner, spent Sunday with her uncle E. H. Schuldt and family.

Emil Sampson and Hugo Neef came from Mason City Saturday returning Monday evening.

Nellie Lau left for Charles City Monday evening to spend a few days with our Klemme girls.

John Griewe went to Charles City Monday to visit his sister, see the college and take in the sights.

Bertha Bettin went to Fenton Monday to spend a few weeks with her brother Arthur and family.

While on his way to church with his family last week, one of Aug. Stille's horses dopped dead before the wagon.

Adolf Ridder came down from Germania Saturday evening where he is installing a furnace. He spent Sunday with his relatives.

Mrs. H. Brockmeyer from Colesburg arrived Friday to visit her mother and attend the "silver wedding" of her brother and wife.

Mrs. W. F. Lau and children are back from Minn. W. F. has been transferred to the Garner section and they will move their goods to that place.

The quarantine was raised from the H. L. Suckow home last Saturday and they are free to mingle with others and the fearful ones can lay aside all fear.

Those who heard Miss Markham last week Thursday were delighted with her address She gave some very practical plans and methods on elementary work in the Sunday school.

Elsie Bredlow had another severe sick spell last week. She had more than 30 spasams in less than 48 hours. Her case is certainly a sad one and the family deserves the sympathy of the community.

Elmer Ludeke went to Charles City the first of the week to bring home his trunk and belongings. On account of his brother Henry's illness he is compelled to give up his school work.

The Klemme "Standard Bearer" society will give a box social at the Arnold home on the evening of "Ground-hog Day," to which they invite all of their friends and those interested. Whether the ground hog sees his shadow or not, they assure all a good time.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. John Schwichtenberg had been planning for some time to celebrate the 25th wedding anniversary of their parents They invited all the relatives and prepared for the occasion without the least intimation leaking out. As the date fell on Sunday they decided to celebrate on Saturday Mr. S. had agreed to haul his hogs to town that day and the children had to use all kinds of tactics to keep him home. When the guests arrived he had his hogs loaded and was all but ready for a festival day. But he soon joined with his guests to make the day a real wedding anniversary. A dozen families were present during the day and in the evening some 30 young people arrived leaving behind many well-wishes and tokens of rememberances

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RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

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A HORRIBLE HOLD-UP.

About ten years ago my brother was held up in his work health and happiness by what was believed to be hopeless consumption writes W. H. Lipscomb of Washington, N. C. He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man today It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lung hemorrhages coughs and cold bronchitis la grippe asthma and all bronchial affections. 50c and $100. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co.

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NOTICE.

In the District Court of Hancock County, Iowa. February Term, 1909.

In the matter of the Application of George A. Pabst to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors for lawful purposes only.

To Whom it May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the application of George A. Pabst, a Registered pharmacist No. 7894, doing business under the firm name of George A. Pabst & Co., praying for permit to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors for lawful purposes only in the first story and basement of the frame building situated on Lot One (1) in Block Eleven (11) of the Original Town of Klemme, Hancock County, Iowa, will be on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Hancock County, Iowa, on or before the 4th day of February, A. D., 1909, and that said application will come on for hearing at the February term of said Court to be begun and held at the Court House in Garner, in said County, on the 15th day of February, A. D., 1909.

Dated this 6th day of January, A. D., 1909.

Geo. A. Pabst,
Applicant.

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LOCAL NEWS

A new ad State Bank.

Oysters direct from Baltimore Kluckhohn's.

Nice line of Valentines at G. . Kluckhohn's.

Geo. Ell of Belmond visited latives here the first of this ek.

W. L. Newell and family of eenville, Iowa are new Times bscribers.

I have just added to my stock nice line of Lace Curtains at up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. huler's. tf

ANTED—Man with team to cans in country. $150 per month. Pleas work. The Big Four Mfg. Co., lar Falls, Iowa.

Several from Klemme attend the programme and basket tial east of town Tuesday ening.

acob Bock and John Wacker Tuesday for Thief River lls, Minn. where they will k after their land interests. ey expect to return in about eek.

We wish to congratulate some our correspondents for being rd of in the columns this ek. We hope that the reinder will do likewise.

o have good health live long and py, follow the advise of the great- health specialist—take a physic e a week. Do this and you won't w what a sick day is. Hollister's y mountain tea the safest physic. G A Pabst & Co.

ast week we had our January w and the roads were terribly ddy. The sun was not visi- for several days until Satur- . From Saturday to Thurs- it was regular spring weath- and today Thursday it is rain .

y an oversight we omitted to ntion the masquerade ball at Klemme opera house on Jan. h this Friday evening. The iesemer & Shipley orchestra l furnish the music. Don't ss it, you will have the time your life.

f you think of buying a rug ill pay you to look over my ck which consists of Wilton vets, Axminsters, Saxony minsters, Colonial Velvets Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. urs for rugs G. F. Schuler.

Do not forget State Bank ad.

J. G. Tanner and son were at the hub Tuesday.

Fresh oysters always on hand at Kluckhohn's. tf.

Joe Johnson shipped from Thornton Sunday one car load of cattle.

Mrs. F. H. Ridder and Mrs. F. Musfeld were Garner visitors Wednesday.

The prettiest and up-to date valentines can be procured at G. W. Kluckhohn's.

Mrs. Geo. Fuller of Iowa Falls visited with her son Wm. Fuller and family 1 st week.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

Read the market report. Bring your produce to Klemme and receive the highest market price.

This office would be pleased to receive quite a few renewals on the Times the first of the year. We need the money.

Joe Miller had his camera out Saturday taking pictures of our sky-scrapers. Joe is getting to be an expert in this line.

FOR SALE—My 6 H. P. gasoline engine. Will trade same for a good horse.
25 2 C. J. Kraus.

Mrs. A. B. Shafer left Saturday evening for Iowa Falls where she is visiting her daughter Mrs. Dr. Spooner and family.

Geo. Schroeder and his son Charles purchased the Pete Becker meat market at Garner and will take possession on Mar. 1st.

FOR SALE—Six milch cows, 1 registered Short-horn bull, 13 head of horses and all kinds of farm machinery at my farm 4 miles east and 1 mi. north of Klemme. J. Wacker. 26-3*

Makes rich, red blood, restful sleep builds strong healthy tissue—steady nerves, perfect digestion and assimilation. Keeps you well and happy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co.

The healing, soothing refreshing action of Hollister's rocky mountain tea cleanses and regulates the bowls. tones and purifies the stomach, increases nerve force. Makes you well keeps you well. Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co

M. H. Thompson and family and L. Reed and family left last week for Wyoming, Iowa. Len and Mart will work with a cement gang on the Milwaukee R. R They will return in the Spring.

A brand new boy appeared at the G. I. Schaper home on Thursday noon of this week. Comparing his voice with his weight (8¼ lbs) he should be a good tenor singer some day.

The 'Customers Bargain Sale' at the Wellemeyer store is being largely attended these days. The coffee which the ladies served from a patent coffee pot was good "hot stuff" and quite a number indulged in drinking coffee.

Wm. F. Lau and family moved last week from Wilmont, Minn. to Garner. Wm. will now have charge of the section from Garner to Miller. His wife and children visited here with her parents and family over Sunday and left Monday for Garner.

There will be a Basket Social January 29, 1909 at the Newberger School four miles east of town. A good humorous program is being prepared. All come and give us a hearty support.
25-2 Laila M. Reed, Teacher.

Change of ad State Bank.

F. A. Arnold transacted business at the hub on Monday.

Since our January thaw the roads have been very muddy.

Mrs. F. W. Tanner was at Garner between trains Tuesday.

Wm. Baack was a Garner sight-seer the first of this week.

Mrs. Geo. Schroeder was at Garner between trains Monday.

Mrs. Phillip Ell visited old acquaintances at Garner on Monday.

Valentines, valentine post cards and comic cards at Kluckhohn's.

Rev. Wessel transacted business at Charles City the first of this week.

The Terhufen Bros. store will be open to the public for business next week Monday, Feb. 1.

Ade Ridder visited over Sunday with his brothers and families returning Monday to Fenton.

Misses Ethel and Katie Hamilton left for Garner Monday for a few days visit among friends.

John Griewe left Monday for a few days visit with his sister and other friends at Charles City.

Nellie Lau left Monday for Charles City where she will visit with Lurena Wessel and Fleanor Griewe.

Emil Sampson and Hugo Neef who are attending school at Mason City, visited over Sunday at home returning Monday.

Elmer Ludeke left for Charles City Monday for a few days visit with friends. We presume there are other attractions for him there also.

Robert Crambell of Minden, Neb., visited with his old time friend Wm. Fuller and family last week. He is also visiting friends at Buffalo Center.

H. L. Suckow was seen on our streets Monday for the first time in one month. As his family were under quarantine they were unable to get out any sooner. Those who were sick are all well again.

Mrs. Reep and Mrs. Frye of Wichita, Kansas, arrived Monday for a visit with their sister Mrs. G. A. Kahler and family. They have not seen each other for the past 18 years. This will be a happy reunion.

OAME NEAR CHOKING TO DEATH.

A little boy the son of Chris. D. Peterson a well known resident of the village of Jacksonville, Iowa had a sudden and violent attack of croup Much thick stringy phlegm came up after giving chamberlain's cough remedy. Mr. Peterson says: I think he would have choked to death had we not given him this remedy. For sale by G A Pabst & Co.

Postmaster Short Over $1,200

The postoffice at Woden is said to be shy over $1200 and Postmaster Sage is in charge of the Federal authorities. The four bondsmen have put up the amount having divided it equally among themselves. It seems Sage issued money orders but forgot to place the proper amount in Uncle Sam's till. The penalty for an offence of this kind is from three to ten years. The shortage first appeared last May it seems and were then nearly $100. Since then they have constantly increased. Money orders amounting to $100 were issued this year.—Garner Signal.

Ell Center.

Roy Kimbal of Clear Lake spent Sunday here with friends.

Will Glanville and family of Avery took in the basket social Friday evening.

Mrs. Bateman returned to Dubuque on Saturday after spending two weeks with her daughters Mrs. Hod and Charley Lawhorn.

The basket social at the school house was well attended last Friday evening. A good programme was given and $16.10 was taken in.

Pyrography or Burnt Wood.

We have a fine assortment of patterns in burnt wood, pretty handkerchief, glove, photo, collar and card boxes also photo holders and other useful articles. Please call at the house.
Mrs. J. Josten.

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Hundreds of orphans have been helped by the President of the Industrial and Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga. who writes: We have used Electric Bitters in this institution for nine years. It has proved a most excellent medicine for stomach liver and kidney troubles. We regard it as one of the best family medicines on earth. It invigorates the vital organs purifies the blood aids digestion creates appetite. To strengthen and build up thin pale weak children or run down people it has no equal. Best for female complaints. Only 50c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

Hancock County Boy Wins

In the Northern Iowa Short Course Spelling Contest held at Mason City, Friday evening Jan. 22nd.

Four counties Cerro Gordo, Floyd, Hancock and Worth were represented in this contest.

About 75 pupils below high school grade participated. The contest was conducted by Prof Holden of Ames.

Ora Haxton of the 8th grade Britt public school won 1st place and received $20 from the Short Course Association and $5 offered by the Farmers National Bank of Garner to the best speller from Hancock county.

Marth Hawley of the Hayfield school stood next highest from Hancock county and of the twenty best in the contest. Miss Hawley received $1 from the Association and $3 offered by the Interstate Drainage & Investment Co. of Britt. Alice Perrigo of Madison No. 1 was among the twenty best and received $1 from the Association.

Hancock county has reason to be proud of the honors won by her contestants. Twenty pupils represented the following schools:

Ora Haxton, Britt (Independent).

Martha Hawley, Hayfield.

Alice Perrigo, Madison No. 1.

Clarrissa Peterson, Miller.

Dulcie Hughes, Goodell.

Howard Schaper, Britt twp. Dickirson school.

Marie Esch, Britt twp. Krough school.

Mabel Lutjen, Britt township, Ward school.

Gilmore Johnson, Orthel twp, No. 1.

Sylvia Johnson, Amsterdam township No. 6.

Fred Brower, Amsterdam, tp. No. 4.

Clara Schlichting, Ellington township No. 8.

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When your Watch Stops

You cannot make it go by shaking it.

When the bowels are constipated you can disturb them with cathartics but, like the watch, they will not be able to do their allotted work until they are put into proper condition to do it.

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PRESIDENT SENDS STRONG MESSAGE

ACCOMPANYING REPORTS OF THE CONSERVATION CONGRESS

URGES NEEDED LEGISLATION

Document in a Measure Is a Defense of the Retiring Administration—Duty of the Present Generation to Its Descendants Pointed Out—Obligations of Citizenship—Urgent Need for the Development of the Country's Water Power.

Washington.—With the transmission of the report of the national conservation commission and accompanying papers, President Roosevelt also sent a message to congress. The following is a comprehensive synopsis of the document:

The president declares his entire concurrence with the statements and conclusions of the report and proceeds:

"It is one of the most fundamentally important documents ever laid before the American people. It contains the first inventory of its natural resources ever made by any nation. In condensed form it presents a statement of our available capital in material resources, which are the means of progress, and calls attention to the essential conditions upon which the perpetuity, safety and welfare of this nation now rest and must always continue to rest.

"The facts set forth in this report constitute an imperative call to action. The situation they disclose demands that we, neglecting for a time, if need be, smaller and less vital questions, shall concentrate an effective part of our attention upon the great material foundations of national existence, progress, and prosperity.

"The first of all considerations is the permanent welfare of our people; and true moral welfare, the highest form of welfare, can not permanently exist save on a firm and lasting foundation of material well-being. In this respect our situation is far from satisfactory. After every possible allowance has been made, and when every hopeful indication has been given its full weight, the facts still give reason for grave concern. It would be unworthy of our history and our intelligence, and disastrous to our future, to shut our eyes to these facts or attempt to laugh them out of court. The people should and will rightly demand that the great fundamental questions shall be given attention by their representatives. I do not advise hasty or ill-considered action on disputed points, but I do urge, where the facts are known, where the public interest is clear, that neither indifference and inertia, nor adverse private interests, shall be allowed to stand in the way of the public good.

"The great basic facts are already well known. We know that our population is now adding about one-fifth to its numbers in ten years, and that by the middle of the present century perhaps 150,000,000 Americans, and by its end very many millions more, must be fed and clothed from the products of our soil.

"We know now that our rivers can and should be made to serve our people effectively in transportation, but that the vast expenditures for our waterways have not resulted in maintaining, much less in promoting, inland navigation. Therefore, let us take immediate steps to ascertain the reasons and to prepare and adopt a comprehensive plan for inland-waterway navigation that will result in giving the people the benefits for which they have paid but which they have not yet received. We know now that our forests are fast disappearing, that less than one-fifth of them are being conserved, and that no good purpose can be met by failing to provide the relatively small sums needed for the protection, use, and improvement of all forests still owned by the government, and to enact laws to check the wasteful destruction of the forests in private hands.

"We know now that our mineral resources once exhausted are gone forever, and that the needless waste of them costs us hundreds of human lives and nearly $200,000,000 a year. Therefore, let us undertake without delay the investigations necessary before our people will be in position, through state action or otherwise, to put an end to this huge loss and waste, and conserve both our mineral resources and the lives of the men who take them from the earth.

"This administration has achieved some things; it has sought, but has not been able, to achieve, others; it has doubtless made mistakes; but all it has done or attempted has been in the single, consistent effort to secure and enlarge the rights and opportunities of the men and women of the United States. We are trying to conserve what is good in our social system, and we are striving toward this end when we endeavor to do away with what is bad. Success may be made too hard for some if it is made too easy for others. The rewards of common industry and thrift may be too small if the rewards for others, and on the whole less valuable, qualities, are made too large, and especially if the rewards for qualities which are really, from the public standpoint, undesirable, are permitted to become too large. Our aim is so far as possible to provide such conditions that there shall be equality of opportunity where there is equality of energy, fidelity and intelligence; when there is a reasonable equality of opportunity the distribution of rewards will take care of itself.

"The unchecked existence of monopoly is incompatible with equality of opportunity. The reason for the exercise of government control over great monopolies is to equalize opportunity. We are fighting against privilege. It was made unlawful for corporations to contribute money for election expenses in order to abridge the power of special privilege at the polls. Railroad rate control is an attempt to secure an equality of opportunity for all men affected by rail transportation; and that means all of us. The great anthracite coal strike was settled, and the pressing danger of a coal famine averted, because we recognized that the control of a public necessity involves a duty to the people, and that public intervention in the affairs of a public service corporation is neither to be resented as usurpation nor permitted as a privilege by the corporations, but on the contrary to be accepted as a duty and exercised as a right by the government in the interest of all the people. The efficiency of the army and the navy has been increased so that our people may follow in peace the great work of making this country a better place for Americans to live in, and our navy was sent round the world for the same ultimate purpose. All the acts taken by the government during the last seven years, and all the policies now being pursued by the Government, fit in as parts of a consistent whole.

"The enactment of a pure food law was a recognition of the fact that the public welfare outweighs the right to private gain, and that no man may poison the people for his private profit. The employers' liability bill recognized the controlling fact that while the employer usually has at stake no more than his profit, the stake of the employe is a living for himself and his family.

"We are building the Panama canal; and this means that we are engaged in the giant engineering feat of all time. We are striving to add in all ways to the habitability and beauty of our country. We are striving to hold in the public lands the remaining supply of unappropriated coal, for the protection and benefit of all the people. We have taken the first steps toward the conservation of our natural resources, and the betterment of country life, and the improvement of our waterways. We stand for the right of every child to a childhood free from grinding toil, and to an education; for the civic responsibility and decency of every citizen; for prudent foresight in public matters, and for fair play in every relation of our national and economic life. In international matters we apply a system of diplomacy which puts the obligations of international morality on a level with those that govern the actions of an honest gentleman in dealing with his fellow-men. Within our own border we stand for truth and honesty in public and in private life; and we war sternly against wrongdoers of every grade. All these efforts are integral parts of the same attempt, the attempt to enthrone justice and righteousness, to secure freedom of opportunity to all of our citizens, now and hereafter, and to set the ultimate interest of all of us above the temporary interest of any individual, class, or group.

"The nation, its government, and its resources exist, first of all, for the American citizen, whatever his creed, race, or birthplace, whether he be rich or poor, educated or ignorant, provided only that he is a good citizen, recognizing his obligations to the nation for the rights and opportunities which he owes to the nation.

"The obligations, and not the rights, of citizenship increase in proportion to the increase of a man's wealth or power. The time is coming when a man will be judged, not by what he has succeeded in getting for himself from the common store, but by how well he has done his duty as a citizen, and by what the ordinary citizen has gained in freedom of opportunity because of his service for the common good. The highest value we know is that of the individual citizen, and the highest justice is to give him fair play in the effort to realize the best there is in him.

"The tasks this nation has to do are great tasks. They can only be done at all by our citizens acting together, and they can be done best of all by the direct and simple application of homely common sense. The application of common sense to common problems for the common good, under the guidance of the principles upon which this republic was based, and by virtue of which it exists, spells perpetuity for the nation, civil and industrial liberty for its citizens, and freedom of opportunity in the pursuit of happiness for the plain American, for whom this nation was founded, by whom it was preserved, and through whom alone it can be perpetuated. Upon this platform—larger than any party differences, higher than class prejudice, broader than any question of profit and loss—there is room for every American who realizes that the common good stands first."

Accompanying the message are explanations and recommendations of work to be done for the future good of the country. The president says: "It is especially important that the development of water power should be guarded with the utmost care both by the national government and by the states in order to protect the people against the upgrowth of monopoly and to insure to them a fair share in the benefits which will follow the development of this great asset which belongs to the people and should be controlled by them.

"I urge that provision be made for both protection and more rapid development of the national forests. Otherwise, either the increasing use of these forests by the people must be checked or their protection against fire must be dangerously weakened. If we compare the actual fire damage on similar areas on private and national forest lands during the past year, the government fire patrol saved commercial timber worth as much as the total cost of caring for all national forests at the present rate for about ten years.

"I especially commend to congress the facts presented by the commission as to the relation between forests and stream flow in its bearing upon the importance of the forest lands in national ownership. Without an understanding of this ultimate relation the conservation of both these natural resources must largely fail.

"The time has fully arrived for recognizing in the law the responsibility to the community, the state, and the nation which rests upon the private ownership of private lands. The ownership of forest land is a public trust. The man who would handle his forest as to cause erosion and to injure stream flow must be not only educated, but he must be controlled."

In conclusion the president urges upon congress the desirability of maintaining a national commission on the conservation of the resources of the country. He adds: "I would also advise that an appropriation of at least $50,000 be made to cover the expenses of the national conservation commission for necessary rent, assistance and traveling expenses. This is a very small sum. I know of no other way in which the appropriation of so small a sum would result in so large a benefit to the whole nation."

THE WONDERBERRY.

Mr. Luther Burbank, the plant Wizard of California, has originated a wonderful new plant which grows anywhere, in any soil or climate, and bears great quantities of luscious berries all the season. Plants are grown from seed, and it takes only three months to get them in bearing, and they may be grown and fruited all summer in the garden, or in pots during the winter. It is unquestionably the greatest Fruit Novelty ever known, and Mr. Burbank has made Mr. John Lewis Childs, of Floral Park, N. Y., the introducer. He says that Mr. Childs is one of the largest, best-known, fairest and most reliable Seedsman in America. Mr. Childs is advertising seed of the Wonderberry all over the world, and offering great inducements to Agents for taking orders for it. This berry is so fine and valuable, and so easily grown anywhere, that everybody should get it at once.

KIND HEARTED JANE.

Mistress—Have you made the chicken broth, Jane?

Jane—Yes, mum; and fed the chickens with it, ages ago!

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A Slight Misunderstanding.

Little Helen Bentley of Los Angeles, aged five, dearly loves her grandma, who has been living with her and her parents. Recently grandma went to Seattle for a visit, and caught cold on the way. When she arrived there, she wrote back to Helen's parents that she had reached Seattle, but had had a hard fight with the grip. Helen wanted to hear what grandma had to say, and the letter was read to her. Soon afterward she saw one of her neighbors, and exclaimed: "Oh, Mrs. Smith, we've had a letter from grandma. She got to Seattle all right, but she had a terrible fight with her valise."

Professor Munyon has just issued a most beautiful, useful and complete Almanac; it contains not only all the scientific information concerning the moon's phases, in all the latitudes, but has illustrated articles on how to read character by phrenology, palmistry and birth month. It also tells all about card reading, birth stones and their meaning, and gives the interpretation of dreams. It teaches beauty culture, manicuring, gives weights and measures, and antidotes for poison. In fact, it is a Magazine Almanac, that not only gives valuable information, but will afford much amusement for every member of the family, especially for parties and evening entertainments. Farmers and people in the rural districts will find this Almanac almost invaluable.

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Took It Out on the Boy.

"What, you want a dollar for spending money?" exclaimed Mr. Tytes. "Look here, young man, when I was a boy my father never gave me a dollar to spend foolishly. I was taught to consider myself lucky if I got a nickel."

"Well," protested Bobby, "you don't need to jump on me about it. Tell your troubles to grandpa."

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EVERYTHING WAS FAVORABLE

SORRY HE DIDN'T MOVE TO WESTERN CANADA BEFORE.

Mr. Austin was a man who had never had any previous experience in farming, but Western Canada had allurements, and he profited. He got a low-rate certificate from a Canadian Government agent, and then moved. What he says is interesting:

"Ranfurly, Alberta, May 10-'08.

"J. N. Grieve, Esqr., Spokane, Washington.—Dear Sir: After a dozen more years of unsuccessful effort in the mercantile business in Western Washington, in August, 1903, decided to come to Alberta with a gentleman who was shipping two cars live stock to Edmonton. I assisted this man with the stock over one hundred miles out in the Birch Lake Country East of Edmonton. Indeed, how surprised, how favorably everything compared with my dream of what I wanted to see in a new country.

"Had never had any experience in farming, but I was immediately converted into a farmer. And from that moment I have prospered. Selected a homestead near Birch Lake, I returned for wife and three small children and freighted out from Edmonton in March following year we shoveled a spot clear of snow and pitched our tent and commenced operations, for that time we had no neighbors. Four years have passed, the locality is well settled, two miles from railway station, with churches and schools, telephone and good road accommodation.

"We are enjoying the privileges granted to any rural district in Washington. The Birch Lake Country is no exception, this great transformation is rapidly going on in every district in Western Canada.

"I estimate that every quarter section in every direction is capable of producing a comfortable living for a family of ten forever. After paying for two horses and a cow, had about $10.00 to go on. Did my first ploughing in my life. I was very awkward at my work, but nature was glad and I was abundantly paid for my efforts. My cattle has increased to about 100 head, which was very profitable on account of the abundance of forage. My farm was compelled to buy about two hundred dollars' worth of farm machinery on time, and the payments were due last fall, and you may wonder how I expected to pay for them when I had such a bad year. 'Twas a bad year bad for Western Canada or for a Saskatchewanian. But is not 35 or 40 bushels oats a pretty good yield per acre in many States? Then the price of grain went out of sight, so when I had sold my crop I found I was able to make my payments nicely, besides having had lots of feed. No one has any business raising cattle without growing grain, or vice versa. As to the winter, I did not feed my cattle, excepting the calves, a fork of hay until in March. Have found the winters much more pleasant than we did in Western Washington. This is strange and hard to explain, but 'tis true, nevertheless. At 40 degrees below zero we have more comfort than you would at 20 degrees above, so still and dry—with bright sunny days. My wife says that her only regret she has is that we did not come here ten years ago, as we would now certainly have been in a position to retire from hard work. Most men soon become satisfied as neighbors begin to come round them. Have 98 acres in crop this year, besides two acres potatoes, which have always brought me a good price. We find a ready market for everything we produce. To the Poor Man—Here is a chance to establish yourself. To the Rich Man—Here is a chance to buy land for $10.00 to $15.00 per acre which will produce more money than a half dozen acres of your land at $50.00 to $75.00 per acre land. And if I am very much mistaken, this year will prove an eye opener to those who are a little sceptical. The trouble with me is that I have so much to say favorable to Alberta 'tis hard to be brief. Respectfully,

(Signed) "P. S. AUSTIN."

A Difference in Degree.

"I just love cake," said Johnnie, lovingly. "It's awful nice."

"You should not say 'love' of cake," corrected his mother. "You should say 'like.' And do not say 'awful.' Say 'very.' And say 'good' instead of 'nice.' Now see if you can repeat the sentence correctly."

"I like cake," repeated Johnnie, "it's very good."

"That's better."

"I know, ma," complained Johnnie, "but it sounds just as if I was talking 'bout bread."—Everybody.

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LAKE FIRE HORROR

ABOUT SEVENTY MEN PERISH IN CHICAGO DISASTER.

CRIB IS A BLAZING TRAP

Workmen Burned to Death or Drowned in the Icy Waters—Many Rescued by a Tug.

Chicago.—Death in frightful form a choice between incineration or drowning in the ice-clogged lake—descended on probably 70 men at eight o'clock Wednesday morning when fire attacked the temporary crib of the new southwest land and water tunnel a mile and a half off Seventy-third street.

As nearly as can be learned, 120 men, mostly employes of George W. Jackson (Inc.), were in the crib at the time. Of these 47 are known to have been burned to death, as that number of bodies, so charred and mutilated as to make identification practically impossible, were recovered.

Others Perish in Lake.

Still others—number unknown and probably never to be revealed—lost their lives while battling with the icy waters which surrounded the blazing crib, having cast themselves into the lake in the vain hope that they might survive till help should arrive.

With the exception of the Iroquois disaster, which stands high in the list of world horrors, it was the most ruthless slaughter Chicago ever has ever known.

The cause of the fire and responsibility for the disaster remain undetermined. A rigid inquiry has been begun by Coroner Hoffman and the police.

Tug Prompt in Rescue.

Had it not been for the arrival of the tug T. T. Morford within ten minutes of the beginning of the fire every man on the crib probably would have perished. Some of the men sprang naked into the water, with portions of their bodies burned to a crisp, and battled their way to ice floes. Here they dragged themselves up, only to freeze to the floes and to leave strips of flesh upon the icy surface when they were removed by the crew of the Morford.

Others of the men endeavored to hold themselves suspended by ropes at an angle from the burning structure, only to be roasted piecemeal or to have the ropes budn through, plunging them to death in the water.

Many of these men were of those who could not swim and who knew that to jump into the water was only to leap to death.

Death by Slow Burning.

They, therefore, made pitiable attempts to elude the flames and met a harrowing death by slow burning. Even those men who could swim and who were not burned suffered terribly from the cold of the water and from freezing on the ice floes. Some of those who could swim failed to reach a bit of ice whereon they could drag themselves and died from drowning.

Still others of the unfortunates, and these were more lucky than their fellows, inasmuch as they met only death and not agony, were caught in their bunks asleep and died almost instantly in the raging hell of the crib.

The fire broke out shortly after the night shift had gone off watch. Some of the men had gone to bed or were preparing to go, and thus were caught without even clothing. Many of the men rescued from the floes by the Morford were naked or nearly so. Some of these, however, had been fully dressed when the fire broke out, but had their clothes burned off them.

Anguished Women Shriek.

Nor was the agony at the crib by any means the total of all the anguish of the time. Eight thousand feet distant, on the shore, helpless, shrieking, hysterical or dumb with horror, were grouped women and children and men—the relatives of those who were dead or dying.

The news of the catastrophe spread as rapidly as the flames themselves, and in a short time the shore between Seventy-fifth street and Sixty-eighth street was lined with human beings whose mental anguish was as frightful as the physical anguish out in the fog-covered lake.

The smoke and the flames could be seen from the shore, despite the gray fog bank. Every eye was on the flames, and each impotent onlooker realized that those flames meant death or indescribable suffering to father, brother, husband.

The inferno at the crib was increased in horror about fifteen minutes after the beginning of the fire by the explosion of dynamite which was used in blasting. Nearly three hundred pounds of dynamite were at the crib and part of this exploded.

There is a conflict of opinion as to what caused the fire. One theory is that one of the workmen threw a lighted match on a small portion of the dynamite and that it burned slowly. Others declare that the fire was due to crossed electric wires.

OFTEN THE CASE.

Women Struggle Hopelessly Along, Suffering Backache, Dizzy Spells, Languor, Etc.

Women have so much to go through in life that it's a pity there is so much

suffering from backache and other common curable kidney ills. If you suffer so, profit by this woman's example: Mrs. Martin Douglass, 52 Cedar St., Kingston, N. Y., says: "I had a lame, aching back, dizzy spells, headaches, and a feeling of languor. Part of the time I could not attend to my work and irregularity of the kidney secretions was annoying. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me prompt relief."

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ONE THING AT A TIME.

"Have you noticed that the baroness never talks about other women?"

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At His Own Risk.

Caller (on crutches and with a bandage over one eye)—I have come, sir, to make application for the amount due on my accident insurance policy. I fell down a long flight of stairs the other evening and sustained damages that will disable me for a month to come.

Manager of Company—Young man, I have taken the trouble to investigate your case, and I find you are not entitled to anything. It could not be called an accident. You certainly knew the young lady's father was at home.—Stray Stories.

Anger Shrinks Vitality.

Dr. Maurice de Fleury, a distinguished Frenchman, advances the theory that every time one becomes angry his vitality shrinks. After even the most artfully suppressed signs of bad temper the vitality becomes smaller and smaller, until finally nothing is left. Anger is a certain kind of cerebral excitement, explains Dr. de Fleury. The hyperasthenic subject is always on its verge, while the neurasthenic becomes infuriated only by a sudden bound of reaction excited from without. But at that moment when they are let loose the two are alike, save that the strong man is a blinder brute, while the weak man is somewhat of an actor and seems to aim at effect.

Too Much for His Mind.

"My first impulses," wailed the Sad-Eyed Individual, "are invariably good. In fact, I think that I may venture, without fear of undue exaggeration, to say that they are very good. But I never act on them! I always act on second thoughts. This trait in my character has ruined my career, because my second thoughts are always bad! In fact, I think I may say, without fear of misrepresentation, that they're punk."

"Well," suggested he who was listening, "why don't you wait until third thoughts, and act on them?"

Mournfully, despondently, the Sad-Eyed Individual shook his head.

"My dear sir," he groaned, "I never had three successive thoughts about anything in my life!"

JOY WORK

And the Other Kind.

Did you ever stand on a prominent corner at an early morning hour and watch the throngs of people on their way to work? Noting the number who were forcing themselves along because it meant their daily bread, and the others cheerfully and eagerly pursuing their way because of love of their work.

It is a fact that one's food has much to do with it. As an example:

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Uncertainty in Pittsburg.

It was Christmas eve in Pittsburg. The snow sparkled in the tin roofs. Far away could be seen the rubicund glow of the coke ovens.

All was quiet in the home of the Pittsburg official.

Suddenly a low tap resounded on the outer door.

"Hark, George!" said the official's wife. "Did you hear that? It may be Santa Claus."

"It may be Santa Claus," said the official, gloomily, "but I'll bet $4 it's a deputy sheriff!"

And he arose and put on his shoes.

The Use of a Fat Man.

"I don't know whether I'll like Jack or not when I see him again," said she. "He wrote me he was getting fat. I hate a fat man."

"A fat man's all right," said the boy who was playing cards on the floor, "when a burglar gets in. A fat man will scare a burglar."

"But," she demurred, "I'm not marrying a man just because he's good to scare burglars with, am I?"

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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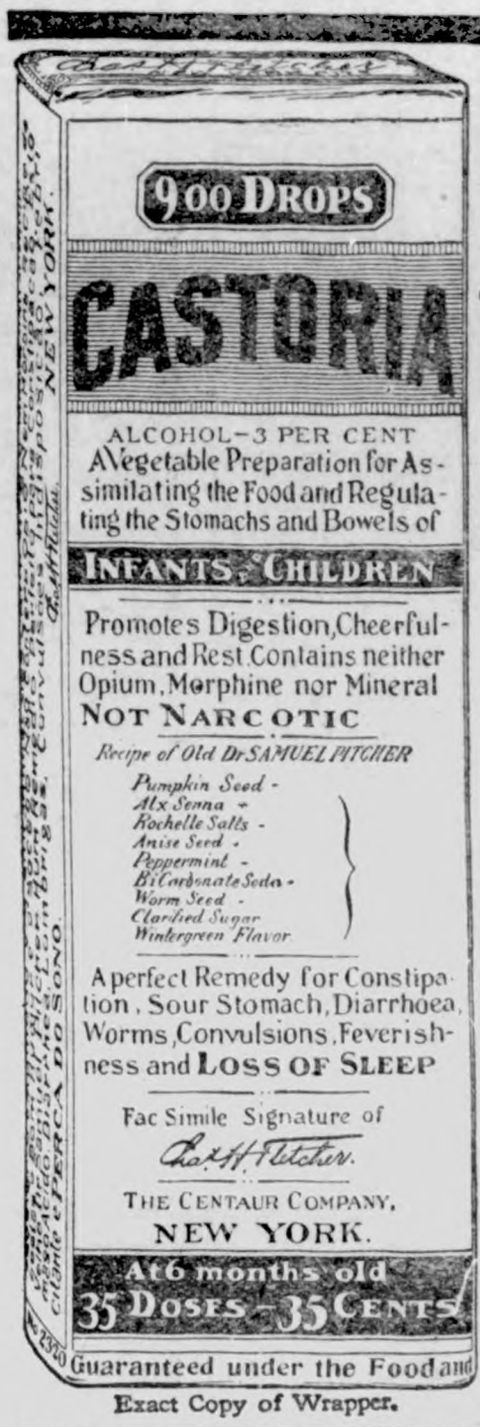

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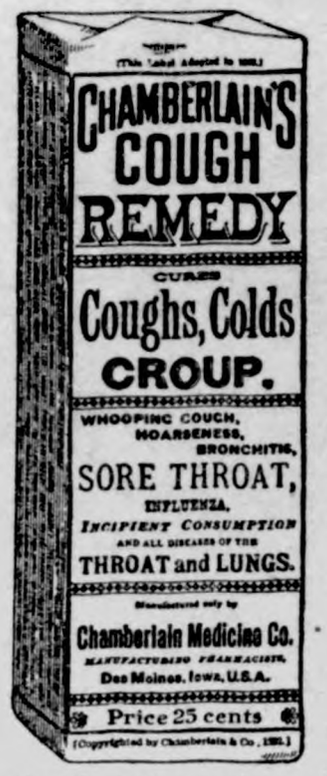

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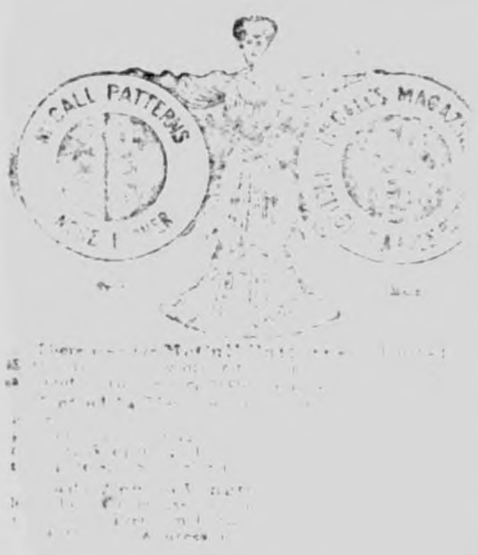

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Opposed All Education.

The Abecedarians were the followers of one Nikolaus Storch, a clothmaker of Wittenberg, who flourished in 1522. He proclaimed fanatical views that are commonly called Anabaptist, and soon gathered a considerable following.

The foundation of their faith was that it was best not to know how to read, since the Holy Spirit would convey knowledge of the Scriptures directly to the understanding. They contended, therefore, that as education might be a hindrance to salvation it must be avoided as a pest. They encouraged pupils to desert the schools and universities and take up humble trades.

The Skylark's Song.

The skylark of England does not sing in winter, but in the early days of spring the great flocks of these birds break up, and they go in pairs to hunt for places to build their nests and rear their young. It is then that the song of the bird is heard in all its sweetness. While the mother-bird is sitting on her nest, her mate often rises in the air, and with quivering wing mounts straight upwards so far that he looks like a mere speck in the sky. And all the time he pours forth his rich and beautiful song, ceasing only as he descends again to the nest.

His Favorite Game-Bird.

At a dinner one day, says a writer in the Philadelphia Public Ledger, some men were discussing the merits of different kinds of game-birds. One preferred canvasback duck, another, woodcock, and still another thought a quail the most delicious article of food. The discussion and the dinner ended at about the same time.

"Now, Frank," said one of the men to the waiter at his elbow, "what kind of game do you like best?"

"Well, suh, to tell the truf, almost any kind of game suits me, but what I like bes' is an American eagle served on a silber dollar."—Youth's Companion.

The Irony of Fate.

An old Jewish woman on the East side of New York was bewailing the plight of her daughter, who had just been left a widow with a large family, with no one to depend upon for support but her own parents.

"Oi, oi, oi!" bewailed the old woman. "That my daughter's husband should die and leafe her with seven girls, and their granfader in the boys' cloding pisuness!"

Keep Windows Open at Night.

To sleep without plenty of fresh air is to take just so much poison into your system. It means that you breathe the same air over and over again, and then you wonder why you feel so heavy and languid in the morning. No matter how cold the night, open your window as far as it will go. If you wrap yourself up properly you will not feel the cold. Wear a flannel gown and something over your head. The last thing before going to bed, fill a bottle with hot water, cork it tightly and place it in the bed. If you have plenty of bed coverings you will be as warm as possible all night.

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Klemme, - - Iowa

France is strongly tempted to subsidize the stork.

The average height of the Laplander is less than five feet.

In sleety days the good citizen is known by the kind of pavement he keeps.

England's turbine fleet already includes 62 warships and 44 vessels of the merchant marine.

Pittsburg girl eloped to Ohio and took her mother along. Thereby showing two varieties of good judgment.

With an annual saving fund of a billion France ought to be very comfortable on the proverbial rainy day.

Anyhow, Mark Twain has made sure that his patent on Huckleberry Finn shall not expire for a long, long time.

Thirty gallons of oysters were used at a church sociable at Hutchinson, Kan. Who says prosperity hasn't returned?

A philanthropic but misguided fish doctor in New York city has succeeded in saving the life of a German carp. Cui bono?

Orville Wright manages to get about on crutches, which is some progress toward his practice of ignoring terra firma altogether.

A Milwaukee doctor has married his cook. But the scheme doesn't work. Just as soon as you marry them, they quit being cooks.

A Parisian journal asks the question: "Should actresses marry?" We should say the answer is: "Not so often as they do."

We should imagine, from some of the rambling remarks of Prof. Hugo Muensterberg, that applied sociology was a good thing until one came to apply it.

Gold, silver and lead mines are, it is said, to be worked extensively in the bleak district of Innishowen, County of Donegal, Ireland, overlooking the Atlantic.

"Forget it" is said to be the favorite maxim of the German emperor. Our guess is that he has recently been compelled to work his favorite maxim overtime.

One of the doctors says cocktails superinduce pneumonia. He must be trying to allay the fears that certain people have had concerning pneumonia.

Those countries now adopting old-age pensions may not know the trouble they are bringing on themselves, since the professor is about to show us all how to live to be young at 150.

When it comes to doing damage, men are puny things, after all. The six months' bombardment of Port Arthur by land and sea did far less damage to that city than the earthquake did to Reggio.

President Roosevelt is expected to capture alive in Africa for the Washington Zoological park an oryx, a kleene-boc and a kahau. Probably he will be successful. He has captured even queerer game in the United States.

Record-breaking work continues in the Panama canal zone. The total excavations during December were 3,261,673 cubic yards, against 2,920,404 yards in November and 2,201,734 yards in December, 1907. And with like progress in other directions the finish is steadily and rapidly drawing near.

A man in New York was arrested and sent to prison for begging for a cup of coffee with which to sustain his feeble strength while looking for work to feed his starving family. And from the fact that so many great crimes go "unwhipped of justice," this treatment of poverty as a crime is one of the worst travesties upon our modern civilization.

Here is proof that the courts are not respecters of persons and do not draw the color line. By a decision of the United States district court in Oklahoma "Zeke" Moore, a colored man, is awarded royalty on oil lands which will make him the richest negro in the state. "Zeke" is also an ex convict, but his good fortune should help him to mend his ways.

The fact that the new president of the New York Central railroad says in the next 15 years the railroads must spend billions, calls attention to what an immense difference it would make if everybody was content to stay in one place. It also emphasizes the fact, declares the Baltimore American that persons who have passed their whole lives in one home or even in one town, or who have never been on a railroad journey in their lives, are written up in the daily papers as human curiosities.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

LATE NEWS OF THE BLIZZARD.

Thousands of Dollars' of Damage at Creston.

Creston.—Although definite estimate is impossible at this time, thousands of dollars' worth of property was destroyed in Creston's business section by the wind storm which accompanied the blizzard of Jan. 29. The county courthouse tower and cupola were thrown through Sheriff Masons' front porch. One thousand dollars will not replace the tower. The Christian church tower was wrecked to the extent of $300, and the Second Catholic church nearly $100. The heavy slate roofing of the large machine shops here was torn away and the machinery buried in ice and snow, necessitating abandonment of all work. Sections of the roundhouse were blown away and engines exposed to the elements.

Webster City Isolated.

Webster City.—Not in twenty-five years has Webster City and north central Iowa been worse storm bound. Not a telegraph wire was running out of the city—not even a railroad wire. In three school buildings no school was held because window lights were blown in and the buildings could not be heated. Big signs all over the business district are down and store fronts were blown in or broken in by flying signs. The municipal heating plant, too, was put out of commission. The big chimney was blown over and the business district, in consequence, was without heat. Rural and city mail deliveries were abandoned. This condition maintained all over this section of the state.

Chicasaw Is Swept.

Nashua.—One of the worst blizzards experienced in this section in years occurred Jan. 29, and as a result of the storm hundreds of dollars' worth of damage was done. On one of the country roads running east of the Corn Belt Telephone companys' lines for a distance of nearly a mile, almost every pole is down, many of them being snapped off like matches Stock also suffered severely, especially where unprotected and there will undoubtedly be considerable loss to farmers. About a foot of snow fell. All business was at a standstill.

Sioux City Lost $10,000.

Sioux City.—Storm damage over northwestern Iowa was confined to unroofed buildings in the country and broken glass fronts of stores in towns. The damage in Sioux City will reach $10,000. Four railroads were without service during the storm. Eleven ice houses of the Consumers' Ice company were overturned, corn cribs were capsized, windmills toppled over and much damage of a smaller nature done.

No Water or Light.

Guthrie Center.—The smokestack on the plant of the Guthrie Center water and electric plant went down in the storm, leaving the city without water or light. One of the big plate glass windows in the First National bank was blown in and many other windows were smashed in downtown sections.

FARM RENTER HAS PROFITS.

Farmer Near Mason City Proves Rented Farm Can Pay.

Swaledale.—The talk that there are no profits resulting to the renter on Iowa farms has been refuted by Ulysses Brough, of this vicinity who, on an ordinary 160 acre farm which he tilled last year, has sold a total of $6,400 worth of grain and stock. Of that amount $2,400 was corn, $1,100 was oats, and $2,400 were steers. He still has on the farm seventy-five head of cattle, a couple hundred head of hogs, 1,200 bushels of corn and 1,500 bushels of oats. He began a few years ago a poor man and has made good headway, but this last year has made his fortune. He holds the record for profitable farming in this part of the state for the renter class.

Canned Goods Are Seized.

Cedar Rapids.—Government officials made a visit to Cedar Rapids armed with a warrant for seizure of a large amount of canned goods alleged to be improperly branded. The goods comprised about 165 cases of canned California peaches, plums, apricots and pears. The allegation of the government is that the cans do not contain two and one-half pounds of fruit, as stated on the package.

THE EXPECTED HAPPENED.

Witness Contradicts Testimony Given by Pastor.

Des Moines.—The expected happened in the Francis will case when the attorneys for the widow and the heirs of Daniel Francis put on a witness who absolutely contradicted the evidence of Rev. T. E. Thuresson. The witness was H. R. Proudfoot. He asserted that the Rev. Mr. Thuresson did make the statement that "someone will have to get busy on old man Francis and line up his property or he will die and we will not lose it." The preacher during his examination the day before denied that he had made such a statement. This contradiction of the pastor's word occurred during the short rebuttal of the widow and the heirs. Mrs. Proudfoot and Rev. O. W. Fifer of Grace M. E. Church, Des Moines, the other two persons whom the attorneys claim heard the Rev. Mr. Thuresson make the same statement, were not called to testify. The introduction of this testimony, or, rather, the announcement that it would come, was one of the surprises of the trial. The Rev. Mr. Thuresson was pastor of the Asbury M. E. church, to which congregation Daniel Francis belonged, and was also an agent of the Preachers' Aid Society. The evidence in the case brought out the fact that he had the first dealings with Daniel Francis concerning the transfer of his property.

ELEVEN BARRELS NABBED.

Sheriff Had Enough Whisky to Start Wholesale House.

Onawa.—Three thousand dollars' worth of "contraband" whisky was seized in Whiting, Iowa, by Sheriff Rawlings, and hauled to Onawa, the county seat and stored in the county jail. The sheriff gained his search warrant by an information filed by John F. Joseph, of Sioux City, who is an attorney for the Anti-Saloon league of that city. This is the property of Pat Wise of Whiting, whose saloon was closed in July by order of the town council. The seizure consisted of eleven barrels and over fifty cases of the finest Bourbon whisky. Although Wise claims he just had it stored in his saloon building, the temperance people say he was bootlegging it out. The haul amounted to four wagon loads which completely filled the county jail. If the charge is sustained it will all be dumped into the gutter.

COUNTY FARM PROFITABLE.

Cerro Gordo Farm Makes More Than Pays for Its Expenses.

Mason City.—Among the few counties in Iowa that have a self supporting county farm this county is one. The fat cattle which have been feeding were marketed at 5c per pound, netting $2,481.50 which came into the hands of the county. The result of this and other farm products has more than kept the fifty inmates. In contrast to the products of this farm is that of Henry county, the report from which shows that a deficit of $35,000 has resulted in the care of the farm and its inmates, of which there are twenty-eight, making a total per capita of $200. At this rate the inmates could be cared for cheaper at the state infirmary.

RACE WAR AT MASON CITY.

Whites and Blacks in Fierce Contest at That Place.

Mason City.—Mason City was given a taste of an incipient race war when a riot between white and colored men terminated in smashing two big plate glass windows for the Armstrong barber shop and the beating up of a couple of negroes. The shop was attacked with stones by unknown parties during the night, and the plate glass windows, 8x10 feet each, were shivered to pieces. Feeling has been running high between certain elements of whites and blacks. Several fights ensued in which a couple of colored men were waylaid in an alley and roughly handled. This was followed by the breaking of the windows.

Nearly Million for Quake Aid.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Nearly $900,000 has been distributed by the Red Cross society of America to the earthquake sufferers. A statement issued by the organization shows the funds distributed to the Italian Red Cross society $300,000 and the remainder to Ambassador Griscom.

CUBANS TAKE REINS

GEN. GOMEZ IS INAUGURATED AS ISLAND'S PRESIDENT.

GOV. MAGOON STEPS OUT

Ceremonies Preceded by Brilliant Illumination and Farewell Ball for American Officials — Tars Decorate Old Maine.

Havana.—Cuba formally passed back into the hands of the Cubans at noon Thursday, when the new government, headed by President Gomez and Vice-President Zayas was inaugurated.

The ceremonies were simple. Gen. Gomez took the oath from the chief justice of the supreme court and made a brief address to the populace from the balcony of the palace. Afterward in the reception room of the palace Gov. Magoon read the order of President Roosevelt restoring the island and its affairs to the newly elected government.

City in Carnival Scene.

The coming of this new day of Cuban liberty was signaled by a general display of fireworks, the velvet blackness of the tropical midnight being set aflame by screeching rockets and bombs which sent down showers of golden rain and gleaming, vari-

colored lights. The streets of the city, which were brilliantly illuminated and garlanded with chains of incandescent bulbs, were thronged and a carnival spirit everywhere prevailed. Thousands of people gathered around the Clerks' club throughout the night, where inaugural and farewell balls were held jointly in honor of President Gomez and Vice-President Zayas and Gov. Magoon, all three of whom were quickly recognized on entering the building and leaving it, and loudly applauded. The balls constituted one of the most brilliant functions held here since the days of the Spanish occupation.

Illumination and Ball.

The festivities really opened Wednesday night with a brilliant illumination of the city and a farewell ball tendered by the mayor and council of Havana in honor of Gov. Magoon, President-elect Gomez, Vice-President-elect Zayas and the American officers who served as provisional authorities.

The illuminations probably were the most elaborate ever seen here. The money provided for the purpose was subscribed unstintedly, and the parks and the principal thoroughfares of the city were transformed into a veritable fairyland. In Central park, stretching down the Prado to the sea, thousands of vari-colored bulbs gleamed among cocoanut palms and laurel trees.

Ball a Brilliant Affair.

The ball was a brilliant function. It was attended by the American officials, the new island authorities, members of the diplomatic corps, special ambassadors and leaders of society. It was held in the large and beautiful ballroom of the Circle Dependientes, or Clerks' club, which is a unique organization with the enormous membership of 34,000. The club building, which faces an entire block, is a palace. The ball was held last night rather than this evening, after the inauguration, because of the determination of the American officials to leave for home immediately following President Gomez's induction into office.

President Sees Success.

Washington. — A message expressing hope for Cuba's success was sent by President Roosevelt to the president and congress of the republic of Cuba Thursday. It follows:

"Gov. Magoon will, by direction, turn over to you, on the 28th of this month, the control and government of the island of Cuba, and he will thereupon declare the provisional administration of the affairs of the island by the United States to be at an end. Upon the occasion of this final act, I desire to reiterate to you the sincere friendship and good wishes of the United States, and our most earnest hopes for the stability and success of your government. Our fondest hope is that you may enjoy the blessings of peace, justice, prosperity and orderly liberty, and that the friendship which has existed between the republic of the United States and the republic of Cuba may continue for all time to come."

JUDGE TAFT ON ISTHMU

MAKES HIS EIGHTH TRIP ACRO THE CANAL ROUTE.

Lands at Colon, Spends Night at Cu bra and Then Pays Visit to the Site of Gatun Dam.

Panama.—President-elect Taft Frid made his eighth trip across the is mus and everywhere was greeted w marked demonstrations of good will

With his party Mr. Taft landed the morning at Colon and proceed by special train to Culebra, where night he was quartered at the re dence of Lieut. Col. Goethals, cha man of the Panama canal commissi His reception by the Panama offici both at Colan and Culebra was m cordial. Saturday Mr. Taft visited t site of Gatun dam.

The United States cruiser Nor Carolina, on which Mr. Taft sail from Charleston, and the convoy cru er Montana arrived at Colon at t o'clock Friday morning after a v age that was marked by splend weather conditions. All the membe of the party were in good health.

Col. Goethals, Joseph Blackbu governor of the canal zone; Col. W liam C. Gorgas, chief sanitary offic of the zone, and other prominent p sons, immediately boarded the Nor Carolina from the tug Cristobal a welcomed the president-elect, w landed at dock No. 2, adjoining t Panama railroad office.

The first person to shake the ha of Mr. and Mrs. Taft when they la ed was Gov. Porfiro Menendez Colon, who introduced to them May Benigno Andrion, Chief of Pol Arango and other Panama officials.

Mr. Taft and his party immediat boarded a train which was wait and left at noon for Culebra. Arriv there the president-elect was recei ceremoniously by the members President Obaldia's cabinet. Dur the afternoon Mr. Taft had a conf ence with the engineers engaged the construction of the canal and visit to the Gatun dam was planned

The president-elect and his pa will sail from Colon for New Orle Friday, February 5.

BODIES OF THE CHENEYS ARRI

American Victims of Quake Brou Home for Burial.

New York.—The bodies of the American victims of the convulsion nature at Messina, Italy, a mo ago, United States Consul Arthur Cheney and Mrs. Cheney, arrived the harbor Thursday night. T were on board the Fabre liner, Ve zia, which arrived after dark and mained anchored at the quaran station until morning.

When the Venezia docked Fr the bodies were escorted by reg troops to the Grand Central sta and there embarked for New Ha Conn., the home of the Chen where interment will take place.

Count Messiglia, the Italian co general at New York, was one of th to receive the bodies at the steam dock. He laid wreaths on the co a graceful tribute paid at the requ of Signor Mayor des Planches, Italian ambassador at Washington.

JEROME IN CANAL LIBEL CA

Ready to Act if Robinson Will Ma Complaint.

New York.—The possibility of federal authorities having to st aside to permit the state and cou of New York to proceed against publishers of the New York World the alleged libel in connection w the Panama purchase, was made parent Tuesday in a letter written District Attorney Jerome to Uni States District Attorney Henry Stimson.

Provided Douglas Robinson, broth in-law of the president, is willing appear as a complainant witness, Jerome is ready, the letter states, begin action at once in the st courts. It would be useless for him do so, however, he explains, if his quiry is not given precedence over t begun before the federal grand ju as acquittal or conviction in one co would act as sufficient defense in other.

Delay Anti-Jap Measure.

Sacramento, Cal.—The question anti-Japanese legislation was t porarily put aside by the legislat Wednesday as a result of an agr ment between President Roosev Gov. Gillett and the leaders of b houses. Assemblyman A. M. Dr agreed, after a conference with t governor, to amend his anti-alien b Grove L. Johnson was not willing postpone action upon his anti-Jap ese bills, but a motion to put all measures over for a week prevail with little opposition.

Oklahoma Paper Burned Out.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—The plant the Daily Oklahoman, and the adjo ing building, occupied by the loc branch of the J. I. Case Plow Co pany, were destroyed by fire.

SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. Elise shared her stateroom with a Mrs. Graham, also bound for Canada. The young women on a sightseeing tour met Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented by the trio for the summer. Elizabeth learned that a friend of her father's was to call. Two men called, one of them being the queer-acting stranger on the steamer. The girls were "not at home," but discovered by the cards left that one of the men was Elizabeth's father's friend. The men proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Lady Edith told the girls of a robbery of jewels at the hotel. Fearing for the safety of her own gems, she left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his queer actions, returned the lost bag and told of mysterious doings of a year before connected with the cottage. Exploring the cellar, one of the girls found a sphinx cuff-button, the exact counterpart of which both Gordon Bennett and Lady Edith were found to possess, also. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. The young women agreed to keep the secret. Lady Edith told a story of a lost love in connection with the sphinx key. Elise and Gordon Bennett discovered Lady Edith and Mr. Graham, the latter displaying a marvelous baritone voice. At a supper which was held on the rocks Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party.

CHAPTER X.—Continued

After a moment's indecision I crept across the room and looked out from behind the drawn curtain. There was nothing in sight. In the clear moonlight I could see quite as distinctly as by day, and the white stillness was wonderfully comforting. It was rather awesome, too, and while I felt the fascination of the night I was also conscious of the rather creepy sensation one experiences when the world sleeps, leaving one wakeful and alone with nature.

Out before me stretched the path leading to the village and my eyes followed it unconsciously until it turned sharply and disappeared. As I looked two shadows fell across it, seeming very black against the surrounding whiteness. One was short, fat, and shapeless; the other long, thin, and somewhat like an elongated pair of tongs—a very specter of a shadow. They moved, merged themselves into an indiscriminate mass, separated and came together again, a black streak marking their progress around the corner.

I clung to the window frame, deriving some comfort from contact with the solid wood. A pricking sensation ran up and down my spine and I was incapable of moving or uttering a sound.

In a second I was glad I had not spoken, for the shadows again detached themselves. I heard the crunching of gravel, and a familiar figure appeared around the turn of the path. It was Mary Anne, a red shawl held over her head, and no words can express the relief and comfort at seeing her ample figure prosaically proceeding toward the kitchen door. I was rather indignant, too, and went down to ask her what she meant by such nocturnal rambles.

I found her collapsed upon a kitchen chair, breathing heavily. Upon seeing my white-clad form close beside her she uttered a stifled scream, then immediately stole my thunder by reproaching me for prowling around the house in the dead of night and frightening people out of their wits.

In fact, she became so eloquent that instead of the dignified rebuke I had intended to administer I found myself apologizing for my presence and promising to be more considerate in the future.

"But, Mary Anne," I ventured to remark, "where have you been? I was frightened to death."

Mary Anne at once became propitiatory and sympathetic.

"Pore child," she exclaimed, "of course you was upset! It was Miss Elizabeth's ring—I got to thinkin' about the best way to find it. So I went to my brother Dan, 'im as lives in the little 'ouse jest below the bluff [illegible] you know is gospel truth, miss. And I begged 'im to take 'is boat and go round them rocks early, miss, and see what 'e could find. Fur I wanted to give it to 'er fust thing when she wakes—"

Mary Anne paused for breath and I felt a thrill of compunction, for, after all, she had been out on our account and solely to do us a service.

"And that was your brother with you, I suppose," I remarked. "Does he think he can find the ring?"

She looked at me a moment without replying, then walked to the door and bolted it.

"Yes, miss," she said; "Dan 'as 'opes. Not that they're very 'igh 'opes, fur Dan ain't much at lookin' at the bright side. But 'e'll do 'is dooty, miss, and I think Miss Elizabeth may find her ring, though of course I can't be sure—no more can Dan. Now you'd better go to bed, Miss Elise, fur you need your sleep and I need mine."

I was very willing to follow this advice, and felt hopeful that morning would bring good news to Elizabeth, for Mary Anne's brother had inspired me with a feeling of confidence Gordon Bennett's diver had not produced. As I lay thinking dreamily of him and wondering whether he would get his boat out early and go to work a sudden recollection of his appearance overpowered me.

We were all familiar with Mary Anne's brother. He was a short, stockily built man, with very broad shoulders and short bowed legs. It seemed improbable that he could cast a shadow like a pair of tongs, but then as every one knows shadows are not to be depended upon.

A Familiar Figure Appeared.

CHAPTER XI.

"I don't like suppers on the rocks, do you?"

"No, I think they're beastly."

It was the next afternoon and Gabrielle and I were sitting on the veranda. I was pretending to read, while she was frankly doing nothing.

The day had dragged heavily. My confidence in Mary Anne's brother had been misplaced, for he had not appeared in triumph with the ring and we felt rather aggrieved in consequence.

Of course we had all visited the rocks many times, separately and collectively, but had returned empty-handed and rather cross. Even the Canadian sun is hot at midday in summer, and continued ineffectual stooping among rocks and loose stones would have its effect upon the most angelic disposition. Then, too, Gordon Bennett had not appeared with his diver, nor had we heard further from Lord Wilfrid on the subject, so our faith in mankind had suffered accordingly. I also wished something pleasant would happen and agreed with Gabrielle that the afternoon was endless.

A diversion was here created by the appearance of Mr. Graham, who carried a bunch of long-stemmed white roses that certainly were never the product of the island. Mrs. Graham had sent them with her love and apologies for her hysterical outburst of the night before, which, he was careful to explain, was solely the result of her physical condition. He hoped we had not allowed their departure to break up the party.

We told him about the lost ring and he listened with interest. I thought his expressions of regret and offers of assistance were unnecessarily effusive, but then, as Gabrielle said afterward, Mr. Graham always went a little too far in everything.

After a while he took his departure, saying he did not like to leave Mrs. Graham long alone in her present nervous condition. Gabrielle lifted the roses and laid their heavy perfumed heads against her face.

"They are beautiful," she said; "but what shall we do with them?"

"Do with them?" I echoed.

"Yes, that's what I said. You know if Elizabeth ever gets one sniff she'll have hay fever, and I'm sure I don't want to add that to her afflictions, poor dear."

After a little consideration we decided to transfer the roses to Lady Edith, and Gabrielle volunteered to take them to her at once.

"For they must not go into the house," she said, "and if we keep them out here any longer some enterprising germ might drift through the window and up Elizabeth's nose. Will you go with me?"

I declined, saying I was going back to the rocks to have one more look before dark.

We strolled along together to the point where our paths diverged and Gabrielle became silent and preoccupied.

"Elise," she said, speaking very solemnly, "I am going to ask you a question and I want a truthful answer, absolutely your honest opinion, you know."

"Well?"

"Do you think I care more for Elizabeth than she does for me? Or does Elizabeth care more for me than I do for her?"

I laughed, and she continued half laughing also, yet wholly in earnest.

"Well, I really want to know."

"What do you think yourself?"

The question had often been propounded to me, and I knew that a definite answer would be merely ground for argument.

"I think you are horrid. But then," she paused reflectively, "perhaps you'd better not answer after all. I would hate to think Elizabeth did not care as much for me as I do for her, yet it doesn't seem to me she can. You may laugh, but of course you don't understand how we feel about it."

Our paths separated here. Gabrielle, with her arms full of roses, went on to the village while I picked my way carefully along the shore to the rocks.

It was useless to look again, as I well knew, yet I searched conscientiously for some time, then sat down to rest beside the ashes of our last night's fire. I really do not know of anything more depressing than ashes when one is rather tired and inclined to be introspective. They seem to typify so remorselessly the inevitable outcome of human desires and ambitions.

So I sat watching the glow of the sunset, and thinking of many things in a disconnected sort of way. I thought of Gabrielle and Elizabeth, and of their friendship which seemed so wonderfully satisfying; I also remembered the shadows of the previous night and my unnecessary agitation over them. Then I recalled Gabrielle's parting words with something akin to a sigh. Perhaps, as she said, I did not understand, but I thought I did and envied them heartily.

I confess to being foolishly blue as I sat on the rocks listening to the wash of the waves, for I was sure no one was speculating whether they loved me more than I did them, and I felt very lonely in consequence. The tide was low and the ocean calm and uninteresting, so I turned my back to it, preferring to watch the sun reluctantly surrender the world to the moon, which would soon come up out of the water just as it had done last night.

Therefore I did not see two figures walking along the shore and not until I heard my name in Mr. Blake's even voice was I aware that I was no longer alone, but that he and Gordon Bennett were standing beside me, both looking rather amused.

"A penny for your thoughts," said Mr. Blake, producing it.

"Nonsense," interrupted Mr. Bennett; "they are worth more than that. What will you take for them?"

"They are not even worth a penny. I really don't believe I was thinking of anything."

"Has the ring been found?"

I replied that it had not and that we feared it must be in the ocean, after all. Here I paused significantly, for I did not like to ask outright what had become of the promised diver, yet considered a hint permissible under the circumstances.

I thought he looked ill at ease as he somewhat formally expressed his regret for the accident. His manner was certainly very different from yesterday and I decided that the incident had begun to bore him. Mr. Blake wandered down to the water's edge, but Mr. Bennett seated himself beside me.

"The world is out of joint," he remarked; "what's the matter?"

"The cross," I admitted, "and awfully blue. Please don't ask me why, for I don't know myself."

He was wise enough not to pursue the subject, but began to talk upon impersonal matters, and after a while I became quite cheerful and even wondered secretly what I had found to be melancholy about, for it was certainly a very nice world after all.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

FOR THE USERS OF TOBACCO.

Assertion That Plant Was Certainly Placed Here for Good Purpose.

It is passing strange that, with all the experience at command, the physiologists are never in agreement as to the effects of the smoking habit. Even where lay opinion has been fairly well established by the apparently well digested views of the scientists with respect to certain phases of the whole problem, they are wholly liable to upsetting by the latest opinion. For example, two considerations have long been thought to be determined—that moderate indulgence in tobacco need not be denied, and that the lad not out of his 'teens would better abjure tobacco altogether. It may be asserted that man is not a smoker by nature; and certain effects of tobacco seem to indicate, without especial argument, that the longer the acquirement of the habit is postponed the better for the human system. At the same time the remote antiquity of the tobacco plant suggests that it is one of nature's unassisted growths; and, if it were not designed for man to enjoy in security, neither is it at all clear that it is to be classed with nature's productions.—Providence Journal.

Knew Meat from Carrion.

Tennessee bred two great orators in the olden days—Andrew Johnson, a Democrat, once president of the United States, and Gustavus A. Henry, a Whig, known as the "eagle orator of the South."

They ran against each other for governor and when a long series of joint debates had reached its close Johnson addressed the Whigs in the audience: "I have spoken with the boasted eagle orator from the Mississippi river to the Unaka mountains, and as yet I see no flesh in his talons or blood on his beak."

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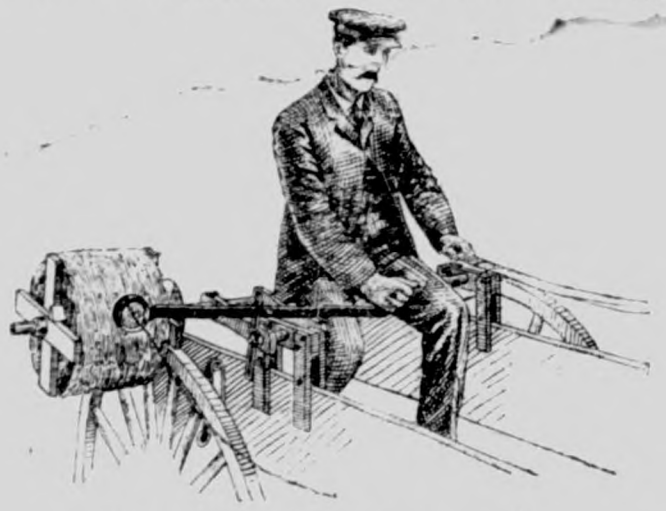

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NEEDED TO HAVE RICH FATHER.

Youth's Living Expenses on a Rather Extravagant Scale.

David Belasco, the great manager and playwright, complained bitterly the other day of a man who had duped him—a man who, pretending to be a millionaire, had promised to invest $250,000 in the erection of a "model" theater.

"He took me in," Mr. Belasco frankly admitted. "I have, I suppose, too sanguine a nature. I expect, I suppose—in the way of success, fortune, happiness—the impossible. At any rate, taken in I was.

"In my exorbitant demands on life," said Mr. Belasco, "I resemble a young friend of mine, a banker's son. This lad is very amiable, but very extravagant. His load of debt is always, like the load of Atlas, unspeakably huge.

"His father said to him last New Year's day:

"'Now, Sam, I want you to turn over a new leaf. No debts in 1909. Eh, is it agreed?'

"'Yes, sir,' said Sam heartily.

"His father took out his check book.

"'How much a year do you need, Sam,' he said, 'in order to live as you want to and at the same time keep entirely out of debt?'

"Sam, after musing, answered with a bright smile:

"'About $15,000 a year—and all my expenses paid.'"

UTILIZING HIS SPARE MOMENTS.

Congenial Occupation for Hubby Just Before the Opera.

Husband (who is going to the opera with his wife)—There! I took time by the forelock, to-night. Here I am, an hour beforehand, with my evening clothes all on and everything ready. Now I'll go down stairs and have a quiet smoke while you get ready.

Wife—Oh! darling, can you ever forgive me?

"What's the matter now?"

"Why, the cook tells me the furnace fire went out this afternoon, as the furnace man failed to come. The baby has a cold, you know. Would you mind going down in the cellar and making it over? You've just got time, love."

Good for the Liver.

When the liver is bad life is jaundiced. Nothing will be right and woes will flock—in imagination. Therefore, keep in good trim. If you think your liver is torpid take it in time. Change your diet; go in hard for systematic and outdoor exercise, special calisthenics to act on the liver and deep breathing. Avoid rich food, especially in hot weather. Eat plenty of fresh vegetables, fruit, graham or whole-wheat bread and not too much meat. If milk makes you bilious, it is better not to drink it. As soon as you begin to feel bilious and your eyeballs look yellow, drink lemon and water. Not lemonade, for the acid of the sugar and lemon is injurious, but the juice of half a lemon squeezed into a glass of water. This can be taken hot at bedtime and cold, but not iced, in the morning.

Singing as Evidence.

Apropos the prodigiously long orations of the Maoris, writes a correspondent, it may amuse your readers to know that only a little over twenty years ago my uncle, a judge in New Zealand, was obliged to issue an order to the effect that "in future singing would not be taken as evidence" in his court. It was the constant habit of the Maoris when pleading a cause to sing long and quite poetic sagas. As these generally began with legends of their remote ancestors, sometimes many hours, even days, would be spent before the point (possibly a trivial one) was reached. There is something Gilbertian in this idea, but any old New Zealander could vouch for the facts.

The Walrus' Defenses.

A full-grown walrus will weigh as much as 2,000 pounds, a mountainous mass of muscle and blubber. He is armed with tusks of ivory, sometimes two feet in length, and when from his upreared bulk these formidable weapons are plunged downward upon an enemy they are as resistless as the drop of a guillotine. Such a thick layer of blubber lies under the skin that he is practically clad in an armor impervious to teeth and claws alike. So, unless the bear is greatly favored by luck, he has little chance to overthrow his antagonist.—From St. Nicholas.

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German M. E. Church Items

Arthur Wellemeyer went to Burlington Wednesday on a business trip

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schoenwetter were in Mason City last week shopping.

Clara Ludeke is spending a few days with her sister in Germantown this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Griewe were snow bound in Germantown several days last week.

Hulda and Esther Gruetzmacher were guests at the Arnold home last Sunday.

Lizzie Riemer has had the unpleasant experience lately of a fellon on one of her fingers.

Mrs. H. Brockmeyer returned to her home in Colesburg Thursday after a two week's visit.

The Klemme "Standard Bearers" will meet with Aggie and Grace Blank Friday evening.

Clarence Arnold and Aug. Oellermann walked down from Garner in the storm last Friday.

William Sampson returned last Saturday from his visit in Delaware, Clayton and Floyd counties.

The Germantown W. F. M. S. met with Mrs. Ed. Schaefer Tuesday and the Klemme society with Mrs. Josten on Thursday.

Nellie Lau reports having had a pleasant visit in Charles City. On her return she stopped off with an uncle near Garner and was snow bound several days.

As far as we know Anna Griewe was the heroine among the teachers last Friday, being the only one who taught school all day in this part of the county.

G. A. Kahler accompanied his sister-in-law to Morning Sun, Iowa last week, she being called home on account of sickness in the family. Mr. Kahler returned Monday.

Albert Koerner our telephone man no doubt, suffered the most by last week's storm. A number of poles were broken down and the wires twisted and down on many places.

John Schwichtenberg took his son Ernest to Kirksville, Mo. last Wednesday where he is to take Osteopath treatments. The boy has never been strong and about a year ago his condition became quite critical. We hope he may be much benefitted.

Rev. F. W. Merten walked down from Garner, Sunday morning to conduct communion services at the Eng M. E. church, but he met a very cold reception on entering the church The storm having blown in two of the large windows the enterior of the church was covered with snow. He came over to the German church in time to take part in the Sunday school. He took dinner and spent the afternoon with the writer and wended his way back on a tie pass toward evening.

Our worthy editor must h been "rubbering" last w week when he printed in Times two hours after a li boy was born four miles out the country, that he had a v like a tenor singer.

The "Standard Bearer" so Tuesday evening at the Arn home was more of a succ than its members had ever h ed for. The crowd was not la but it was a select class of yo people. The exercises ope with several instrumental du by Amanda Arnold and D Schuldt. A. C. Schuldt g an interesting reading in mother tongue and C. A. Ar favored the crowd with s fine phonographic selecti The crowd was then divide three rooms and each give list of 40 questions. The win succeeded in answering 2 them correctly. Next, the b were sold. E. H. Bettin a as auctioneer. He is an old at this end of the game and ways gets good prices. there were one-third mor kets than buyers. They well. This society is supp ing a bible woman in China, sides their regular dues. realized almost enough Tues evening for this special offer They also succeeded in get ten new members that even

TERRIBLE STORM.

Last week Thursday it ra but when the people op their eyes the next morning realized an old time blizzard the thermometer was below Over 30 wind mill in this nity were blown down. Se al window lights were blow it was a terror.

Masquerade Ba

—AT—

KLEMME OPERA HOUSE

—ON—

Friday Evenin Feb. 12, '09.

Everybody Come. Jurgasen's Orches will play.

When Men Become Free.

There is a time to come when ernments will spring from the h of the people, and will be governm for the people. In that day all all civil usages, all customs, wi spect the interests of the comm and will not obstruct them. W men have perfect liberty, individ and collectively; when they are only equal but free—free in the est sense of the term "freedom"— society itself will become a nu mother.—Henry Ward Beecher.

A Scientific Salary.

"I got a big raise in my salary "Big was it?"

"I should say so. It was a raise."—Baltimore American.

Chamberlain's Cough Rem

Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cou

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LOCAL NEWS

Change of ad for State Bank.

Oysters direct from Baltimore at Kluckhohn's.

W. R. Bloom returned from Iowa Falls on Sunday.

Monvay was a rush day in Klemme, our farmers were largely represented.

Albert Bock who is attending school at Plymouth, Wis., is a new Times subscriber.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

John Bock, Wm. Baack, Aug. Barz and H. Thiemann were transacting business at the court house Wednesday.

Sam Kirkwood returned Monday evening from Ringsted, Ia. where he has been visiting with his uncle and brother Will.

R. M. Day returned Tuesday from Lehigh, Iowa where he has been visiting with his daughter Mrs Hans Nissen and family.

Mrs. A. F. Stockdale and daughters arrived from Dows Monday for a visit with her sister Mrs. C. F. Rolston and family.

Gus Baack left Wednesday evening for Iowa City where he will attend school at the State University. The Times will keep him posted on the happenings here.

C. C. Schaefer marketed a nice bunch of porkers to W. R. Bloom on Tuesday. It being "Ground Hog" day the hogs seen their shadow all the way to Klemme, never-the less they brought him the nice sum of $427.80.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

Avery Center was largely represented here on Tuesday. Over a dozen of Wm. Bachman's farmer neighbors assisted him in hauling lumber for his large barn which will soon be under way of construction. When completed Wm. will have one of the largest and best arranged barns in that locality.

The Bee ad for the Saving bank—read it.

Fresh oysters always on hand at Kluckhohn's. tf.

Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher visited relatives at Garner on Wednesday.

Valentines, valentine post cards and comic cards at Kluckhohn's.

Surveyor Fisk of Albert Lea, Minn. was surveying Drainrge Dist. No. 9.

The prettiest and up-to date valentines can be procured at G. W. Kluckhohn's.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

Read the market report. Bring your produce to Klemme and receive the highest market price.

This office would be pleased to receive quite a few renewals on the Times the first of the year. We need the money.

The Baack & Bock Threshing Machine Co. dissolved partnership. The new company will now be Baack Bros.

FOR SALE—Six milch cows, 1 registered Short-horn bull, 13 head of horses and all kinds of farm machinery at my farm 4 miles east and 1 mi. north of Klemme. J. Wacker. 26-3*

Dr. Zinn, M. Palmby, Henry Wille and Geo. Alberts were at the court house Wednesday in the interests of Drainage Dist. No. 9.

Social functions of winter midnight lunches, loss of sleep tell on the health. HOLLISTER'S ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA clears the blood, aida digestion, relieves fatigue, makes and retains your health. &reatest tonic. Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co.

Elmer Ludeke calls your attention to his change of ad. on local page. Besides his spring and summer lines he can also furnish you with fall and winter clothing which are hard to equal for the price.

Terhufen Bros. come out this week in the columns of the Times with a new ad. They carry a complete stock of hardware and groceries and everything is new. They solicit a share of your patronage. We wish them success.

Any young person who wants to grow seed corn in order to get funds to attend school, or any one who should like to grow show corn from seed which has taken premiums in 1908 at Ames during the short course at the Agricultural College, address postal card to E. B. Howard, College P. O., Ames, Iowa.

H. Schroeder returned from Chicago Sunday. He had all kinds of experience in getting here. Between Holland and Wellsburgh he was snow bound 26 hours. When he reached nearer home he walked part of the way and from Belmond to Klemme he drove. He has a good position as salesman for the firm of Thuet Bros., Live Stock Comm. Merchants at the Union Stock Yards. "Butch" will make good, we wish him success.

THE SECRET OF LONG LIFE

A French scientist has discovered one secret of long life. His method deals with the blood. But long ago millions of Americans had proved Electric Bitters prolongs life and makes it worth living. It purifies enriches and vitalizes the blood rebuilds wasted nervecells, imparts life and tone to the entire system. Its a godsend to weak sick and debilitatep people. Kidney trouble had blighted my life for months, writes W M Sherman of Cushing, Me. but Electric Bitters cured me entirely. Only 50c at G A Pabst & Co.

Save your money—ad State Saving Bank

Nice line of Valentines at G. W. Kluckhohn's.

Rev Muehlmeier was at Garner between trains Monday.

Mrs. Thompson and family moved into the rooms over Ell Bros. Store.

We received a postal from Gus Legner stating to change the address of the Times from Tea, S. Dak. to Artesian, S. Dak.

In the Schroeder Sale Bills we mentioned that the sale would begin at 1 o'clock which should have been at 10 o'clock a. m.

C. C. Suckow left last week for Unionville, Iowa where he will visit a few weeks with his brother and family and other relatives.

The long winter months—heavy foods—lack of exercise decrease your vitality, make you feel mean. Hollister's rocky mountain tea gives you vitality—clears the blood—builds up flesh. Makes you strong and robust. Great spring medicine. Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co.

Jacob Weintz returned from Iowa City last week where he had an operation performed for appendicitis. He is getting along nicely.

No more divorces.
'Hubby' will stay a lover true,
Every wife his only sweetheart, too,
Perpetual matrimonial bliss 'twill be,
If both take Hollister's rocky mountain tea. G. A. Pabst & Co.

A programme and basket social was held at the J. Newberger school of which Miss Reed is teacher four miles east of Klemme on Tuesday evening last. The attendance was large, the programme was pronounced excellent and the baskets which were sold by their famous auctioneer G. A. Goll brought them the nice sum of $25.15

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

S. B. Day,	Everson, Wash.
M. Elder	Klemme
Chris. Schaefer	Garner
Julius Priebe	Goodell
Mart Bachman	Klemme
G. A. Goll	Klemme
Gus. Baack,	Plymouth, Wis.

SOLDIER BALKS DEATH PLOT.

It soems to J A Stone a civil war veteran of Kemp, Texas that a plot existed between a desperate lung trouble and the grave to cause his death. I contracted a stubborn cold he writes that developed a cough that stuck to me in spite of all remedies for years. My weight ran down to 130 povnds. Then I began to use Dr. King's new discovery which restored my health completely. I now whigh 178 pounds. For severe colds, obstinate coughs, hemorrhages, asthma and to prevent pneumonia it's unrivaled. 50c and $1.09. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G A Pabst & Co.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will sell at public sale on his farm 4½ miles northwest of Klemme, 7 miles southwest of Garner, ½ mile north of the German township M. E. church on Tuesday, Feb 16, 1909. Sale beging at 10 o'clock a. m. Free lunch at noon.

11 head of horses, 27 head of cattle, 14 Poland China hogs, 100 Plymouth Rock chickens, 15 tons of tame hay in barn, 11 hives of bees, 10 busheis of tested seed corn and farm machinery. Uusal terms.

Chas. Schroeder, Owner.
Col. J. A. Young, Auct.
F. A. Arnold, Clerk.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Most Popular Because it is the Best.

I have sold Chamberlain's cough remedy for the past eight years and find it to be one of the best selling medicinet on the market. For babies and youug children there is nothing better in the line of cough sorup says Paul Allen, Plain Dealing, La. This remedy not only curesthe coughs, colds and croup so common among young children but is pleasant and safe for them to take. It contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given to a baby as confidently as to an adult. For sale by G A Pabst & Co

Twin Lake.

Most of the Twin Lake rurual schools had a vacation on Friday.

Ida Schwichtenberg is helping Mrs. Aug. Lau with her sewing this week.

The storm Friday did more or less damage to many of the windmills in this locality.

Some of the Twin Lake ladies took advantage of the nice weather and attended the Ladies Aid in Germantown Tuesday.

Our rural carrier, Clark of Route 2 Goodell. is doing well, having missed only one day during the siege of rain and snow.

Miss Hulda Stiehl teacher of Dist. 2 Twin Lake, writes all to attend the basket social and entertainment to be given by her school Friday, Feb. 12th.

Wm. Neuhring and wife celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary last Monday the 25th. Quite a number of friends and relatives were present during the day and a large crowd of young folks helped to make their home lively in the evening. Among the guests were a brother of Mrs. Neuhring and his wife. Mr. and Mrs. Neuhring took them to August Neuhrings on Thursday and of course were snowbound on Friday so did not return till Sunday.

WASHINGTON ONCE GAVE UP.

To three doctors, was kept in bed five weeks: Blood poison from a spidere's bite caused large deep sores to cover his leg. The doctors failed, then Bucklen's arnica salve completely cured me, writes John Washington of Bosqueville, Tex. For eczema, boils, burns and piles its supreme 25c at G A Pabst & Co.

NOTICE.

In the District Court of Hancock County, Iowa. February Term, 1909.

In the matter of the Application of George A. Pabst to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors for lawful purposes only.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the application of George A. Pabst, a Registered pharmacist No. 7894, doing business under the firm name of George A. Pabst & Co., praying for a permit to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors for lawful purposes only in the first story and basement of the frame building situated on Lot One (1) in Block Eleven (11) of the Original Town of Klemme, Hancock County, Iowa, will be on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Hancock County, Iowa, on or before the 4th day of February, A. D., 1909, and that said application will come on for hearing at the February term of said Court to be begun and held at the Court House in Garner, in said County, on the 15th day of February, A. D., 1909.

Dated this 6th day of January, A. D., 1909.

GEO. A. PABST,
Applicant.

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Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Never fails. Buy it now. It may save life.

Let us be your Tailor
THE AMERICAN WOOLEN MILLS Co., Chicago, Illinois.
Manufacturers of fine woolens and wholesale custom tailors.
Save while buying a suit of gents spring and summer made to order clothing of standard merit, seldom equaled, never excelled. I want to show you a beautiful line of samples. A fit, a beauty and a long wearing suit Your profit, my pleasure.
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Klemme - - - Iowa

F. C. GRIEWE
City Meat Market
Dealer in
All kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats, Canned goods and oysters in season. Highest cash price paid for hides. Home rendered pure lard a specialty.
We solicit your patronage.

COL. J. J. WILSON
Livestock Auctioneer,
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Dates made at either banks of Klemme.
Phone me at my expense.

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Graduate Optician,
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Eyes Tested Free.

LIVERY and FEED STABLE.
The only livery in town
Good rigs and careful drivers
Rates reasonable
Your patronage solicited
CHAS. L. YAHNKE, Proprietor.

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The Tonsorial Artist
Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.
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Land of flowers, fruit and sunshine.
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VIA ROCK ISLAND LINES
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AND THEY'VE GOT IT!

"How do you like the new styles in neckwear, dear?"

"A little ruff around the neck, love."

ITCHED FOR TWELVE YEARS.

Eczema Made Hands and Feet Swell, Peel and Get Raw—Arms Affected, Too—Gave Up All Hope of Cure.

Quickly Cured by Cuticura.

"I suffered from eczema on my hands, arms and feet for about twelve years, my hands and feet would swell, sweat and itch, then would become callous and get very dry, then peel off and get raw. I tried most every kind of salve and ointment without success. I tried several doctors, but at last gave up thinking there was a cure for eczema. A friend of mine insisted on my trying the Cuticura Remedies, but I did not give them a trial until I got so bad that I had to do something. I secured a set and by the time they were used I could see a vast improvement and my hands and feet were healed up in no time. I have had no trouble since. Charles T. Bauer, Volant, Pa., Mar. 11, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston

Extent of His Knowledge.

Singleton—What do they use to extract gold from quartz?

Wedderly—I don't know; but women use tears to extract it from men's pockets.

MIX FOR COLDS

To one-half pint good whiskey, add one ounce syrup sarsaparilla and one ounce Toris compound, which can be procured of any druggist. Take in teaspoonful doses before each meal and before retiring. This relieves in 24 hours, and cures any cold that is curable.

A Great Care.

Celia—Her hair turned perfectly white in one night from trouble.

Delia—Really? What was the nature of the trouble?

Celia—Chemical.—Judge.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Stuck.

"My wife is always sticking me for money."

"That must be pin money."—Exchange.

Prof. Munyon says: Cure a cold and you prevent Consumption. His opinion is now shared by the leading physicians of the country, and the wonderful cures that are being made by Munyon's Cold Remedy have attracted the attention of the whole medical fraternity. These little sugar pellets break up a cold in a few hours, and almost universally prevent Bronchitis and Pneumonia.

Exactly.

"His wife's beauty and grace keeps him hypnotized."

"Then he's one of those fellows who lead a charmed life."—Exchange.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Many a man has lost his life in trying to collect the living he thought the world owed him.

Red, Weak, Weary, Watery Eyes
Relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. Compounded by Experienced Physicians. Murine Doesn't Smart; Soothes Eye Pain. Write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, for illustrated Eye Book. At Druggists.

Of course we all believe that it is better to give than to receive—until some one passes around the hat.

Do not neglect constipation, for this condition poisons the blood and leads to chronic ill health. Garfield Tea, the mild herb laxative, corrects constipation, keeps the blood pure, and the health good.

A man never realizes how silly his love letters are until he hears some of them read in court.

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE"
That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

A happy medium ought to make good at a spiritual seance.

There is no Safer Remedy for a Cough, or throat trouble than "Brown's Bronchial Troches." 25 cents a box. Sample free. John I. Brown & Son, Boston, Mass.

The more a girl smiles the less she means it.

State Capital Gossip

Many Items of Interest from Our Correspondent at Des Moines.

Opposed to Insurance Bill.

Des Moines.—Declaring that the state of Iowa needs no insurance department and that the business of the department is better handled in the office of the auditor of state than it could be in any other way, Senator Quigley of Clayton is devoting much time to arguing against the Dowell bill for the establishment of a separate department.

The Clayton county senator has figured it out, from reports in the auditor's office, that the insurance business handled by that office is decreasing from year to year instead of increasing, and he has prepared a table showing that in 1906 the taxes paid into the Iowa treasurer's office and credited to the life and fire insurance companies their business in Iowa amounted to $321,699.36. In 1907 the total was $307,499.57, and Senator Quigley says this in itself is an indication that the business is becoming smaller than greater.

"There was a time," said Senator Quigley, "when this plan, no doubt, would have been feasible. This was before the insurance business was taken in hand by Governor Carroll, then state auditor. He made it one of the principal parts of his department and he systematized it so well that there is now, I believe, no reason for changing the present plan, even if there were not additional reasons against such a change."

He favors, instead of relieving the auditor of the insurance work, the removing of the banking department to the treasurer's office and that of city accounting to the office of the secretary of state. This division, he thinks, would be a wise one and would be the more economical one.

Economy is the keynote of Senator Quigley's opposition to the Dowell measure; and he has gone to the trouble to secure information regarding the cost of handling separate insurance departments in states where such departments exists.

Six Bills Pass the House.

The Arney bill, to allow certain officers of the soldiers home to get their ice supply from the home, the Hiskenlooper bill providing for investigation of the bonds of executives and the Fulton bill providing for an allowance of $50 for the burial of indigent soldiers and sailors, all passed.

The Moon bill, repealing an act of two years ago, allowing the city of Ottumwa to sell part of an abandoned river bed and the Proudfoot bill, giving the judges of the district court power to order the appraisement of an estate, were passed.

The bill to limit the time of appeals in criminal cases to six months passed the senate.

Important Liquor Case.

Final arguments were made before the supreme court in the case that will decide the right of the state to prohibit the soliciting of orders for whisky and other liquors by agents of liquor dealers. Attorney General Byers made a short oral argument for the state and written briefs were submitted by the appellants. County Attorney C. A. Dewey of Washington county sought to enjoin agents of liquor salesmen from taking orders from consumers. Judge Preston ruled for the state, and the defendants appealed. The United States supreme court has ruled that states may prohibit such soliciting, even by agents of liquor dealers in other states.

Various Bills.

Harding introduced a bill providing that cities may oil their streets and charge the same to abutting property owners, a law that the people of Sioux City are demanding.

Arney introduced Gilliland's traction engine bill into the house—a measure providing that owners of traction engines must exercise all manner of care to avoid frightening horses.

O'Connor introduced a bill providing that dealers who had paint on hand before the pure paint bill was enacted may dispose of it even though it does not come under the pure paint bill.

Democrats to Banquet.

The democrats in the legislature are preparing to hold a banquet before the session ends. Senator Jamieson in the senate and Charlie Miller in the house are in charge of the arrangements.

Jury Bill Presented.

A new jury bill which will be put up against the jury commission bill prepared by Judge McHenry was sprung in the house by Representative Hickenlooper of Monroe county. The Hickenlooper bill is not a radical measure, but is intended to strengthen the provisions of the present law in permitting members of the board of supervisors to select the names for the jury lists. The bill provides that the supervisors shall select jurors from the poll books in numbers from each precinct apportioned by the county auditor. The time of selection shall be when ordered by the courts. Friends of the McHenry bill claim that the latter measure applies only to cities of over 50,000, and hence would not affect the counties, which Hickenlooper hopes to affect.

Tax State Banks Same as National.

Representative Grier has a bill on bank assessments to meet the complaint of discrimination as between the banks organized under the federal laws and those under state laws. Mr. Grier would have the assessment of the stock of state banks made as now upon reports from the bank and the assessment to be at the bank, so that taxes are paid in the township where the bank is located, but he would have the assessment to run against the owners of the bank stock and be paid by them. This would come near to placing state banks on a par with national banks as to taxes. In the meantime it is proposed to memorialize congress to have the national bank act amended so that national bank will be assessabe the same as state banks in each state.

Assembly Honors Burns.

The Iowa legislature paid homage to the Scottish poet, Bobby Burns, upon the 150th anniversary of his birth in the house chamber. Not only did the legislature turn out enmasse, but friends of the legislators and admirers of Burns filled the chamber to overflowing. Rev. Father J. F. Nugent was the principal speaker, and in a most eloquent manner did he speak of the traits, good and bad, of the Scotch writer. Speaker Feely relinquished the chair to Miller of Bremer, who proposed the Burns celebration. Later, Speaker Feely introduced a resolution thanking those who took part in the program, which the house adopted unanimously.

First Bill to Be Signed.

Governor Carroll has affixed his signature to the bill providing for the official celebration of Lincoln's birthday as a legal holiday in Iowa. It is probable that he will also issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the state to observe the centennial of the birth of the martyred president. Special significance will attach to the signing of this bill, as it will be the first to be approved by the new executive. It was adopted by both houses on Jan. 22, after its introduction by Senator Stuckslager of Linn, and it will take effect at once after having been signed by the governor and published officially.

Divorce Bill Meets Death.

The Findlayson bill met an early death at the hands of judiciary committee. The bill provided that if divorced persons married outside the state before the year fixed by the law expired, that their marriage should be declared null and void if they returned. The difficulty of operation of the law led to the painless death at the hands of the committee, the first house bill to meet this fate.

Anxiety Prevades Liquor Ranks.

The usual anxiety over liquor legislation is making itself apparent in Iowa this year. Members of the legislature are receiving appeals from their constituents of more stringent laws on the subject, and now that the plan for taking from the druggists the right to sell liquors is about to be proposed to the legislators the liquor dealers are becoming frightened.

Raise for Auditor.

Doetiger of Davenport introduced his eighth bill in the house affecting the compensation of county officials. This fixes salaries for county auditors and provides for a scale rising from $1,400 for the smallest county to $3,000 for those over 60,000 in population.

All Who Would Enjoy

good health, with its blessings, must understand, quite clearly, that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to living aright. Then the use of medicines may be dispensed with to advantage, but under ordinary conditions in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time and the California Fig Syrup Co. holds that it is alike important to present the subject truthfully and to supply the one perfect laxative to those desiring it.

Consequently, the Company's Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna gives general satisfaction. To get its beneficial effects buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and for sale by all leading druggists.

If You Want the
BEST COUGH CURE
you will ask for
Kemp's Balsam

and if you get it you will have a remedy for coughs that will be satisfactory in every respect. If you accept something else we do not know what you will get, but it will not be the Best Cough Cure.

At all druggists', 25c., 50c. and $1.

Don't accept anything else.

ONION SEED 60 cts. a lb.

Per Salzer's catalog page 129.

Largest growers of onion and vegetable seeds in the world. Big catalog free; or, send 16c in stamps and receive catalog and 1000 kernels each of onions, carrots, celery, radishes, 1500 each lettuce, rutabaga, turnips, 100 parsley, 100 tomatoes, 100 melons, 1200 charming flower seeds, in all 10,000 kernels, easily worth $1.00 of any man's money. Or, send 20c and we will add one pkg. of Earliest Peep O'Day Sweet Corn.

SALZER SEED CO., Box W, La Crosse, Wis.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 50c, and $1.00 at Druggists

Western Canada

MORE BIG CROPS IN 1908

Another 60,000 settlers from the United States. New districts opened for settlement. 320 acres of land to each settler,—160 free homestead and 160 at $3.00 per acre.

"A vast rich country and a contented prosperous people."—*Extract from correspondence of a National Editor, whose visit to Western Canada, in August, 1908, was an inspiration.*

Many have paid the entire cost of their farms and had a balance of from $10.00 to $20.00 per acre as a result of one crop.

Spring wheat, winter wheat, oats, barley, flax and peas are the principal crops, while the wild grasses bring to perfection the best cattle that have ever been sold on the Chicago market.

Splendid climate, schools and churches in all localities. Railways touch most of the settled districts, and prices for products are always good. Lands may also be purchased from railway and land companies.

For pamphlets, maps and information regarding low railway rates, apply to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or the authorized Canadian Government Agents:

E. T. HOLMES, 315 Jackson St., St. Paul, Minn.; or W. V. BENNETT, 801 New York Life Bldg., Omaha, Neb.

COLDS

CURED IN ONE DAY

Munyon's Cold Remedy Relieves the head, throat and lungs almost immediately. Checks Fevers, stops Discharges of the nose, takes away all aches and pains caused by colds. It cures Grip and obstinate Coughs and prevents Pneumonia. Price 25c.

Have you stiff or swollen joints, no matter how chronic? Ask your druggist for Munyon's Rheumatism Remedy and see how quickly you will be cured.

If you have any kidney or bladder trouble get Munyon's Kidney Remedy.

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Brookton (with statistical bent)—Do you know, old man, I've just been reading up a lot of statistics on present-day mortality, and I have learned some remarkable things. Why, every time I breathe a man dies!

Brockton (comprehendingly)—By the great autofumes! Then why in the name of the census don't you chew cloves?

Football vs. Prayer.

Willie, aged five, was taken by his father to his first football game. The feature that caught his chief approval, however, did not become evident till he said his prayers that night. To the horror of his parents, Willie prayed with true football snap:

God bless papa,
God bless mamma,
God bless Willie;
Boom! Rah! Rah!
—Success Magazine.

Cause for Complaint.

Jones, the dairyman, loved his little bouts occasionally, and at such times celebrated riotously. He was prevailed upon to sign the pledge, and this piece of news was given wide publicity. But in a few weeks Jones turned upon his temperance friends and again sought old-time friends and acquaintances.

"The idea!" grieved Jones, as he told the waiter to duplicate an order. "Me driving a milk wagon, and those fellows advertising that I am on the water wagon!"—Judge.

DIDN'T KNOW

Coffee Was the Cause.

Many daily habits, particularly of eating and drinking, are formed by following our elders.

In this way ill health is often fastened upon children. A Ga. lady says:

"I had been allowed to drink coffee ever since I could remember, but even as a child I had a weak stomach, which frequently refused to retain food.

"The taste of coffee was in my mouth all the time and was, as I found out later, the cause of the stomach rebelling against food.

"I now see that it was only from following the example of my elders that I formed and continued the miserable habit of drinking coffee. My digestion remained poor, nerves unstrung, frequent headache, and yet I did not suspect the true cause.

"Another trouble was a bad, muddy complexion for which I spent time and money for creams, massaging, etc., without any results.

"After I was married I was asked to try Postum, and would you believe it, I, an old coffee toper, took to Postum from the very first. We made it right—according to directions on the pkg., and it had a most delicate flavor, and I at once quit coffee, with the happiest results.

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RUMORS OF CATASTROPHE IN SOUTHERN SPAIN UNTRUE.

SLIGHT QUAKE WAS FELT

Inhabitants of Villages Flee Expecting Repetition of the Italian Disaster.

Madrid, Feb. 1.—All communication with southern Spain and with the city of Barcelona is uninterrupted and normal, and the reports from England relative to the disastrous earthquake and tidal wave are untrue. There was a slight earthquake at Totata, in the province of Murcia, but no serious damage was done. The walls of only a few houses were cracked. Slight shocks were also felt in the neighborhood village of Olias. At both Totana and Olias the inhabitants fled panic-stricken to the suburbs, fearing that a disaster was upon them such as devasted Sicily and southern Italy. It is reported that the moment the quake occurred the sun was hidden by a dense gray cloud which, however, disappeared immediately while a shower of hailstones as large as walnuts covered the ground to a depth of several centimetres.

LIQUOR BILL IN CONGRESS.

Leaders Determined to Pass Measure Regulating Shipments.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—A series of conferences were held by those leaders to determine on some method of getting the house to agree to legislation to regulate the shipment of liquor from state to state. Representative Watson of Indiana, republican whip, whose defeat for governor is charged to his anti-liquor platform, is leading the fight for the proposed legislation. The programme finally decided upon probably will be to tack the liquor legislation onto the bill for the codification of the penal laws of the United States which has a privileged place on the house calendar. As a bill for this propose already passed the senate it is believed that both houses can be brought to an agreement to enact liquor legislation more quickly than by voting on a separate bill. This course also would avoid the disagreeable action of ignoring the failure of the committee on judiciary to report the bill.

TROLLEY DISASTER IN OHIO.

Car Dashes Down Hill and Rolls Down Embankment.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 1.—The snowstorm and consequent slippery tracks is given as the cause of an accident here that may cost at least two lives while several other persons were injured. A College Hill main line car with thirty-seven passengers jumped the rails on Clifton avenue and tumbled down a steep embankment, landing at the bottom of a ravine, with a mass of shrieking, fighting men and women caught under it or hurled from the platform or through windows. More than a score of passengers were injured, some very seriously. That some were not instantly killed is considered remarkable.

Bank Will Have Home.

Davenport.—The Union Savings bank of this city will be the first of Davenport's banks to build a home of its own. The plans provide for a stone building in the style of the renaissance, to be erected at Third and Brady streets, on one of the principal business corners of the city. The building will be as tall as the ordinary three story building and the move of the bank to have a home of its own is in line with the tendency of banks throughout the country. The construction will be heavy enough to carry several stories of offices, if in the future it is desired to extend the building up into the air.

Hat Shops to Be "Open".

South Norwalk, Conn., Feb. 1.—Positive information was given out by the heads of hat making concerns that all the shops which were recently struck by the Union Hatters of North America will be started up on Tuesday, Feb. 9, as "open shops." The order of the Associated Hat Manufacturers is that no union labels shall be put in hats hereafter. The strikers here are greatly surprised at the action.

Town Wiped Out by Flames.

Coffeyville, Kas., Feb. 1.—The town of Nowata, across the line from here in Oklahoma, was almost wiped off the map Saturday by a fire that destroyed thirteen business houses, two banks and the county court house, which latter held all the records of that section of Oklahoma. The loss is estimated at $200,000. The intense cold made it difficult to fight the flames.

EXTRAORDINARY INCREASE IN FARM LANDS,

"SOUTHERN ALBERTA IS A MIGHTY GOOD COUNTRY."

No stronger or better evidence can be given of the merits of a country than that which comes from the testimony of the settler who has determined to succeed. This is why we reproduce the following letter, which speaks for itself. These people were induced to go to Western Canada through the solicitation of a Canadian Government agent, who secured for them the low railway rates.

"Carmangay, Alta., Canada, 12-15-'08.

"Mr. C. J. Broughton, Canadian Government Agency, 135 Adams Street, Chicago: We had audacity enough to tackle the proposition of buying four sections of land in Southern Alberta, thirty miles east of Clairsholm and heading up on the Little Bow, and our two boys each got a homestead adjoining. We fenced three sections and the two homesteads, and built a house, barn, corrals and granary, and have since enlarged some of these buildings. We have broken 200 acres of land, which has been sowed to oats and wheat. During the severe winter of two years ago the winter wheat killed out somewhat, and our crop yielded only ten bushels to the acre, but the spring wheat went 24 bushels to the acre. In this country we must be prepared for storms and cold, at times 20 to 30 below zero, yet on the whole the winters are mild; and while there are exceptional crops, it is fair to say that the average farmer can depend on having a yield in average years of from 20 to 25 bushels to the acre for spring wheat; and winter wheat in our immediate neighborhood yields from 25 to 30 bushels to the acre on the average.

We have now quite a bunch of horses, over 50 in all, about 350 sheep, after having sold 140 for mutton this fall. We have 20 head of pure bred registered Shropshire, which are worth $20 each. The average price received for mutton sheep was $5.00 and a little over. Pork brings 5 and 6 cents a pound. We have about 30 head of cattle on our ranch now, and last winter they picked their entire living from our pasture, running to the straw stacks for shelter at night.

"The increase of land values has been extraordinary. Our land four years ago cost us a little less than $6.00 an acre. We have sold one section for $15.00, but we would not sell any more for less than $25.00 per acre, as we expect the railroad within four miles of our ranch within the next 18 months. Southern Alberta of Western Canada is a mighty good country for any man or woman who loves outdoor life, and who wants to get good returns for their labor and investment.

"We have been pleased with our treatment from the Canadian Government, and can heartily commend Southern Alberta as a splendid country in which to locate.

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"I advise all women suffering from such troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. They won't regret it, for it will surely cure you."—Mrs. Bessie L. Hicks, 819 Cleveland St., Houston.

Any woman who is sick and suffering is foolish surely not to give such a medicine as this a trial. Why should it not do her as much good as it did Mrs. Hicks.

STOP—At Seattle

Jacob Gould Schurman, President of Cornell University, recently was in Seattle, and said: "I have traveled some thousands of miles and visited a good many cities, and now I have touched the *climax*. 'Eureka, I have found it.' I have endeavored to keep abreast of the development of your city, and have taken it upon myself on many occasions to advise young men with some capital to settle in the State of Washington and in the city of Seattle, for I have long felt that you enjoyed unique advantages in your location and in the variety and magnitude of the resources behind you, in your connection with Alaska and the possibilities of great and expanding trade with the countries of the Orient, and I have said on many occasions that, if I were a young fellow starting in life, I should travel West *till I reached Seattle and stop there.*" Seattle also enjoys unique advantages for the *investment of money*, especially in that *greatest fortune maker of all*,—CENTRAL BUSINESS PROPERTY. Let me tell *you* something about this before you come to our A.-Y.-P. Fair next summer.

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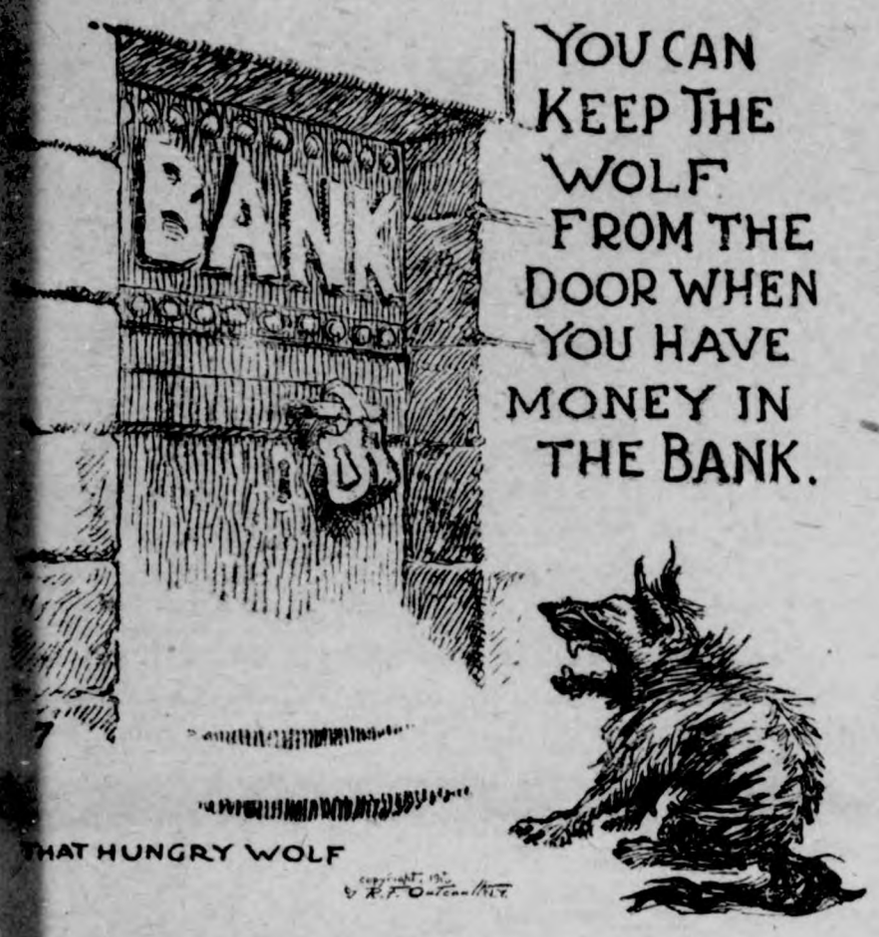

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Then, with a smile, Dr. Aked resumed:

"It is amazing what perseverance will achieve. Even misdirected perseverance has achieved marvels. There is the case of Robson, the great Notts cricketer.

"Robson, during his Australian tour, was determined, one scorching afternoon, that his side shouldn't do the hard work of fielding.

"Well, when the Australian captain spun the coin, Robson shouted:

"'Woman!'

"Then, seeing that heads lay uppermost instead of acknowledging defeat Robson said, with perseverance and nonchalance:

"'Well, we'll go in.'

"'But—er—I thought,' said the puzzled Australian—'you see, I don't quite know the English meaning of "woman."'

"'Then,' said Robson gallantly, 'we'll toss again.'

"The Australian made a second toss, Robson called heads, and tails came up. The ordinary man would at this point have surrendered in despair, but not so Robson.

"'Honors are now easy,' said he, with a pleasant smile. 'On with the rubber.'

"The Australian a third time flipped the coin, and having at last called the toss correctly, the persevering Robson led his side to the shady benches."

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The price of heat per thousand calories has been calculated by a French authority, M. Le Chatelier, from various sources. A calorie is the metric unit of heat, and consists of an amount of it sufficient to raise a gramme of water one centigrade degree. With coal (allowing 12 per cent. for ash) the cost a thousand calories is four-hundredths of a cent at the mine, eight-hundredths in the industries and sixteen-hundredths in domestic heating. With electricity it is four-tenths of a cent with a water power plant, one and two-tenth cents in large industries and 11 cents at ordinary city rates. With gas it is seven-tenths of a cent in Paris. Thus for ordinary domestic heating purposes gas is over four times as expensive as coal and electricity is over sixty-eight times as costly.

Tally-Ho.

Strange as it may seem, the word "tally-ho" in a manner connects the hunting field with the coach. Tallis hors, pronounced tally-ho—Norman French for "out of the thicket"—was the proper cry when the fox broke cover. The huntsman and the master of the fox hounds answered the cry wtih long blasts of the horn.

Then, when public coaches began to run, their horns blew the tally-ho blasts; further as luxury progressed, finer coaches often took to the meet and the throwing off, fine people who did not intend to follow the hounds, but to see them spectacularly.

Between use and luxury, the coach with seats on top crystallized as the tally-ho. The tally-ho it is likely to remain unless all the world should go automobile mad.

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The manager grinned.

"Emery wheels!" he chuckled. "Then, I suppose, he has a fine finish?"

"Yes, very fine. In fact, he comes out a polished villain."

HOW long have they been in business? An answer to this question is necessary to fix the standing of any business house. Before any concern can claim rank in the business world, its stability must be proven by the test of time. And the longer it has been in business with an honorable record, the higher it is rated by public opinion.

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Klemme, - - Iowa

Good beet root yields an average of 12 per cent. of sugar.

Goosebone prophets who foretold a long, cold winter are getting anxiouser and anxiouser about their reputations.

As a health restorative a French medical expert recommends a ten to fifteen days' diet of fruit alone, twice a year.

Abruzzi may still be a great man in his own country, but over here he has dropped entirely out of the prominent citizen class.

It is reported that a German professor has concussion of the brain. Probably caused by a collision between two trains of thought.

It is noticeable that the German papers have made no outcry over the fact that King Edward has personally written to Andrew Carnegie.

There is a bank clerk in Elyria, O., who never has any difficulty in striking a balance. His father was a slack-rope walker, and his mother was a trick bicycle rider.

Were the Mrs. Gilman brand of sociology to come into vogue there would soon be no society for sociology to operate upon and the exuders of guff would be among the unemployed.

Miss Ross Becker has been appointed a claim agent and United States pension attorney at Missouri. She has been known for years as one of the most successful women in St. Louis, being a notary public and an insurance agent.

Massachusetts has a law to prevent recklessness and speeding in automobiles, which law may be rendered ridiculous by its wrong punctuation, as it forbids driving over roads "laid out under the authority of the law recklessly or while under the influence of liquor." Boston, in consequence, is in rhetorical spasms.

The secretary of the Colorado state bureau of child protection believes that a bad child gets its start from an ill-ordered home or from parents who possess evil traits of character, and wants a law passed making parents responsible for the misdoings of their minor children. But as bad traits of character are often inherited, what would the secretary do in case of an adopted child?

In a fire panic in a New York cheap theater, a so-called exit was found to be a veritable trap, barring in the fleeing crowd instead of letting them find a way to safety. One would naturally suppose that the holocaust in Chicago would have prevented this dangerous practice for all time; but the lessons of catastrophes are quickly lost, especially when they are followed by no retributory measures.

There will naturally be much feminine sympathy for the New Jersey woman who has appeared in court to complain about her husband's cruel treatment, relates the Washington Star, and who says: "I am a graduate of a cooking school. I make biscuits, pies, cake and all sorts of dainties to please him, and he calls it all 'indigestion fodder!'" The judge adivsed the woman to cook corned beef and cabbage occasionally, and she said she would.

A Minneapolis woman is suing the Western Union Telegraph Company for damages because when she telegraphed to her brother that "Pat," her husband, was drinking, and "to come at once," the message was made to read "Pat is dying," and a horde of relatives, notified by her brother, came from far and near to attend the wake, and she had the expenses to pay. If Pat had had anything to say in the matter he would probably have permitted them to pay their own expenses.

Said an anxious mother to the family doctor: "What shall I do with my daughter Mary? She is simply candy crazy and, of course, eating nothing substantial makes her pale, if not downright yellow." Said the wise physician to the anxious mother: "Put Mary into a sweet shop, and she'll soon abhor the stuff! It is heroic treatment, but it will cure her appetite for candy." Poor Mary! says the Indianapolis Star, how much pleasure she is going to lose for lack of a little self-denial.

An extraordinary demand has arisen in the eastern counties of England for second-hand Bibles—the older and dirtier the better. Copies which formerly realized four pence are now readily bought for half a crown. They are being used to manufacture evidence of age in the case of old-age pensions. A woman who produced a Bible to prove her age as 76 from an entry on the flyleaf had, unfortunately, omitted to tear out the title page, which showed that the Bible was printed in 1895.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

FIANCEE'S SKILL IN VAIN.

Dr. O. W. Woodard of Nashua Dies of Typhoid.

Nashua.—Dr. O. W. Woodard, a prominent young physician of this city, passed away at the home of Dr. P. E. Stuart after an eight weeks' seige of tpyhoid fever. Dr. Woodard came to Nasnua about a year ago from Grinnell and began the practice of medicine. He was taken down with typhoid fever Thanksgiving day and was removed to the home of Dr. Stuart, where he was cared for during his sickness by his financee, Miss Lillian Riggles, a trained nurse, who was summoned here from Idaho to care for him.

Child Dies in A Puddle.

Leon.—Sunday the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Kopecky, of near Cainsville, fell into a small puddle of water and mud near the family home and when found by the mother a few moments later, was dead. The child had been playing about the house and yard unnoticed by the mother and when she did miss the child and started a search for him she found the little body lying face down in a puddle back of the house.

Unknown Man Killed.

Osceola.—Freight train No. 70 killed an unknown man at the Great Western crossing. The man was about 25 years old, well dressed and carried a grip, and had just got off passenger No. 9. He was walking west on the north track and stepped over to let the freight pass and came in front of the eastbound train. The body was mangled beyond recognition.

Dubuque to Exempt Firm.

Dubuque.—The city council has voted to vacate certain streets and to give tax exemption concessions required by the United Fruit company, which proposes to build a $100,000 warehouse here employing sixty-five men. Dubuque will then be the distributing point for the concern for the northwest. The annual payroll of the company will be $65,000.

Big Land Transfer At Auction.

Marshalltown.—A big land transfer was made here by F. L. Meeker, as referee, sold at auction 239.41 acres of land lying near St. Anthony for $30,288. The property was the estate of James Dunn, Jr., of St, Anthony, and the sale settles a lawsuit that was threatened between the widow and other heirs.

Robberies At Oelwein.

Oelwein.—Two grocery stores in Oelwein were entered and each lost all the money on hand in the cash drawers. Sachtleben and Gremmels lost about $20 in cash, and the burglars obtained a $15 haul in cash from J. F. Ridler. The robbers entered by means of skelton keys, as the doors were found open in the morning.

Good Roads in Iowa.

Murray.—The problem of good roads making is a live topic in this vicinity, and the good roads convention held in Murray resulted in the further agitation of the subject, which is of vital interest to all. D. Ward King of Missouri, the originator of the King road drag, addressed the convention.

Fire At Marshalltown.

Marshalltown.—Fire threatened destruction of the big Iowa Central shops, when the blaze was discovered under the roof of the boiler department. Prompt work confined the flames to the boiler shops, with but little damage. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

Marshall County Veterans.

Gilman.—This town will entertain the Marshall County Veteran's association at the next annual reunion to be held June 29 and 30. The dates were fixed at the public meeting of citizens. J. A. Ward was made chairman of the general committee on arrangements.

New Hotel for Ames.

Ames.—The Commercial club has been instrumental in organizing a $50,000 stock company which will erect a high class modern hotel next spring.

New Buildings At Dougherty.

Dougherty.—New buildings will be erected on the site of the ones destroyed by fire recently when the hotel and several other buildings were destroyed.

FARMERS' GRAIN MEN MEET.

Elect Officers at Sioux City—About 2,000 Gather.

Sioux City.—Fifteen hundred members of the Farmers' Grain Dealers association of Iowa at their annual convention elected officers as follows: President—J. H. Brown of Rockwell City. First vice president—B. Hathaway of Pierson. Second vice president—J. W. Hagans of Barnum. Secretary—C. C. Messerole of Gowrie. Treasurer—F. H. Gorman of Dougherty. Directors—John Ruthven of Ruthven, J. W. Hagans of Barnum, Hans Moeller of Sioux Center, W. S. Foley of Melvin, Thomas McManus of Dougherty, J. E. Mereness of Glidden, B. Hathaway of Pierson. Action was taken toward forming a co-operative insurance company to protect the elevators of the association. Federal inspection of grain and reciprocal demurrage is favored. Much opposition developed against the proposed centralization of schools.

Fair Managers Unite.

Mason City.—The Interstate Association of Fair Managers has been organized here with T. H. Wadsworth of Algona, president and W. B. Clark of Marshalltown, vice-president and C. H. Barber, Mason City, secretary and treasurer. The object of the formation of the organization is to foster better fairs and prevent conflict in dates, or to arrange dates that will be satisfactory to all and for the further purpose of securing a better line of attractions for this section of the state. Among the cities represented were Marshalltown, Eldora, Algona, Mason City, Osage, Charles City, Hampton, Austin and Albert Lea and Nashua.

Fort Dodge Gets Theater.

Fort Dodge.—In case the Des Moines Life Insurance company does not rebuild the recently destroyed Midland theater building, a $50,000 theater will be erected in the spring by John Schaupp, a Fort Dodge capitalist. Mr. Schaupp made a statement that he would start operations by March should he learn definitely that the destroyed building would not be rebuilt into a theater, giving Fort Dodge a playhouse that would be a credit.

Two Bluffs Men Drown.

Council Bluffs.—Lake Manawa may have collected a part of its annual toll of human life. Tom Kendall and J. W. Mergen, two local business men, went hunting on the lake and up to the present time, have not been seen. A black hat worn by Mergen was found floating in the water not far from a capsized boat. Searching parties are engaged in dragging the lake near the scene of the supposed drowning.

Attacked by Masked Man.

Osceola.—Pearl Robbins, 17 years old, was attacked by two masked men while on his way home from the opera house. One man used a club and the other seized him by the collar. Pearl broke away and ran home, where he became hysterical and was in convulsions for twenty-four hours and doctors thought his recovery doubtful. It is a case of literally being scared almost to death.

Mother Beats Pullet.

Belle Plaine.—The first annual exhibition of the Progressive Poultry Breeders' association has just closed here. The exhibition was very good, there being about 300 birds entered, and many of them very fine ones, among them being a daughter of "Peggy", the famous $10,000 prize hen, which scored 98. The pullet scored 96.

Young Man Not Slain.

Burlington.—After examining a score of witnesses the jury in the inquest to inquire into the death of Maurice Dowling, failed to find any grounds for the belief that the young man was foully dealt with.

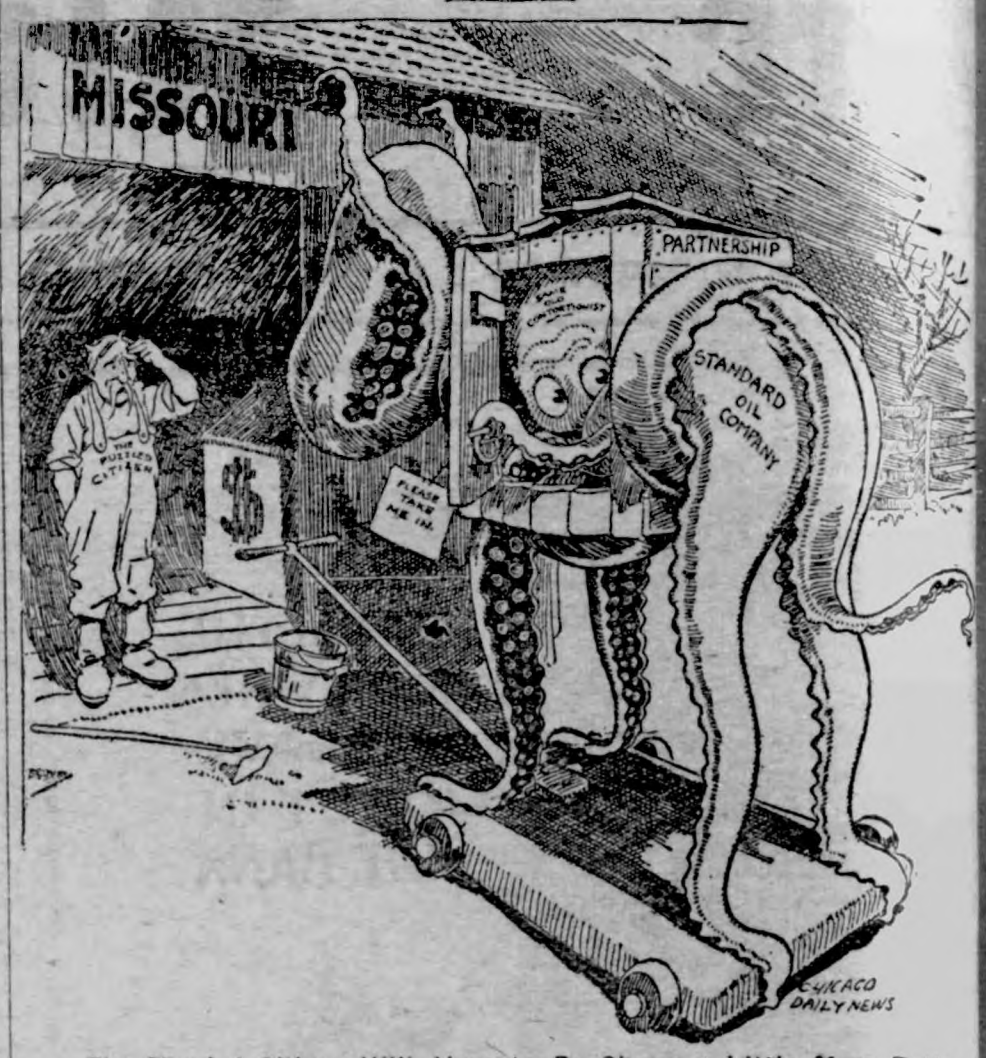
Revival Planned At Mason City.

Mason City.—Union revival meetings are in progress in the Congregational church with Rev. C. C. Smith of Chicago, a well known evangelist, in charge. He is assisted by Rev. Mr. Loper, who has charge of the singing.

Attorney Byers at Charles City.

Charles City.—Attorney General Byers, of Des Moines, will speak here Washington's birthday under the auspices of the Men's union of the Congregational church.

BEFORE THE TROJAN HORSE IS ADMITTED



The Puzzled Citizen Will Have to Be Shown a Little More Fully.

OKLAHOMA GOVERNOR INDICTED

CHARLES N. HASKELL AND SIX OTHERS ACCUSED OF FRAUD.

Defendants Charged with Conspiracy Against Government in Muskogee Town Lot Cases.

Muskogee, Okla.—As a result of the investigation by the grand jury of the alleged frauds in connection with the scheduling of town lots in this city seven indictments were returned Wednesday night. The charge against the defendants is conspiracy to defraud the government. Those indicted are:

Gov. Charles N. Haskell, F. B. Severs, A. Z. English, C. W. Turner, W. T. Hutchings, Jesse W. Hill and Walter R. Eaton.

Attorney Thomas H. Owen of Muskogee, representing Gov. Haskell, made arrangements for the governor Friday morning to enter his appearance and give bond in the sum of $5,000 for appearance for trial.

The writs issued are returnable forthwith.

Gov. Haskell is at Guthrie, the state capital. There is but one indictment against him charging him with conspiring with Walter R. Eaton and Clarence W. Turner to defraud the government. There are two indictments against Turner and one each against the others.

Turner was first to give bond in the sum of $10,000. Hutchings and Eaton gave bond in the sum of $5,000 each. All probably will be arraigned before Judge Campbell Friday morning. English is in Los Angeles, Cal.

In a statement issued at Guthrie, Gov. Haskell said:

"I have just heard of the indictment for conspiracy coupled with seven or eight of the oldest and highest-charactered citizens of Muskogee, men who developed and built up that country by their unselfish effort. From now on, the proceedings will be open to both sides.

"I am satisfied the interior department has been misled by false statements. I am confident there has not been a dishonest act done by any of the indicted parties and that good citizens in general, regardless of politics, feel the same way."

LEWIS RE-ELECTED BY MINERS.

Ohio Man Chosen for President by Majority of 16,000.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Thomas L. Lewis of Bridgeport, O., Wednesday was re-elected president of the United Mine Workers of the United States and Canada by a majority of more than 16,000 votes over his opponent, John H. Walker, district president of Illinois.

The report of the tellers of the ballots cast in the election of last December that as none of the candidates for vice-president or secretary-treasurer had received a majority of the votes cast, it would be necessary for the delegates assembled in the convention to decide the contest. Ballots then were distributed.

Attack Forest Service.

Washington.—The forest service got its usual annual drubbing Thursday, the criticisms against it coming principally from Mr. Smith (Cal.), Mr. Cook (Col.) and Mr. Mondell (Wyo.), all of whom charged extravagance in administration and the extortion of money from miners, farmers and even the owners of bee hives. Mr. Cook attributed to Mr. Pinchot, the chief forester, the ulterior motive of scheming for Secretary Wilson's seat in the cabinet.

STOPS THE JAP LEGISLATION.

Speaker's Appeal and Governor's Message Postpone California's Action.

Sacramento, Cal.—Speaker Phil A. Stanton took the floor Friday and secured, by a strong personal appeal unanimous consent of the assembly to postpone further action on the Japanese school segregation bill until next Wednesday.

He declared he had information which he could not reveal, that proved the assembly was treading upon dangerous ground in passing the anti-Japanese bill.

At the conclusion of the speaker's address, Grove L. Johnson, author of the measure, asked that the matter of reconsideration of Thursday's vote be put over until Wednesday, and his motion carried without dissent.

Gov. Gillett sent a special message to the house raising the point of the bill's constitutionality, and this was the subject of a long debate, during which it was suggested by leaders on both sides that the measure be referred to the committee on judiciary and submitted to the attorney general for an opinion as to its legality.

Senator A. C. Minetti introduced the Japanese school bill in the senate.

DEFENDS USE OF SLEUTHS.

President Says Secret Service Is Necessary to Punish Criminals.

Washington.—Declaring that "if the government is to act with full efficiency against criminals, it must have some force of secret service agents who can act against criminals anywhere," President Roosevelt in a statement made public from the White House emphatically reiterated his opposition to restricting the field of usefulness of the secret service.

"The position of the administration is," said the president, "that it is against sound public policy to discriminate in favor of criminals by discriminating against the use of the secret service to detect and punish them."

The statement was called forth by "misleading statements appearing in some of the afternoon papers" to the effect that the work of the secret service has not been hampered and that the investigation of cases outside the detection of counterfeiters and the protection of the president has not been circumscribed by restrictive legislation at the last session of congress.

Wants Premium for Mothers.

Des Moines, Ia.—One dollar to the mother of every baby born in Iowa. Representative Fulliam Friday introduced such a bill as a substitute to the tax on babies measure. It provides that the mother of a new born baby shall be paid one dollar by the county treasurer upon receipt of a certificate signed by the mother and the attending physician.

Relief Fund Is Now $3,641,000.

Washington.—Funds raised by the relief organizations for the earthquake victims in Italy have reached a total of $3,641,000, this sum representing the contributions which poured in from all quarters through the three leading organizations—the American National Red Cross, the Italian government committee and the Italian Red Cross.

Carrie Nation Is Fined.

London.—Carrie Nation became acquainted with the London police court Thursday afternoon, when she was fined $7.50 for thrusting her umbrella through a window of a car in the underground railway upon which a cigarette advertisement was pasted.

Ground It Under His Heel.

The SMUGGLER

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. Elise shared her stateroom with a Mrs. Graham, also bound for Canada. The young women on a sightseeing tour met Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented by the trio for the summer. Elizabeth learned that a friend of her father's was to call. Two men called, one of them being the queer-acting stranger on the steamer. The girls were "not at home," but discovered by the cards left that one of the men was Elizabeth's father's friend. The men proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Lady Edith told the girls of a robbery of jewels at the hotel. Fearing for the safety of her own gems, she left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his queer actions, returned the lost bag and told of mysterious doings of a year before connected with the cottage. Exploring the cellar, one of the girls found a sphinx cuff-button, the exact counterpart of which both Gordon Bennett and Lady Edith were found to possess, also. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. The young women agreed to keep the secret. Lady Edith told a story of a lost love in connection with the sphinx key. Elise and Gordon Bennett discovered Lady Edith and Mr. Graham, the latter displaying a marvelous baritone voice. At a supper which was held on the rocks Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party.

CHAPTER XI.—Continued.

It was a very beautiful world, too, as the sun sank slowly out of sight, leaving the heavens tinted with scarlet and gold, fading here and there to amber and palest pink, and we instinctively grew silent while watching it.

Finally Mr. Bennett touched me on the shoulder.

"Look," he said.

I turned in the direction he indicated and saw a little skiff under full sail, heading for the open sea. The white canvas gleamed rosily pink in the sunset glow, and we could see the figure of a man silhouetted against the sky. A fresh breeze had sprung up and the boat cut through the waves, now careening to one side until the sails seemed to dip in the water, now righting itself and darting forward as though exulting in its dangerous freedom. Steadily onward it went, and as I watched it Mr. Graham's song returned to me. Almost unconsciously I repeated a few lines:

"Where the far-away dim horizon
Touches the mist-bound sea,
There lieth an Unknown Kingdom
With its gates ajar for me."

"Yes," said Gordon Bennett, adding after a moment, "it is Graham, you know."

I contradicted him at once, secure in my superior knowledge.

"Oh, no! Mr. Graham is at home. I saw him this afternoon and he said Mrs. Graham was far from well. He is with her, of course."

I rose as I spoke, for it was time to go home, and Mr. Bennett rose also. He looked at me in a puzzled, incredulous sort of way and once or twice seemed about to speak, but thought better of it. As we walked toward Mr Blake I remembered the shadows and my fright of the previous night. I began to tell him about it, but a gleam of gold caught my eye and I saw he was wearing the scarf-pin with the Sphinx's head. For some reason the sight of this pin checked the words on my lips and a feeling of distrust arose in my heart, totally unjustifiable.

Mr. Blake joined us and we walked slowly home in silence, interrupted only by occasional perfunctory remarks. I was conscious of a return of my former depression, also of an inclination to be very disagreeable indeed should any one give me the slightest provocation.

Perhaps my companions realized this, for at the turn of the path they said good-by and went on to the village, leaving me to return to the cottage alone. Far in the distance I saw a woman's figure I thought might be Gabrielle coming home along the shore, and I decided to wait for her.

So I went around to our little slip, intending to sit upon the ledge until she arrived. Much to my surprise, I found it already occupied, for Mrs. Graham sat, or rather crouched, upon the ledge muffled in a thick shawl. Her thin hands were clasped so tightly together that the veins stood out like cords and the knuckles were blue and prominent. Although it was evident from her absorption that she had not heard me approach she displayed no surprise when I sat down beside her and when I spoke she answered as though I had been there all the time.

The sun had quite set now and the sky was gray and leaden. The wind blew sharply from the east, bringing with it a penetrating chill which made me shiver in spite of myself.

"Had you not better go home?" I suggested. "Surely it is not wise for you to sit here."

In reply she raised her hand and pointed toward the ocean.

"He is out there."

"Mr. Graham?"

"Yes."

Gordon Bennett had been right, and this was the way Mr. Graham looked after his invalid wife. I tried not to show the indignation I felt as I thanked her for the roses, and again suggested she would be better at home.

"Roses?" she repeated. "Oh, yes. It was Harry's idea; he is always so thoughtful. I hope you liked them."

"I do not consider it very thoughtful to leave you like this."

The words sprang to my lips and I regretted them as soon as they were uttered.

"I told him to go." She was at once on the defensive. "He would have stayed with me if I had asked him. I wanted him to go. But, oh—"

She collapsed again and shivered convulsively.

"The skiff is so little and the ocean is so big."

"He goes so often I should think you would be accustomed to it."

I fear my voice was not very sympathetic, but, as Gabrielle said, there were times when Mrs. Graham jarred one's nervous system. She was looking straight at me now with an expression of terror in her large dark eyes.

"Often," she whispered; "often? Ah, you don't know! Day or night when the fancy takes possession of him he has to go; he says he cannot help it. Last night—and to-night."

"Last night!" I ejaculated. "You don't mean to say he left you last night?"

She immediately stiffened, resenting the implied criticism.

"There was no reason he should not. I was all right as soon as I got to bed. He was restless and wakeful and I did not need attention. It was best he should go. I was quite comfortable at home."

Quite comfortable! I could imagine the thin white face upon the pillow, with frightened eyes staring into the darkness hour after hour throughout the long night, and it was not my idea of comfort. I uttered an impulsive ejaculation of sympathy, but she checked me with some dignity and remarked that she thought she would take my advice and go home.

"I shall be all the better for a cup of tea," she said. "Isn't it curious how depressed one gets when one is cold and tired."

I watched her frail figure walk languidly in the direction of her house and knew that the tea, even if she drank it, would bring her no comfort. Several times she stopped and looked behind her and looked out over the expanse of water toward the far horizon. I knew she was looking for the little skiff I had seen bounding so joyously over the waves, and when she resumed her walk, her thin shoulders drooping and her head bent upon her breast, I felt the contempt for Harry Graham which something in his personality prevented me from feeling when he was actually present.

I was very glad when Gabrielle joined me and my thoughts could be diverted into another channel. I saw at once that her afternoon had not been a success and she was anxious to tell me about it.

"Well," she began, slipping her hand through my arm, "I've had the funniest experience. I'm glad my brother is not recovering from an illness that left him with a crook in his temper."

It seemed she had gone to Lady Edith's sitting room at the hotel (for the Campbells had taken a suite), and finding her alone had presented the roses and had a cozy little chat, as well as a cup of tea, which she found very cheering.

"And then," continued Gabrielle, "just as I was about to come home I heard some one go into Lady Edith's bedroom and slam the door. She got up quickly and then sat down again and I saw she looked worried. Then I heard a smash of china and somebody swore—yes, and swore hard, too. I didn't know whether to get up or sit still and, of course, I did the wrong thing; I sat still and I ought to have gone out; I knew that later."

"Well, what happened?"

"In a minute the door between the rooms was flung open and Lord Wilfrid marched in, so angry he never saw me. And, oh, Elise, his arms were full of roses."

"Roses!"

"Yes, red roses. Dozens of them. They were more than he could carry and fell on the floor all round him, and whenever he saw one on the carpet he stepped on it."

"What?"

"Yes, he did, and ground it under his heel. He began to say something, too, in a blustering sort of way when Lady Edith interrupted him. She stood in front of him, very tall and straight, and looked directly at him. She said: 'Wilfrid, we are not alone.' Her head was very high in the air, and I never saw her look so lovely; I felt awfully sorry for her, too, for I think her pride must have suffered."

"What happened then?"

"Well, then he saw me—and I certainly wished I was not there to be seen—and muttered something. And then he dumped those glorious roses on the floor and rang the bell. I tried to talk pleasantly while we were waiting for the boy to come, but honestly the whole room seemed full of red roses, I never saw such flowers in my life, and I couldn't think of a thing to say. When the boy came Lord Wilfrid said: 'Take that trash and throw it out,' and he gathered them up and went off.

"Lord Wilfrid went off, too. He said something civil to me about having sailed about in the sun until he had a horrid headache and the scent of the roses was intolerable. But you know he didn't have to smell them, for he could have stayed in his own room. He scowled at his sister as he left the room and I think she is dreadfully worried about him. She is going to get a doctor from the city, for she doesn't think this air agrees with him."

"I wonder what can be the matter with him," I speculated. "Perhaps he is threatened with brain trouble. She seems to be so careful of him, and the least things excite him."

"I couldn't help wondering where so many exquisite roses came from," said Gabrielle, "for flowers are hard to get here, you know. Lady Edith said her brother had never been able to endure the odor of roses, but I noticed that the white ones we sent did not seem to excite him at all. In fact, I don't think he saw them. What sort of a time did you have?"

I told her about my afternoon as we mounted the steps leading to the cottage, and we agreed that we were very glad our own families were merely commonplace and possessed no highly wrought invalids to be watched and guarded.

The cottage was brightly lighted, and Elizabeth stood in the door to welcome us. A metamorphosed Elizabeth, absolutely radiating happiness and arrayed in her red dress, which she only wears when she feels especially cheerful.

"Where have you been?" she exclaimed. "I thought you would never come home."

She seized our hands and dragged us into the living room.

"Look!" she cried, her third finger extended.

And there was the marquise ring, its seven rubies shining in the bright light, and its diamonds twinkling ecstatically.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HOLLAND BULB TRADE IMMENSE.

Over 10,000 Acres Devoted to Raising Tulips and Hyacinths.

An industry characteristic of the Netherlands is the raising of tulip and hyacinth bulbs. Attempts have been made in several parts of the world to grow these, but nowhere can the experiment be said to have been successful, as the proper kind of soil for propagation of perfect bulbs seems only to exist in the small space of territory between the cities of Leyden and Haarlem.

This stretch of country is in reality the bottom of the old Haarlem sea, which was laid dry about the year 1852, and this sea-bottom dirt, a combination of sand and decomposed vegetables and plants, appears to be the only soil capable of producing the flower bulbs mentioned.

These bulbs are exported to all parts of the world; the demand is constantly increasing, and an increased area is from year to year set apart to the cultivation of bulbs. The statistics for 1906, the latest available, give this area as 4,058 hectares, equal to 10,027 acres.

How the Cow Helped Australia.

"Corn is king in America and the cow is queen in Australia," remarked R. J. Guthrie, agricultural editor of the Sydney Mail. "The cow has redeemed the country, and hundreds of farmers who lost nearly all they had by the drought of 1902 are now better off than they ever were, and it is all due to the cow. Australian butter ranks well up with the best butter in the world.

"Our butter making is all done by the co-operative creamery system. It has been years since the farmer made butter on the farm. We have little use for a dual purpose cow in Australia. That is, the dairy farmer wants a cow that will give milk ten months in the year, and he uses it for no other purpose, while those who raise cattle for beef have no thought of milk production."

But Not Literally.

It is related of a local preacher in a western town, who was to be absent from his pulpit a fortnight, that he recently announced after the sermon: "The preacher for next Sunday will be Mr. Blank, and the one for the Sunday after you'll find hanging up behind the door on the other side of the vestry."—Youth's Companion.

THEY KNEW HOW TO WORK

BUT DON'T NEED TO WORK NOW SO HARD.

The experience of the Bisser Bros. in Western Canada is similar to that reported to every agent of the Canadian Government, whose advertisement appears elsewhere:

"Wheatwyn, Sask., Nov. 6th, 1908.

"To the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, Manitoba.—Dear Sir: I, in company with my brother and other relations, arrived in this country in the spring of 1893. At the time we got off the train at Wolseley, Sask., we had only a few dollars, not enough to start farming on our own account, so we were compelled to work out for a considerable time in order to make sufficient money to enable us to establish ourselves. When we thought we had enough money to start with, I and my brother took up one quarter-section (160 acres) land each in the Loon Creek district. In 1900 we moved on our homesteads with one team of horses and one walking plow. While I was engaged with the work in the field, my brother built a shack and barn of logs, which we have hauled during the time we were not able to work in the field. We were certainly working very hard, but I am glad to say that we made our fortune in this country. To-day we do not need to work so hard as we used to, as we have three men hired steady for whom we pay $30.00 to $40.00 a month, besides board and lodging during the summer time! I am also glad to tell you that to-day we are owners of a section and three-quarters of the best land, with first class buildings thereon, besides having all the necessary machinery. We always do our own threshing, for we have a 22 horse-power threshing outfit.

"Our success in farming in this country also enabled us to get rid of a number of horses of less value, and instead we bought 10 pure-bred mares, representing a value in the neighborhood of $5,000.

"Regarding raising grain, which is the main factor in our district, I am proud to say that we have always had good success. We have raised wheat as high as 35 bushels to the acre; and this year, although we suffered from lack of sufficient rain, our wheat went 27 bushels to the acre, and we had 900 acres in crop. We have broken this year about 100 acres new land, and by next year we will have about 1,110 acres in crop. For one carload of wheat which we have shipped a few weeks ago we got a price of 97 cents per bushel, and it graded as No. 2 Northern, although we have a quantity of wheat which will surely go as No. 1 Northern. During the six years we have been farming for ourselves we have never had one frost around here, so that we always had a good crop.

"I, for myself, feel compelled to say that our Great West is the land where a person who is willing to work and trun his hands to anything, can make a fortune, and a comfortable living. Our country is a thoroughly free country, and we have a good Government; and, as long as we have good crops, and a good Government, we are satisfied, and I think that is all we want.

"Yours very truly,
"LORENS BISSER,
"P. O. Wheatwyn, Sask.."

FROM A RECENT NOVEL.

"Whereupon he instantly drew his sword."

CHILD HAD SIXTY BOILS,

And Suffered Annually with a Red Scald-Like Humor on Her Head.

Troubles Cured by Cuticura.

"When my little Vivian was about six months old her head broke out in boils. She had about sixty in all and I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment which cured her entirely. Some time later a humor broke out behind her ears and spread up on to her head until it was nearly half covered. The humor looked like a scald, very red with a sticky, clear fluid coming from it. This occurred every spring. I always used Cuticura Soap and Ointment which never failed to heal it up. The last time it broke out it became so bad that I was discouraged. But I continued the use of Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent until she was well and has never been troubled in the last two years. Mrs. M. A. Schwerin, 674 Spring Wells Ave., Detroit, Mich., Feb. 24, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

What a friendly old world this would be if we all loved our neighbors as we love ourselves!

TERHUFEN BROS.

—PROPRIETORS OF THE—

One Price Cash Store

We carry a complete line of

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—A complete line of—

Groceries, Paints, Oils, Flour

and other articles too numerous to mention in the Grocery and Hardware line.

—A new and up-to-date—

TIN SHOP

in connection where you can get your work done promptly.

We solicit a share of your patronage.

Yours for business,

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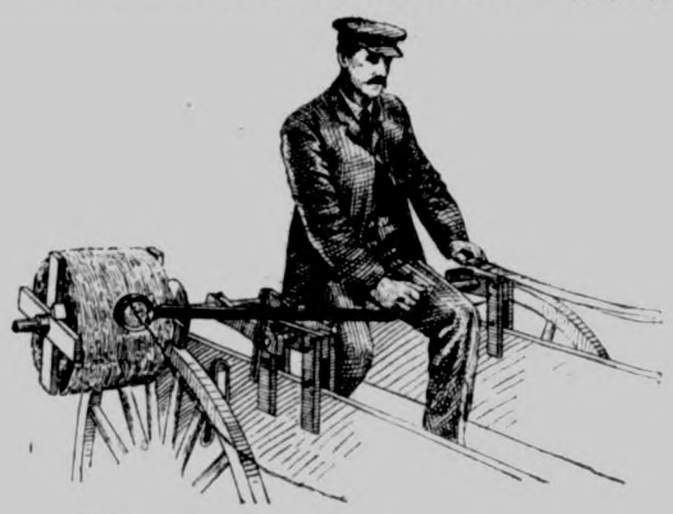
SPECIALTY

We have the Robinson Manure Spreader, guaranteed to do the work.

Wood works in connection. Located at the Nissen stand.

GIVE ME A CALL



Farm Machinery.

Yes Sir! We mean just what we say. "A penna saved means a penna earned" and you can do this by going to H. Lau & Son and buy you a first-class "A Grade Surrey" and top buggy and Dane mower and Dane hay loaders, buckers, stackers, 20 century Kemp manure spreaders. You can also buy cultivator plows, binders, mowers, hay rakes, Jones scales, harnesses, flynets, lap dusters, whips, oils of all kinds, tile spades, barb and smoot wires, fence stapels and other farm implements. Royal Tailors tight fit suits. They will keep style and collor, fit guaranteed.

H. Lau & Son.

Subscribers who are more than One Year in arrears to the Times, are requested to pay up at ONCE.

CIRCUS MAN'S NARROW ESCAPE

Exposure Only Averted Through Two Fortunate Circumstances.

An old circus man tells this incident as one of the narrow escapes he had in the show business. He had trained lions, zebras, leopards, rhino—you know—and all sorts of beasts of prey, but this, he says, was his narrowest escape.

It was when he was running a dime museum in Milwaukee.

One day a mild-mannered Russian came out of the railway station up at the town that was made famous, with a valise in his hand. He was a heavily bearded man and with shaggy hands and arms like George Esau. He hunted up a cabman and inquired modestly: "Where is the dime museum?"

The cabman told him and then asked: "Want to ride up?"

"Yes," the bearded stranger told him quietly, almost bashfully, "I'm to be employed up there. I'm the wild man."

"The narrow escape," says the ex-circus man, "lay in the fact that no newspaper men heard the man's remark, and that the cabman was an Englishman, with no sense of humor, who never thought to repeat it."

MISTAKES OF MENTAL WORKERS.

Few Endeavor to Keep Themselves in Proper Physical Trim.

Neglect of physical development is responsible for many of the ills to which the vast army of men workers is heir. Men and women who labor in offices are even forgetting how to use their legs, so convenient is it to resort to street cars, though the distance to be covered may be but a few blocks.

The best mental work is performed by those who keep in good physical trim. Generally, the incentive for this is lacking. It is perfectly possible for every mental worker to take daily, systematic exercise, though it may be only a brisk walk in the open air or a few free-hand movements on rising in the morning or retiring at night. Few, however, gain sufficient exhilaration in these diversions. Most people are more strongly attracted by games, competitions or the forms of exercise entered into by a considerable body of persons in unison. More than that, most people would prefer to watch others in these pastimes than to enter into them in person.

Rules for Good Health.

To keep in good health it is necessary to have regular hours for eating and sleeping. Meals should be arranged to be served at the same time each day and there should be no hurrying. Go to bed at a set hour and rise regularly. A cold bath is a very great aid toward maintaining health and beauty, but if it is too great a shock to the system then a tepid bath will do. Do not, however, neglect the morning bath. It is a great deal easier, of course, to start taking a cold bath in summer than in winter—any way to contract the habit. Do not eat between meals—it is injurious to the complexion and to the general health. Even afternoon tea is not at all good for the average woman or man.

Dog Ghosts.

The phantom dog specter was one of the hardiest of old English superstitions. Almost every county had its black dog which haunted its lonely spots and was the dread of every native. Most of them were regarded as devils, but some were held to be the spirits of human beings, transformed thus as a punishment. Lady Howard, a Devon notable of the days of James I., for instance, was said to be compelled to haunt Okehampton in the form of a dog as a punishment for her cruelty to her daughter.

Puzzle Made Plain.

Readers of "Gulliver's Travels" are naturally brought up sharp when first confronted by the word Houyhnhnm, the name given to the half horse half man creature, whose reasoning power Dean Swift makes so acute. The word is obviously an attempt to spell out the sound given by a horse's neigh—what the philologists call nomatopoeia—but one hesitates to pronounce it. An eminent English authority—no less than Prof. Saintsbury—approves its pronanciation to rhyme with minim, and it has been so used in English verse.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

REVOLTS AT COLD STEEL

Your only hope said three doctors to Mrs. M. E Fisher, Detroit, Mich. suffering from severe rectal trouble. lies in an operation, then I used Dr. King's New Life Pills she writes till wholly cured. They prevent Appendicitis, cure Constipation, Headache. 25c at G. A. Pebst & Co.

The City Dray Line

Will do your coal and other hauling at reasonable rates. Leave your orders at the store or ring up No. 37.

ELL BROS. Klemme, Iowa

German M. E. Church Items

Anna and Sadie Boevers of Fenton Iowa were visitors at the Ed. Griffen home several days last week.

E. H Lenz and family moved into their new home last Saturday and Henry Griffen pulled into the Lenz home the same day.

Mrs. Blank and her three youngest children and mother Reuter, visited with W. F. Lau and family in Garner between trains Monday.

Henry Ludeke returned home last Wednesday from the hospital in Iowa City. The operation reduced his weight a considerable, but he is gaining nicely.

E. J. Schaefer returned to Kirksville, Mo. last Saturday where he will take another months treatment. He intended to spend Sunday with his brother-in law the Rev. W. J. Suckow in Grinnell.

Lurena Wessel and her cousin Gilbert Meyer, both students in the Charles City College, spent Sunday in Klemme, returning Monday evening. The latter will complete the business course in a few weeks and then return to his home near McGregor, Iowa.

On Thursday evening of last week occured the marriage of Maggie Hammon to Albert Lange at the home of the bride's parents. In spite of the bad roads, some 50 guests were present. After March 1 they will make their home on the young man's farm in German township.

A minister friend recently had an exciting experience in his home which he related to the writer a few days ago.

The family had retired one night and were sound asleep, when suddenly they were awakened by a terrific sound like an explosion. In their sleepy mood they thought they felt the house lifted from its foundation. The wife screamed, the children cried and the preacher man bounced out of bed in his excitement, but the wife caught him by his night gown and would not let him go away, fearing something terrible had happened. After he had quieted her and found that the children were all alive, he took a light to explore the house. He went into his study, then into the parlor, the dining room and kitchen but found every thing in order. What could it have been? Next he must investigate the cellar, but how horror stricken he was, when he opened the door and found the steps bespattered with blood. He quickly stepped back and closed the door. By this time his oldest son had come down and getting an old pistol and the preacher man weaponing himself with a ball club they started for the cellar. "Who is there," they shouted, but there was no sound nor answer. Do the cellar they started to quor or be conquored. But had only gone a few steps they noticed broken pieces glass lying around which plained it all. A bottle of munion wine had been placed the cellar a short time ago, had begun to ferment and exploded. It is best always keep cool and not "loose head." How often small happings are turned into "terrible thing" by not being considerate and cool.

The Ox's Affections.

Oxen usually die in pairs. yoke fellow seldom survives the Working and resting side by through many long years these animals develop so strong, so and abiding an affection for one other that separation means death.

When a pair of oxen are yoked gether in youth they fight. Their tual hatred is as great as would that of two men yoked together, with the years' passage they cease kick and butt. They become friends. And this friendship ripens at last an overmastering affection which may be, consoles the mild, laborious creatures in some measure for the long cruelties heaped on them by man.

A Surprise for the Thief.

Herr Hager, a rich and influential banker, frequently had watches pilfered from his pocket. At first he had recourse to all kinds of safety chains, then one morning he took no precaution whatever, and quietly allowed himself to be robbed. At night, on returning from his business, he took the evening paper; he uttered an exclamation of delight. A watch had exploded in a man's hands. The victim's hands were shattered and his left eye destroyed. The crafty banker had filled the watch case with dynamite, which exploded in the operation of winding.

School That Turns Out Heroes.

Wednesday was a high day at Eton, perhaps it might be called a sad day, too. Has ever before one school sent 1,400 of its sons to fight for their country in one war? Has any school had 120 of them killed in the same war? Eton is unique. There are other great schools, but Eton stands on its own plane. Criticise Eton as you may; show all its faults it is Eton still. Eton may reflect some of the proverbial shortcomings of Englishmen; certainly it represents particularly their traditional virtues.—Saturday Review.

Too Busy.

"What we want," said the reformer, "is a leader who is wholly unselfish, a man absolutely above all mercenary considerations."

"Yes," answered the man with chilly eyes; "and when you find that kind of a man, he's generally busy and compelled to work hard for a living instead of studying economic theories."

Masquerade Ball

—AT—

KLEMME OPERA HOUSE

—ON—

Friday Evening Feb. 12, '09.

Everybody Come

Jurgasen's Orchestra will play.

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Hay	3 00 to 6.00
Hogs	5.00 to 5.75
Cattle	1.50 to 5.85

LOCAL NEWS

Change of ad for State Bank.

Prof. Washburn drove to Garner Saturday.

Oysters direct from Baltimore at Kluckhohn's.

Pure rendered lard at the F. A. Griewe meat market.

Since the freeze-up the raods have been terribly rough.

The prettiest and up-to date valentines can be procured at G. W. Kluckhohn's.

There will be a dime social at the residence of Wm. Fuller on Monday evening Feb. 15th.

Read the market report. Bring your produce to Klemme and receive the highest market price.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 5c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Jake Wenz left last week Saturday for Britt where he will visit his sister Mrs. Wright and family for about a week.

Aug. Schuidt is busy these days assessing the Germantown farmers. Better tell him the truth as he can read your thoughts if you don't.

Social functions of winter midnight lunches, loss of sleep tell on the health. Hollister's rocky mountain tea clears the blood, aida digestion, relieves fatigue, makes and retains your health. &reatest tonic. Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co.

There will be a Market Day Sale on Saturday, Feb. 27th. Any one having live stock, farm mechinery or household goods that they wish to sell on that day may list same in the Times office before Feb. 16.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

On account of the inclemency of the weather on Jan. 29th, the Masquerade dance was postponed but will now be given on Friday evening. Feb. 12, 1909. Music will be furnished by the Jefferson Harp Orchestra. Get busy, get your suits ready and enjoy yourselves. Supper will be served by the Royal Neighbors in the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. Spooner.

The Wolf ad for the Saving bank—read it.

Fresh oysters always on hand at Kluckhohn's. tf.

F. A. Arnold was at Garner between trains this Thursday.

Miss Anna Coobs arrived from Forest City Wednesday evening.

Valentines, valentine post cards and comic cards at Kluckhohn's.

C. C. Suckow returned Wednesday from his visit at Unionville, Iowa.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

Old Plantation Quartet and Jubilee Singers at Opera House on Wednesday evening, Feb. 24.

R. M. Day left Monday for Buell county, S. Dak. where he will will look after the interests of his farm.

Edw. J. Schaefer left last week Friday evening for Kirksville. Mo. where he will take treatment in a hospital.

FOR SALE—Six milch cows, 1 registered Short-horn bull, 13 head of horses and all kinds of farm machinery at my farm 4 miles east and 1 mi. north of Klemme. J. Wacker. 26-3*

Mr. Coobs and family moved from Forest City this week. They have rented the Arnold farm which was occupied by Wm. Brandt.

No more divorces.
'Hubby' will stay a lover true,
Every wife his only sweetheart, too,
Perpetual matrimonial bliss 'twill be,
If both take Hollister's rocky mountain tea.G. A. Pabst & Co.

John Waterman has the latest improved Victor talking machine. With this machine he received several new records and we all appreciated when he gave us free concerts. Several new records were disposed of.

Our town is getting to be quite musical in the way of Victor and Edison phonographs. At G. A Pabst & Co. you can hear the very choicest of music on their latest improved Edison phonograph, at Waterman's the latest improved Victor machine, at Terhufen Bros another Victor and still another at the home of this scribe. There is always music in the air.

Mr. E. S. Thomas, the great basso, sometimes known as the "Jubilee Father," formerly associated with the eminent success of the "Tennesseeans" and other celebrated jubilee organizations, is at the head of this versatile quartet company as director and manager. Mr. Thomas is a musician of rare culture and christian education. Including him, we have assembled a quarted of genuine jubilee artists in an interesting, versatile and attractive program of old time jubilee songs. negro melodies, etc. They faithfully portray the old time negro in his native element. At Opera House Wednesday evening Feb. 24th.

SOLDIER BALKS DEATH PLOT.

It soems to J A Stone a civil war veteran of Kemp, Texas that a plot existed between a desperate lung trouble and the grave to cause his death. I contracted a stubborn cold he writes that developed a cough that stuck to me in spite of all remedies for years. My weight ran down to 130 povnds. Then I began to use Dr. King's new discovery which restored my health completely. I now whigh 178 pounds. For severe colds, obstinate coughs, hemorrhages, asthma and to prevent pneumonia it's unrivaled. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G A Pabst & Co.

Save your money—ad State Saving Bank.

Nice line of Valentines at G. W. Kluckhohn's.

Wm. Brandt moved onto the Louis Sampson farm which he will farm the coming season.

C. L. Yahnke and Louis Katterheury who have been on a business trip to Fairfax, Iowa returned Wednesday.

AGENT WANTED—Man with team to canvass Hancock county for the best selling article on the market. Liberal commissions. Address H. E. Smith. Iowa Falls, Iowa. 28-3

The long winter months—heavy foods—lack of exercise decrease your vitality, make you feel mean. Hollister's rocky mountain tea gives you vitality—clears the blood—builds up flesh. Makes you strong and robust. Great spring medicine. Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co.

E. H. Lenz and family moved Saturday from their farm into their new residence in Klemme and will now be numbered with us. H. Griffen and family who have rented their farm the coming season also moved onto his farm the same day.

A programme and basket social will be held on Friday evening Feb. 19th. at the school house in district No. 9. The proceeds to go for an organ. All are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Ethyle Whiting,
Teacher.

THE SECRET OF LONG LIFE

A French scientist has discovered one secret of long life. His method deals with the blood. But long ago millions of Americans had proved Electric Bitters prolongs life and makes it worth living. It purifies enriches and vitalizes the blood rebuilds wasted nervecells, imparts life and tone to the entire system. Its a godsend to weak sick and debilitatep people. Kidney trouble had blighted my life for months, writes W M Sherman of Cushing, Me. but Electric Bitters cured me entirely. Only 50c at G A Pabst & Co.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will sell at public sale on his farm 4½ miles northwest of Klemme, 7 miles southwest of Garner, ½ mile north of the German township M. E. church on Tuesday, Feb 16, 1909. Sale beging at 10 o'clock a. m. Free lunch at noon.

11 head of horses, 27 head of cattle, 14 Poland China hogs, 100 Plymouth Rock chickens, 15 tons of tame hay in barn, 11 hives of bees, 10 busheis of tested seed corn and farm machinery. Uusal terms.

Chas. Schroeder. Owner.
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F. A. Arnold, Clerk.

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

Henry Griewe,	Klemme
H C. Beier,	Britt
Wm. Bredlow,	Garner
Fred Alberts,	Belmond
Wm. Nuehring,	Kanawha

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Most Popular Because it is the Best.

I have sold Chamberlain's cough remedy for the past eight years and find it to be one of the best selling medicinet on the market. For babies and young children there is nothing better in the line of cough soruo says Paul Allen, Plain Dealing, La. This remedy not only curesthe coughs, colds and croup so common among young children but is pleasant and safe for them to take. It contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given to a baby as confidently as to an adult. For sale by G A Pabst & Co

Snow Storm and Blizzard.

Again this vicinity was visited with a snow storm and blizzard. On Monday night a few inches of snow fell and on Tuesday and Wednesdsy we had our old-time blizzard. Everything was blockaded. Farmers were obliged to stay at home and our passenger was abandoned Tuesday but made its appearance on Wednesday. The storm was not as severe as the former storm, however it was bad enough.

WASHINGTON ONCE GAVE UP.

To three doctors, was kept in bed five weeks. Blood poison from a spidere's bite caused large deep sores to cover his leg. The doctors failed, then Bucklen's arnica salve completely cured me, writes John Washington of Bosqueville, Tex. For eczema, boils, burns and piles its supreme 25c at G A Pabst & Co.

THE ORIGINAL LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE HONEY AND TAR
Red Clover Blossom and Honey Fee on Every Bottle.

North Germantow.

(Too late for last week)

Mrs. G. Haes is visiting relatives at Clarion these days.

Ground hog seen his shadow and that means six weeks more winter.

J. T. Brown and wife left last week for California to spend the rest of the winter.

Thursday. Feb. 4th. occured the marriage of Miss Maggie Hammond to Mr. Albert Lang.

Anton Hejlik is moving on his farm which he purchased of J. T. Brown last spring near Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Manuel are rejoicing over the arrival of a little daughter last week Thursday, Jan. 28.

The storm took a number of wind mills last Friday among them were Henry Griewe's and Frank Rayhouns.

Found Present in Piano.

A couple who recently got married in Glasgow have among their goods an old-fashioned square piano bearing the date of 1789. It was purchased merely as a piece of furniture. They called in a piano tuner to see if he could better the tone of the instrument. While handling it he came on a piece of paper, and, pulling it out, handed it to the owner, who on reading it found the faded handwriting to run thus: "Lucky one whoe'er you be, this little store is all for thee; If many mouths you've got to feed, 'twill help you in your time of need." On closer examination a small canvas bag with £15 in notes was found. The piano cost them 40 shillings, a bargain in itself—with this marriage present thrown in.

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

AT

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—ON—

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—AND—

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Save while buying a suit of gents spring and summer made to order clothing of standard merit, seldom equaled, never excelled. I want to show you a beautiful line of samples. A fit, a beauty and a long wearing suit. Your profit, my pleasure.
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"Father, brother George swore."

"Swore, did he?" inquired the parent, grimly, reaching for the slipper. "What did he say?"

"He said 'ain't,'" responded Katy, solmenly.—Success Magazine.

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"Pat, boy," said he, "for why don't ye fix th' hole in th' roof?"

"The hole in the roof, is it?" asked Pat, spearing for an excuse. "Oh, yis. I would, ye know, but whin th' rain is comin' in I can't fix it, an' whin it don't rain it don't need fixin'."

Criminality of Waste.

If I wanted to train a child to be thrifty I should teach him to abhor waste. I do not mean waste of money; that cures itself, because very soon there is no money to waste—but waste of material, waste of something that is useful but that you cannot represent in money value to the waster. There is waste of water, waste of gas and things of that kind. If you would wish your children to be thrifty I would beg to impress upon them the criminality of waste.—Lord Rosebery, in an Edinburgh Address.

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But a Change of Food Gave Relief.

Many persons are learning that drugs are not the thing to rebuild worn out nerves, but proper food is required.

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

State Capital Gossip

Many Items of Interest from Our Correspondent at Des Moines.

R. R. Commission Misunderstood.

Des Moines, Ia.—"If there was ever a misunderstood public service corporation that faithfully served the people of a state, it is the present railroad commission of Iowa."

Goaded by a question from Representative Swift of Shelby county as to whether the commission did not invariably consult the railroads before making an order, James C. Davis, general counsel in Iowa for the Northwestern road, made this statement in an emphatic defense of the commission at a hearing before the railroad committee of the house.

"Isn't it a fact," inquired Mr. Swift after an argument against the bill fixing a penalty for failure to obey orders of the commission by Mr. Davis, "isn't it a fact that the commission always consults you gentlemen before making an order and that if you are opposed to the granting of a petition it is practically impossible to get action within the life time of any man here?"

Mr. Davis showed some heat in his reply. "The commission never consults us or refers to us," said he. "They never come to us and ask whether we want such an order made. The fact is that they have made some outrageous orders, and if you will look at the records you will find that their orders are all against us."

The Swift bill was recommended for passage by unanimous vote. It provides a penalty of $50 a day for failure by any road to comply with an order of the commission within a fixed number of days after its issue. In opposing the bill Mr. Davis read the present statute authorizing a penalty of $1,000 a day for failure to obey orders after action in court to compel obedience has been decided against the road.

Auto Tax Bill Goes In.

Representative Fred Hunter of Polk county has introduced the bill urged by the state highway commission providing that automobile owners be taxed for the purpose of providing funds for good roadmaking, in the house of representatives. The bill provides that commencing with the year 1910 every motor car owner whose machine is thirty horsepower or less shall pay a yearly tax of $5 to the secretary of state. If the motor car is greater than thirty horsepower the tax shall be $10 yearly. This amount goes into the county road fund, to be used under the direction of the state highway commission in building good roads and in offering rewards for good road making.

Hog Cholera Fight Planned.

An organized fight on hog cholera and tuberculosis in cattle is planned in a bill introduced in the house of representatives by Representative Wilson, son of "Tama Jim." Representative Wilson asks for $10,000 with which to establish at Ames a laboratory for the manufacture of hog cholera serum and cattle tuberculin. These are to be furnished free of charge to farmers or stock men who ask it.

More Salary for Members.

Members of the lower house are canvassing that body on the question of an increase in salaries of representatives from $550 to $1,000 and as a result a bill was presented to the committee on compensation of public officers. As yet no member has been found who is willing to attach his name to such a measure. That such a bill would pass without opposition is the prediction of those who are working for the increase.

Another Insurance Measure.

John Sullivan has put another insurance measure before the senate. It is a bill providing that suits on health or accident policies must be started before the year has elapsed.

The second bill of the session has passed the legislature. It is that exempting dentist from jury service. It has gone to the governor for his signature.

Will Re-Codify Laws.

To a subcommittee consisting of Senator Larrabee and Representative Moore of Linn has been assigned by the joint military committee of the house and senate the task of recodifying the laws of the state with regard to the Iowa national guard and making them conform to the laws under which the guard is conducted as a reserve for the United States army.

Ream Holds Seat.

Senator John F. Ream (democrat) of Mahaska county, which constitutes the Fourteenth senatorial district, will retain his seat in the senate. A report from the special committee recommending the dismissal of the proceedings brought by former Senator A. F. N. Hambleton to secure the seat has been adopted by the senate. The contestant asked for a recount on the ground that many ballots bearing marks opposite the names of the candidates for president had been thrown out, the contention being that these should have been counted. The committee's opinion was that it would be in line with the holdings of the supreme court to hold that these marks were deliberately made and therefore came under the rule of marks of identification. Upon this theory the recommendation was made, which results in a dismissal without a recount.

Park Lines Wiped Out.

Des Moines' park department will no longer be required to spend the money at its disposal on the parks of East and West Des Moines according to where the money was raised, if the house and senate concur in the action of the house committee on municipal corporations. The committee voted to recommend Representative Hunter's bill, which repeals an old statute limiting the expenditure of park money in cities with more than one park to the township in which the money was raised. The committee also recommended for passage a bill permitting the city of Emmetsburg to acquire jurisdiction over Medium lake, which it is proposed to convert into part of a public system.

Oppose Storms' Pardon.

Members of the legislature from Burlington are united in opposition to a pardon for Abe Storms, who was sent to Fort Madison to serve a life sentence for the murder of a woman and her daughter at Burlington. Storms' friends are preparing to go before the legislative committees on pardons in an effort to secure his freedom, following an action to the same and before the board of parole. Members of the Burlington degelation said that all three representatives from Burlington are opposed to a pardon and that Des Moines county wants to see Storms remain in prison.

Vacation on Full Pay.

Two weeks' vacation on full pay for each of the 1,000 and more employes of the state institutions who have served two years or more is provided in a bill recommended for passage by the house committee on the compensation of public officers. The bill gives one week's vacation on pay to employes of a year's standing and will affect a large majority of the 1,333 employes on the pay roll of institutions under the board of control. It was introduced by Representative W. P. Dawson and was indorsed by the committee with only two dissenting votes.

Bear Poison Label.

Inebriates who have a fondness for alcohol in its undiluted form will be saved from drinking the denatured product by mistake if the legislature passes a bill introduced by Representative Tilton. It requires that every bottle of denatured alcohol shall bear a poison label.

Compulsory Education.

The senate committee on schools will probably recommend the Whipple compulsory education bill for passage within a few days. This measure provides that blind or deaf children shall be educated in the state schools for the blind and deaf, or in private institutions.

Baseball Bill Favored.

May 30 will not longer be a red letter day in the baseball calendar if the legislature stands by the house committee on military, which will recommend for passage a bill prohibiting ball games, horse racing and sports at any and all hours on Memorial day.

Committee Appointed.

The house committee on military will report a resolution which undoubtedly will be adopted, appointing Representative Arney, Alfred and Blackmore to wait upon Admiral Evans and invite him to speak in the house chamber on the afternoon of his visit.

MIX FOR RHEUMATISM

The following is a never failing recipe for rheumatism. To one-half pint of good whiskey add one ounce syrup sarsaparilla and one ounce Toris compound, which can be procured of any druggist. Take in teaspoonful doses before each meal and before retiring.

Been There Before.

A new constable was on duty at one of the London police courts, and was conducting a prisoner to the cells.

"Mind the step," he said, as they came to a dark corner.

"All right," muttered the prisoner; "I knew that step before you were born."

Pardonable Crime.

"If I were to kiss you now, would you have me arrested?"

"What would be the use? Any jury would acquit you."

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...sas, Tennessee, Texas and Alabama in Path of Cyclone—Telegraph Communication Is Cut Off.

...isville, Ky.—Death for nearly ...re of people, losses of hun... of thousands of dollars in prop... and the crippling of many tele... wires resulted between noon ...usk Friday from a series of cyclones and tornadoes which ... Dixie from the Tennessee line ... Texas panhandle. The storms ... accompanied in most cases by ... darkness and terrific lightning ... and sheets of rain.

...t of the towns where the losses ... occurred are off the beaten ... so that news from them has ... coming in but slowly. Known ... thus far, however, are:

...ttgart, Ark.—Mrs. Garfield and a ... of Will Story, while Mrs. Story ... reported fatally injured.

...phur Springs, Tex.—Mrs. James ... and Mrs. C. Caldwell.

...th, Miss.—Six unidentified per...

...ing Fork, Miss.—Four unidenti... ...ersons.

...man, Ala.—Seven unidentified ...ons.

...vicinity of Montgomery, Ala.—Two ...ntified persons.

From other towns, such as Ennis and ...axahachie, Tex., and Boscoe, La., ...any dwellings were said to have ...een demolished by the force of the ...ind.

Rice Fields Destroyed.

...Arkansas and upper Louisiana rice ...elds were injured to the extent of ...any thousands of dollars, while the ...arger cities had rains and darkness ...luminated by lightning bolts that ...ade the atmosphere quiver.

About dusk Chattanooga was lost on ...e wire running south from Louisville ...d Nashville and has to be picked up ...om Memphis. The local operators ...eard the faint words: "Terrific storm ...ere—black as night—hail falling," ...nd then the sounders ceased to ...ecord. Knoxville was lost similarly ...ortly after that, but later both ...ires were looped in when conditions ...ere ceased in violence.

In Louisville the entire day was ...ark and rainy, but there was no inti...ation of cyclone or of heavy wind.

More Deaths Reported.

Birmingham, Ala.—Reports received ...riday night state that several persons ...ere killed by a cyclone at Cullman, ...la., in the afternoon.

Texas Feels Storm.

Fort Worth, Tex.—A heavy rain ...d wind storm of tornado pro...portions, which swept over north ...exas and southern Oklahoma Fri...y, resulted in considerable damage ... several localities. At Ennis, Tex., ... dozen residences were blown down ...o loss of life has been reported. Wax...achie was also damaged by the tor...ado.

At Sulphur Springs the storm ...recked eight dwellings, and Mrs ...mes Ardis was seriously injured by ...ing glass. The total damage from ...e storm in northern Texas will bt ...out $100,000.

Wrecks Many Buildings.

Monroe, La.—A small cyclone at ...oscoe, 16 miles south of Monroe, ...recked the public school building ...ew down a house and wrecked heavy ...mage in other ways. At Monroe the ...in was torrential and the wind vio...nt.

DRAWN TO SCENE OF CRIME.

...orgian Who Killed Man in 1899 Surrenders to Sheriff.

Dublin, Ga.—Drawn by some irresis...ble impulse to return to the scene ...ere he killed a man when he was ... years of age, Manly B. Tripp, after ...aming a good portion of the world ... ten years, Thursday surrendered ... the sheriff of Laurens county. ...r some days he has been here and ...s an interested spectator in the ...urthouse during a trial. He was ...t recognized until he voluntarily ...rendered. He shot James Hood ...n on the street in 1899. He es... and efforts to capture him ...

...ccuse Discharged Official.

...Louis.—Clarence N. Jones, presi...t of the Commonwealth Feed Com...y and a brother of Police Commis...r George P. Jones, was shot and ... in a quarrel in his mill at Sec...d and De Soto streets here Wednes...y. Herman A. Kretschmar, a dis...rged official of the company, was ...rested and charged with the shoot...g. He asserts that he shot in self-...fense. Jones died in the city hos...al a few minutes after the shooting.

LAUDS GOVERNOR

SCORES PERKINS WHO ADVISES POLIOY OF INSULT.

WIRES SPEAKER OF HOUSE

Senator Newlands Says "Let Our Courtry Be Open Only to White People."

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 8.—Anti-Japanese legislation will be to the fore this week in both branches of the legislature. Two resolutions, drawn by Grove L. Johnson of Sacramento, and aimed at the island emperor's subjects, will be the subject of discussion in the senate tomorrow—one already passed in the assembly, segregating the Japanese in the public schools of the state, and the other, which was refused passage, empowering municipalities to segregate in residential districts all undesirable aliens.

It is the school bill that most deeply concerns President Roosevelt, and between this time and Wednesday, for which day it has been made a special order of business, to determine whether or not the vote by which it passed shall be reconsidered, it is expected that the national authorities will throw additional light upon the subject. This is supposed to be of an extremely important nature, showing the true state of diplomatic negotiations now pending between Japan and the United States, and revealing to the legislature the reason for Mr. Roosevelt's numerous telegrams to the governor, urging postponement of further action on anti-Japanese legislation. The situation is considered grave by the administration supporters.

Wires Speaker.

Governor Gillett said yesterday in San Francisco that he understood Speaker Stanton had received a message from President Roosevelt that he was at liberty to make public if he so desired. A telegram was received today at the governor's office from Washington stating that the Roosevelt message might be given out, and Assemblyman J. P. Transue, one of Stanton's lieutenants from Los Angeles, issued the following copy:

"Washington, D. C., Feb. 8.—Hon. Philip A. Stanton, Speaker of the Assembly, Sacramento, Cal:

"Please accept the expression of profound obligation on behalf of the American people as a whole for the high and patriotic services you are rendering. I have unlimited confidence in the sane good sense and right mindedness of the people of the state of California.

"I know they appreciate that the national government is at this moment engaged in doing everything it can to achieve the ends that California has in view while at the same time preserving unbroken the terms of respect and good will with a great and friendly nation, and therefore I am sure the people of California will support you in taking the position you have taken, which is so eminently in the interests not only of the American people as a whole, but especially of the state of California.

"Theodore Roosevelt."

MINE WORKERS ADJOURN.

They Again Select Indianapolis as Meeting Place.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 8.—After selecting Indianapolis as the place of holding the convention next year, the convention of the United Mine Workers of America, which has been in session in this city for the past three weeks, adjourned Saturday evening.

The scale committee, which had under consideration the situation in the anthracite district of Pennsylvania, made its report at the evening's session. Various demands are made in the report, among them being an eight-hour day with no reduction in pay and the complete recognition of the miner's union. A 5 and 10 per cent increase in wages is also asked for.

Hawley Rumors Again.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 8.—It is rumored in railroad circles that a consolidation had been effected between the Chicago & Alton, the Chicago Great Western, Iowa Central, Minneapolis & St. Louis, Chesapeake & Ohio, and possibly the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroads. Edwin Hawley who, with his associates' disposed of the Colorado Southern property to the Burlington a short time ago, is said to be slated for the presidency of the new combination.

Germans Are Delighted.

Berlin, Feb. 8.—Discussing the speech recently made in New York by Count Johann Heinrich von Berstorff, the German ambassador, the semi-official Nord Deutsche Allegmeine Zeitung, sees with the greatest satisfaction the development and strengthening of the ties between Germany and the United States.

NOT AFFECTED BY DEPRESSION

One Big Industry That Makes Its Business Grow and Expand During Year of Business Depression.

When a manufacturing establishment reaches out in a year of depression and increases and expands its business, while others in the same line diminish their outputs or stand still, it is because there must be some unusually good reason for it. In this instance a splendid reputation and a more-than-ordinary meritorious product were responsible for the showing made.

The Mayer Boot & Shoe Company, Milwaukee, the largest shoe establishment in the Northwest, has just closed its fiscal year, and reports an increase in sales over the corresponding period of last year. This exceptional showing speaks volumes for the genuine merit of Mayer shoes, and is directly attributed to their high standard, and because of the fact that Mayer shoes have become universally and popularly known as "shoes of quality."

The leading brands are "Honorbilt" fine shoes for men. "Leading Lady" fine shoes for women. "Yerma" Cushion shoes for both men and women (these are exceptionally fine shoes for people troubled with tender feet); the popular "Martha Washington" Comfort shoes, which have the largest sale of any shoes of this kind in the world, and the "Special Merit" School shoes (a strong and sturdy line of seamless school shoes that wear like iron).

A Black Eye for Home.

It is a coming fashion to hire a hall to entertain your friends, to give dinner parties in a hotel, to be married in a church, to be taken to a hospital when you are sick and to an undertaker's as soon as you die, and left there until the funeral. The tendency is to conduct all public occasions away from home. The home is getting a black eye.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

Prof. Munyon has generously placed his Cold Cure with druggists throughout the United States and has authorized them to sell it for the small sum of 25 cts. a bottle. He says these pellets contain no opium, morphine, cocaine or other harmful drugs, and he guarantees that they will relieve the head, throat and lungs almost immediately. He gives this guarantee with each bottle of his medicine: "If you buy my Cold Cure and it does not give perfect satisfaction, I will refund your money." Prof. Munyon has just issued a Magazine-Almanac, which will be sent free to any person who addresses The Munyon Company, Philadelphia.

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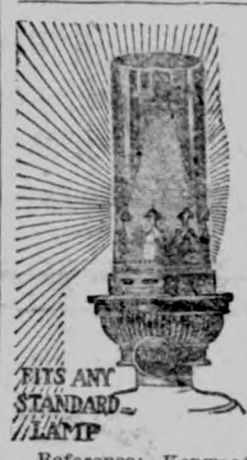

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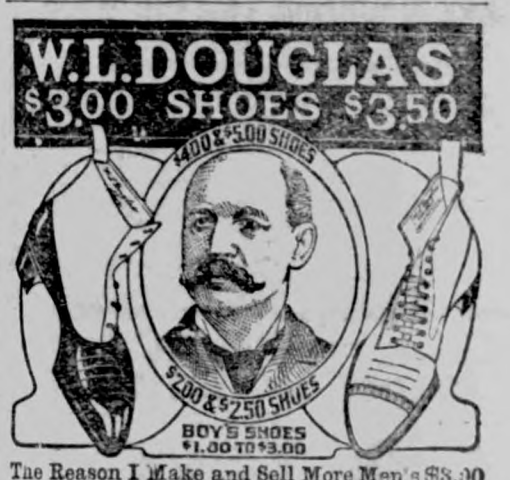

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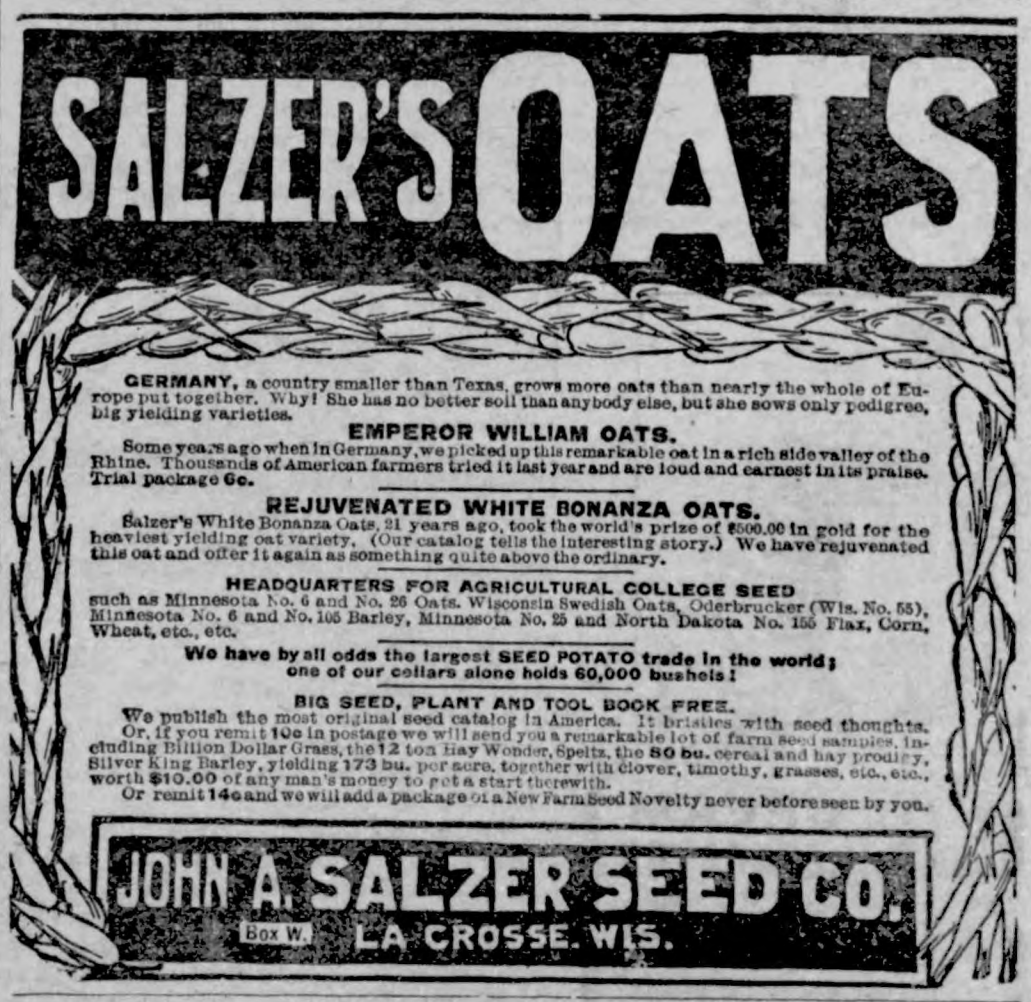

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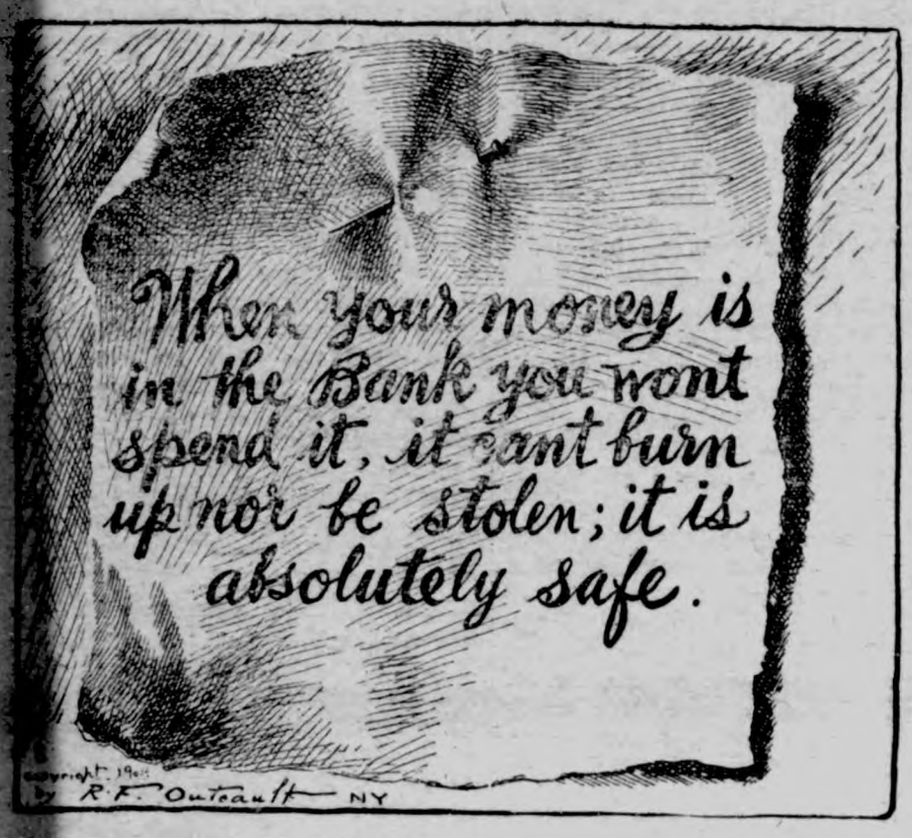

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DESPISE CUCKOO AS MARAUDER.

Birds Drive Australian Glutton from the Bush.

Prof. Drummond, the well known New Zealand naturalist, has been compiling some further notes with regard to the voracious habits of the long-talked cuckoo of Maoriland. He has recently received a photograph, taken by G. Buddle of Auckland, of a long-tailed cuckoo that had half swallowed a fairly large lizard, and had been nearly choked by its effort. The lizard went down head first, but its fore limbs prevented the bird from taking in the whole body, and the reptile stuck in the cuckoo's bill until it was rescued. Mr. Buddle took a photograph of the bird with the lizard in its bill, and another one after the lizard had been removed, and in the latter picture the look of rage and disappointment is very strongly marked. A. Burrows of West Oxford, North Canterbury, tells the professor that in the crop of a long-tailed cuckoo he found two young goldfinches, two large lizards and several beetles. The goldfinches were fledged and had been swallowed whole. These bad habits of the cuckoo, says Mr. Drummond, are strongly reprobated by more decent birds, the tuis and others chasing the marauder out of the bush whenever they get a chance.

LIKE THE LION AND THE LAMB.

Fierce Animal Fraternized with Man Who Fed Cubs.

A man living in Morocco went out one day to shoot lions. He went deep into the forest looking for wild beasts, when he saw two lion cubs that came right up to him to be caressed. The hunter, who knew no fear, sat down to fondle the cubs, and while waiting for the big lion to come along he opened his lunch box and shared its contents with the animals. Quite unperceived, the "king of the forest" came upon the scene, and watched the trio lunching. He silently crept away, and after awhile returned with a sheep, which he laid at the huntsman's feet. The Moor skinned the sheep, gave the entrails to the cubs, and, lighting some wood, roasted the sheep for his lunch. All the while the lion showed no signs of ferocity, for he respected the man who fed his young. The four seemed a happy family there in the heart of the forest, and when the man came to take his leave he stroked the cubs an affectionate good-by, while the big lion accompanied him until he was safely out of the woods.—Exchange.

He Liked Chicken, But—

It was in a crowded subway train, says the New York Press. The Saturday afternoon matinee-goers filled the cars, and as a small tidal wave of femininity swept along, one was borne on its crest who was attired as Solomon never was. If her costume was striking, however, her headgear was appalling with its burden of plumes and ribbon. A meek, mouse-like man read a paper beside her, and as she turned her head from side to side her long plumes tickled his ear and brushed his mouth. He stood it as long as he could, but when a sudden toss of her head drew an exasperating feathery fringe sharply across his lips he folded up his paper in disgust.

"Madam," he said, witheringly, "I like chicken, but not the feathers!"

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Lady—Indeed? And why did the former captain leave?

Captain—He died, madam.

Lady—How sad; and what did he die of?

Captain—He was talked to death by the ladies.—Judge.

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OVER A VALENTINE

GIRL MARRIED HUSBAND OF HER MOTHER.

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St. Joseph Entanglement Is the Strangest That Has Come to Light in Years.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 15.—In the shooting which is expected to result fatally, of William Smith, a carpenter here there came to light one ff the strangest entanglements three persons ever lived under.

A girl 22 years old, who shot Smith, avers to the police that she married him knowing that her mother was already his legal wife. The three have lived for years together, the man as the husband of both.

The shooting occurred over the sending of a comic valentine. The girl, who styles herself Mrs. Cora Smith, while her mother is known by the name of Mrs. William Smith, sent the carpenter a comic valentine. Smith grew angry when he received it and after packing up his clothes started to leave the house. Thinking he was going to desert her, the girl shot him. The girl's mother says she married Smith in 1902. Her daughter was by a former husband. She says she found that her husband had improper relations with her daughter. She made him marry the girl, she says, without first securing a divorce. The girl and husband bear out the story.

BLIZZARD HITS HARD.

Telegraph Lines and Bridge Towers Blown Down.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 15.—Delayed and interrupted telegraph dispatches received here tell of a heavy sleet storm north and west of St. Louis. The storm first started with a rain and was followed by sleet which carried many telegraph wires and poles to the ground. At Keokuk, Ia., a hurricane blew down the towers on the bridge across the Mississippi river and all wires east and west were broken . The same condition prevailed at Fort Madison. West of Sedalia, Mo., it is reported that fully 7,000 poles are down. Trees and telegraph and telephone wires were also broken in southern Illinois.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 15.—The worst blizzard of the winter raged in the mountains of Colorado and as a result railway lines that have been tied up nearly a week and which the officials believed were about to be opened, will be blocked for several days more.

Learned, Miss., Feb. 15.—A storm struck this place from the northwest with terrific force, blowing down a negro church, killing Mrs. Richard Harris and Mrs. Maggie Bennett's child and burying several. Seventy-five were in the building at the time.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 15.—Zero weather and the worst sleet and snow storm of the winter prevails in the southwest. All over Kansas the fall of sleet has been heavy, causing delayed traffic and bad wire communication. In Oklahoma, the storm began Saturday night with a rain followed by a sudden drop of 48 degrees in temperature.

Landslides Stall Trains.

Santa Barbara, Cal., Feb. 15.—The entire passenger equipment of the Southern Pacific coast line was stalled at Santa Barbara and more than 800 passengers were cared for at the hotels at the expense of the company. Early in the day, however, the tracks were cleared of landslides and all washouts were repaired.

Crazy Negro Runs Amuck.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 15.—Running amuck, attacking men, women and children, and throwing the neighborhood into a panic, a crazy negro was finally shot and killed by W. B. Clement, one of a hundred pursuers. The dead negro was Henry Tate, believed to have gone crazy on the subject of religion.

Million and A Quarter Failure.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 15.—Receiver Bushnell has stated that in his opinion the liabilities of Lamprech Bros. would reach approximately $1,250,000 The assets will fall far below this amount, and as a result the customers of the house will doubtless suffer heavy loss.

Warrant is Out for Gorky.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 15.—The police have issued a warrant for the arrest of Maxim Gorky, the well known Russian novelist. In the document Gorky is described as "A Nisbni-Novgorod house painter."

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth.

MANIAC COMMITS SUICIDE.

During the Absence of His Jailor Martin Oberman Kills Himself.

Des Moines.—Martin Oberman, the Russian miner, who went violently insane on a Great Western train near Bondurant and stabbed three fellow passengers, hanged himself in the county jail.

His body was found suspended from one of the bars of his cell by a piece of rope. The rope was a piece of the one with which he was tied after being overpowered on the train. He had broken off a piece about ten inches long and secreted it in the hospital ward where he was confined.

He asked that a priest be sent to him and Rev. F. O. Reilly was summoned. He talked to the man for some time and after he departed Oberman ceased his ravings for the first time. Thinking that he was improving, the jailor left the cell for about ten minutes.

While he was away Oberman secured the rope and unraveling it tied one end around his neck and the other around one of the upper bars of his cell and strangled himself to death. He was dead when the jailer returned to the cell.

Oberman was on his way to Kansas City when he became violent. He had just been released from an insane asylum in Chicago as cured.

$10,000 Chariton Bank Suit.

Chariton.—Many lawsuits here have come up owing to the failure of the First National bank. Recently the receiver, J. H. Jamison, began an action against S. L. Auxier for something over $10,000. Auxier sets up claim that he paid the amount in full, but did not receive notes, but offers several recipes in evidence. The plaintiff's attorneys hold that the receipts are bogus, and this promises to be a hard-fought legal battle.

Drug Habit Caused Insanity.

Des Moines.—Excessive use of powerful drugs may have caused the insanity of Martin Oberman, the Austrian, who, after stabbing two fellow passengers in maniacal frenzy on a Great Western train, committed suicide in the cell in which he had been confined. A bottle containing a liquid composed chiefly of a powerful drug was found among the effects of the man by the coroner.

Held Nails in Mouth—Dies.

Clarksville.—Death from poison, resulting from holding shingle nails in his mouth ensued to Pierce Wamsley of this place. He was on the way to the house at the noon hour when he was taken with severe pains in his stomach followed by vomiting. He died after a few hours of horrible agony.

Medal for Service in Army.

Dyersville.—Former City Marshal Frank Augustine of this city is in receipt of a bronze medal from the quartermaster of the war department at Washington. Corporal Augustine was a member of the First South Dakota regiment and rendered signal services in the supression of the Filipino insurrection.

Ice Harvest Completed.

Clear Lake.—Ten thousand tons of ice have been stored here for use here and at Mason City the coming season. Cars are being loaded and the ice will be shipped to the store houses on the Northwestern lines throughout Iowa.

Mad Dog Bites Three.

Burlington.—Frothing at the mouth and snapping rght and left a mad dog ran through te business district and three men were bitten. The animal was killed in a livery stable by a policeman.

Tried to Kill Son-in-law.

Waterloo.—Louise Kelley is on trial here for attempting to kill her son-in-law. She said he abused his wife and fired four bullets at him. Her attorneys will attempt to prove her insane.

Measles In Milford School.

Milford.—On account of one of the pupils coming down in school with the measles, the pupils of the grammar room are enjoying a vacation, not shared by the other rooms.

Bangor Man Takes Own Life.

Marshalltown.—While despondent, owing to ill health, Alonzo MacDantel, aged 25, of Bangor, shot himself through the head, dying instantly.

To Marry Rich Girls.

Titonka.—According to reports the young men of this town have banded together for mutual protection. According to articles of agreement already drawn up they are to help each other in matrimonial adventures. The club has been formed with twenty charter members and the purpose is to see that each one of the members shall marry girls with wealthy parents. Those in the club who marry first are to use every effort to secure for the unmarried, girls with money behind them. It costs a $5 bill to become a "jiner" of this new club. They say nothing regarding their fitness to become husbands of such young ladies.

Chase Every Clue.

Ottumwa.—Although they admit that they have no clue that gives hope of leading them to the slayer, the Ottumwa police have not given up their search for the murderer of pretty Clara Rosen, the choir singer, whose dead and mutilated body was found last Saturday morning. Circulars have been sent broadcast, bearing the announcement of a reward of $900 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer and descriptions of the diamond ring, bracelet, and gold chain removed from the girl's body.

Kills Wife and Himself.

Waterloo.—Hidden behind a tree in the yard of H. K. Lambert's residence at Waverly, Frank Thompson of that place shot and killed his wife as she stepped from the house. Thompson fired twice, both bullets taking effect. He then committed suicide by shooting himself through the head. A year ago Thompson married his wife and took her to Colorado. There he endeavored to have her lead a life of shame. She rebelled, and, aided by her relatives, was taken away from Thompson.

Tabernacle Site Chosen.

Marshalltown.—The location of the "Billy" Sunday tabernacle has been definitely decided upon, the evangelistic committee having closed a lease for the new property acquired by the Central Church of Christ. The location is central with churches in easy access for overflow meetings. A residence on the lot will be wrecked in order to erect the tabernacle to seat 5,000 people.

Boy is Crushed by a Dray.

Council Bluffs.—Virgil Fulmer, 9 years old, the son of Mrs. C. J. Fulmer, was run over and almost instantly killed by a heavy dray. The boy, with others, was hanging on the wagon when his foot slipped from the brake and the rear wheel passed over his chest. The driver knew nothing of it until after the wagon passed over the boy. The boy died within a few minutes.

Coultier Wants a Charter.

Mason City.—The town of Coultier in Franklin county, just south of here, is taking the necessary steps to incorporate. The question is now up in the courts, and if the showing is sufficient an election will be called and the proposition will be voted upon.

Indictments Quashed.

Council Bluffs.—Six indictments have been quashed by Judge Thornell because the grand jury was improperly drawn. Judge Towner at Osceola has also dismissed the grand jury because it was not properly made up.

Called a Thief; Sues.

Iowa City.—Charles Bell, a colored pugilist, sued John Brant, a leading farmer, in the district court, alleging that Brant called him a "nigger" and a thief, and he demands $1,000 damages accordingly.

Arrested for Wife Desertion.

Waterloo.—George Ross was arrested at Waverly on a charge of wife desertion, filed by the authorities at Oskaloosa. It is alleged that a wife and six small children were left to shift for themselves.

Phone Lineman Fell 15 Feet.

Prairie City.—Charles Beck, a lineman of the Four Cities Telephone company, fell fifteen feet from a pole to the frozen ground and was injured internally. He is in a serious condition.

Diphtheria in Jail.

Cedar Falls.—Several prisoners in the county jail have diphtheria in a mild form and the institution is under quarantine.

State Capital Gossip

Many Items of Interest from Our Correspondent at Des Moines.

More Bank Examiners.

Des Moines—Rep. Fred Hunter of Polk county has prepared a bill for introduction in the house of representatives of the Iowa legislature increasing the number of state bank examiners from three to twelve. This is along the line recommended by Governor Carroll in his inaugural message. The bill also provides for a most exhaustive bank inspection and gives examiners power to make certain investigations now denied them. The cost of bank inspectors is now paid by the banks. who pay on their capital stock from $10 to $30 per year. The bill provides that these amounts be increased to defray the additional cost of the examiners.

Oppose Storms' Pardon.

Members of the legislature from Burlington are united in opposition to a pardon for Abe Storms, who was sent to Fort Madison to serve a life sentence for the murder of a woman and her daughter at Burlington. Storms' friends are preparing to go before the legislative committees on pardons in an effort to secure his freedom, following an action to the same and before the board of parole. Members of the Burlington degelation said that all three representatives from Burlington are opposed to a pardon and that Des Moines county wants to see Storms remain in prison.

Must Keep Clean.

A regular daily bath for men, the implements and the factory itself is provided in the bill which applies to all hotel and restaurant kitchens, bakeries, confectionary stores and every canning or other food producing establishment. And if dirt, dust or "unreasonable" amount of foreign substance is found in the food handled it will be considered proof that the place was dirty and the penalties will then apply.

First Cousins Cannot Marry.

First cousins cannot marry each other under the Iowa statutes if the legislature enacts a bill which Representative Fulliam of Muscatine county has drawn ready for introduction. The bill makes weddings between first cousins illegal, thus placing Iowa on an equal footing with Kansas, Missouri and other sister states.

Wage Exemption Up.

Senator Balkema, on behalf of the merchants, has introduced the wage exemption bill. This time the bill exempts 90 per cent of the wages of the head of a family for ninety days only, leaving 10 per cent subject to attachment at any time. Representative Klay introduced the same bill in the house.

Committee Appointed.

The house committee on military will report a resolution which undoubtedly will be adopted, appointing Representative Arney, Alfred and Blackmore to wait upon Admiral Evans and invite him to speak in the house chamber on the afternoon of his visit.

Marshalltown Wants Dam.

Marshalltown has asked the legislature to give $4,000 toward the construction of a dam in the Iowa river, promising in return that inmates of the soldiers' home will be able to enjoy fishing and boating and that the institution will be allowed to cut ice from the mill pond.

Baseball Bill Favored.

May 30 will not longer be a red letter day in the baseball calendar if the legislature stands by the house committee on military. which will recommend for passage a bill prohibiting ball games, horse racing and sports at any and all hours on Memorial day.

Express Companies Busy.

Attorneys for the big express companies will appear before the house committee on telegraph and express to oppose the bill requiring express companies to maintain offices near the business center of all towns with a population of 300 or more.

Good Road Bills.

Several of the good road bills in the house will be rewritten into one bill by the roads committee, the provisions of the new bill being that the townships, receiving aid from the state shall be able to get $50 from the state and that certain automobile fees be turned over to the road fund.

Auto Tax Bill Goes In.

Representative Fred Hunter of Polk county has introduced the bill urged by the state highway commission providing that automobile owners be taxed for the purpose of providing funds for good roadmaking in the house of representatives. The bill provides that commencing with the year 1910 every motor car owner whose machine is thirty horsepower or less shall pay a yearly tax of $5 to the secretary of state. If the motor car is greater than thirty horsepower the tax shall be $10 yearly. This amount goes into the county road fund, to be used under the direction of the state highway commission in building good roads and in offering rewards for good road making.

Suffrage Bill in Soon.

The joint resolution providing for the submission of the women's suffrage constitutional amendment, which will be introduced at this session of the general assembly. has been placed in the custody of Senator Jamison in the senate and Representative Hunter in the house, and will probably be offered in both bodies at an early date. The prosposed bill strikes out the word "male" from the construction in the section relating to franchise, and the resolution provides that if the bill is passed by this assembly it shall be submitted to the thirty-third general assembly and if passed be voted upon by the people at the general election of 1910.

Sees Great Waste.

Convinced that at least $50,000 of the state's money is being wasted every two years in the publication of reports and pamphlets which no one reads, Representative William H. Cooper, of Jasper county, at his earliest opportunity, will introduce a resolution calling for the appointment of a legislative committee to investigate state publications and report to the general assembly how much of the expenditures is actually justified.

Long and Short Haul.

An important bill has been introduced in the house of representatives by Darrah of Lucas, a long and short haul bill. It authorizes the railroad commission upon application of a common carrier to authorize the latter to charge less for longer than for short distances for the transportation of passengers or property in special cases after investigation by the railroad commissioners.

University Asks Half Million.

Over half a million dollars is asked for the state university of Iowa in a bill introduced in the senate of the Iowa legislature by Senator Wilson. It provides for the erection of the proposed woman's building to cost $150,000, and for numerous other improvements. The total asked is $625,000, $125,000 for maintenance, and $348,600 for improvements.

Would Close Saloons Early.

Iowa saloons will open at 7 in the morning and close at 8 in the evening if the Iowa legislature adopts a bill introduced in the house of representatives by Bonwell of Audubon. The bill provides that instead of opening at 5 and closing at 10, as at present, thirst parlors shall open two hours later in the morning and close two hours earlier in the evening.

Committee Against Passes.

Representative Sullivan's attempt to amend the anti-pass law to prevent railroads and street car companies from give passes to mail carriers, sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables and police officers, resulted in failure when on a vote of ten to seven the railroad committe of the house voted for the indefinite postponement of his bill.

To Honor Allison.

William Boyd Allison, Iowa's greatest statesman, the dean of the United States senate, will be properly honored by the Iowa legislature. An appropriation of $10,000 for the erection of a statue to be erected on the capitol grounds by the people of Iowa was passed by the senate without a dissenting voice.

Bear Poison Label.

Inebriates who have a fondness for alcohol in its undiluted form will be saved from drinking the denatured product by mistake if the legislature passes a bill introduced by Representative Tilton. It requires that every bottle of denatured alcohol shall have a poison label.

The SMUGGLER

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. Elise shared her stateroom with a Mrs. Graham, also bound for Canada. The young women on a sightseeing tour met Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented by the trio for the summer. Elizabeth learned that a friend of her father's was to call. Two men called, one of them being the queer-acting stranger on the steamer. The girls were "not at home," but discovered by the cards left that one of the men was Elizabeth's father's friend. The men proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Lady Edith told the girls of a robbery of jewels at the hotel. Fearing for the safety of her own gems, she left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his queer actions, returned the lost bag and told of mysterious doings of a year before connected with the cottage. Exploring the cellar, one of the girls found a sphinx cuff-button, the exact counterpart of which both Gordon Bennett and Lady Edith were found to possess, also. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. The young women agreed to keep the secret. Lady Edith told a story of a lost love in connection with the sphinx key. Elise and Gordon Bennett discovered Lady Edith and Mr. Graham, the latter displaying a marvelous baritone voice. At a supper which was held on the rocks Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party. Mrs. Graham told Elise of her husband's mania for sailing at all hours of the day and night. Gabrielle witnessed a stormy scene between Lady Edith and Lord Wilfrid, red roses being the cause of the latter's anger. Mary Anne brought back Elizabeth's ring.

CHAPTER XI.—Continued.

"It was Mary Anne," she said, in answer to our questions. "Isn't she the dearest old thing? To think of her simply rooting round among the rocks until she found it! And she wouldn't take a penny of reward. I think I really hurt her feelings when I tried to insist on it. I never was so glad to get anything in my life, for you know how I valued that ring."

"When did she find it?" I inquired. "I have just come back from the rocks."

But Elizabeth was above mere details.

"It doesn't matter when she found it so long as it is here," she said, "and dinner is ready. I feel hungry enough to eat the tablecloth."

So we went to dinner and were served by Mary Anne, whom we each congratulated in turn, and I insisted upon her describing the very spot where she found the ring.

"Sure, Miss Elise," she said, "it was down on them rocks where I spread her supper last night. Between two stones it was, and like as not you walked over it time and again. Be thankful now that it's 'ere and don't worrit yerself 'ow I 'appened to pick up them particular stones."

"That's true philosophy," agreed Gabrielle, "and anyhow let's talk about something else. I want to tell Elizabeth about Lord Wilfrid and the roses."

CHAPTER XII.

"Of course," said Gordon Bennett, "you know your own affairs best."

"I am glad you have come to such a sensible conclusion," I replied, leaning over the edge of the boat and trailing my hand in the water, although I knew such an act is always irritating to the one who manipulates the sail.

"And no doubt you think I'm a very fresh sort of a chap."

I preserved an ostentatious silence.

"I am answered," he said, with a vexed laugh; "found guilty on my own indictment. But I hoped you would not agree so unreservedly."

I wiped my hand on my handkerchief, spreading the latter to dry in the sun, and looking out to sea with apparent absorption in the horizon.

"One ear and one side of your face are very red. Is it sunburn or wrath?"

"The sun is hot," I replied, with alacrity. "Perhaps we had better go home. Will you steer for the shore?"

"Not on your life! I've got you out here now, and I intend to keep you. You are powerless, mademoiselle."

I knew I was and raged inwardly. We had been spending the morning on the water, a not infrequent occurrence of late, and until the introduction of a certain unfortunate topic I had enjoyed myself immensely; for the day was perfection, and my companion thoroughly understood the management of his boat, as well as the art of being agreeable.

The conversation had somehow drifted to the robbery at the hotel, and I had thoughtlessly mentioned the safe in our dining room and Lady Edith's jewels reposing therein for protection. He had protested against our assuming such a responsibility, and urged their immediate return to their owner, which proposition I declined to consider, and the argument waxed hot, ending with an emphatic assertion on his part that we should not be allowed to leave home again without a guardian. This had been the last straw, and I had replied with an asperity which called for the remark at the beginning of this chapter.

"Look here," he resumed, firmly. "I'm not going to back down on one word I have said, but I'm sorry if you are angry about it. I think you don't quite understand my motive."

"Let us talk of something else, Mr. Bennett."

"But listen, Miss Elise. By your own admission, you really know nothing whatever about these people."

"You forget that they are older friends than yourself, after all."

"The general asked me to call; otherwise I should not have ventured to intrude."

His manner was decidedly stiff, and he jerked the tiller resentfully; as we changed our course in swift response, a smothered exclamation escaped

"We Must Go Home," I Said Slowly.

against my will, for the boat careened alarmingly.

"Don't be frightened," he said, forgetting his irritation. "I won't upset you."

"I'm not frightened."

"And don't quarrel with me any more. I won't have my morning spoiled by any confounded Englishman."

"It was a woman," I murmured, "not a man."

We both laughed, and by common consent let the matter drop for the time being, for I was quite willing to resume the lazy, delightful, camaraderie into which we had drifted, and to banish unpleasant subjects which might interfere with it.

So we talked or were silent as the spirit moved, while the white-capped waves lapped against the boat, and the water danced in the sunlight, with cool green shadows here and there, deep and unfathomable, as shadows should be when the ocean lies beneath them.

"Do you know," he said, at last, "that I have in my possession something belonging to you?"

"Oh," I said, with what I flattered myself was fine indifference, "I think you must be mistaken. I have not lost anything."

I was bareheaded, for I liked to feel the wind blow through my hair, and as it curled naturally I was comfortably certain that my personal appearance would not be endangered by so doing. I wished, however, that my hat was firmly pinned upon my head as he leaned forward and looked at me, his blue eyes laughing, and a dimple in his cheek very apparent. I always thought dimples so out of place on a man—perhaps because I have none myself and always wanted them.

"Why aren't your side-combs mates?" he inquired.

"Because I like them best this way;" I tried to speak carelessly, but his laugh was so spontaneous and merry that I gave up all effort at pretense and joined in heartily.

"When are you going to give it back to me?" I asked.

"Not yet," he said, suddenly serious. "I must return it in my own way, and —I do not think the time has come, do you?"

But I did not answer, for I felt my face grow suddenly hot, and sometimes one has nothing to say when one most desires to speak.

"We must go home," I said, slowly. "The morning has quite gone. Take me in, please."

This time he made no objection, but headed for the shore, and as we approached the little slip he turned with an evident effort and addressed me soberly.

"Miss Elise," he said, "at the risk of offending you again, I must say something more."

"Don't," I entreated; "it's not worth while—don't spoil the morning. You know you said you did not want to do that."

"Give back that box to her—Lady Edith. If you do not, you will certainly regret it. But if you won't, in spite of what I tell you, for heaven's sake don't mention it to any one as you did to me this morning—to the Grahams, for instance, or any one at all."

"I am not likely to say anything," I returned, stiffly. "I very much regret having mentioned it to you. By the way," I continued, "I quite forgot something important. At least, it is important to me, because I am curious. Where did you get your scarf-pin?"

"My scarf-pin?"

His hand involuntarily sought his throat, but he was wearing a negligee shirt and soft silk tie.

"Oh, I don't mean to-day. The Sphinx's head, you know, in dull gold. Where did it come from?"

It was a simple enough question, and one easily answered, but Gordon Bennett flushed deep red beneath his tan and brought the boat up beside the slip in silence.

"Well?"

In retaliation for his persistence in the matter of the jewels, I was determined to press the question, now that I saw he wished to avoid a reply.

"My pin? Oh, yes, I remember. I'm glad you liked it."

"I'm not sure I liked it; it interests me."

"Why?"

"Oh, because it did. I would like to know where you got it."

"Well—I found it."

"Where?"

Again a pause, and again the blood mounted to his face.

"Where did you find it? I would really like to know."

"In the streets of New York."

His eyes refused to meet mine, and I knew intuitively that he lied; also that he realized I knew it.

I said no more, but stepped out on the slip with an unpleasant tightening of the muscles of my throat and a curious sensation that everything was slipping away from me.

"Good-by," I said, dully, as I reached the steps, and he raised his cap in silence.

At the top I paused and looked back, for I thought I heard my name. He sat bareheaded in the stern of his boat, gazing after me, but made no effort to attract my attention nor to follow me ashore, so I decided I was mistaken and he had not called me. I wished he had. I wanted to go back and ask him to explain, but pride forbade, and I resumed my walk to the house with my head high.

Elizabeth called to me as I passed the door of her room, where she was reposing luxuriously on her couch, book in hand.

"Did you have a good time?" she inquired, with interest.

"No," I returned, briefly; "horrid."

"That's too bad. And oh, look at your nose! How did you ever get so burned?"

Elizabeth has a straight little nose which is my envy as well as my admiration, and she is always very careful to guard it from too intimate an acquaintance with the sun, so I knew her exclamation was occasioned by genuine sympathy.

"Did Mr. Bennett say anything about to-night?" she asked, as she seated herself on the foot of the bed.

"No; why should he?"

"You don't mean to say you have forgotten?"

"Forgotten what?"

"Elise, sometimes I think you must be in love—or, rather, I should think so were it any other girl. Don't you know that we give a dinner to-night? Our very first formal effort, to celebrate Lady Edith's birthday?"

I turned, brush in hand, and stared at her. I had indeed forgotten, although our menu for the occasion had been discussed and our toilets decided upon that morning at breakfast.

"And that's why I was concerned about your nose," continued Elizabeth cheerfully, "and your neck, too, for that matter, for of course you must wear an evening gown, and we all want to look well. You had really better try the cold cream and other stuff."

This time I did not refuse, for I had a mental vision of my face, as the glass reported it, rising from the delicate lace of my white frock, and the picture did not please me. So I spent the afternoon in anointing my unfortunate countenance, and reflecting upon the frailties of man—thinking of him as a species rather than as a personality, and determining to let him severely alone in the abstract, even while meditating upon a proper course of discipline for the individual.

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BROKEN REST.

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Cruelty Most Frequently Inflicted in Carelessness.

Most of the cruelty of the world is thoughtless cruelty. Very few people would intentionally add to another's load or make his burden in life heavier or his path rougher. Most of the great heart-wounds are inflicted in a moment of anger, when, perhaps, we were too proud to apologize or to try to heal the grievous wounds we had made. Can anything be more cruel than to discourage a soul who is struggling to do the best he can, to throw stumbling blocks in the path of those who are trying to get on in the world against great odds? No life is just the same after you have once touched it. Will you leave a ray of hope or one of despair, a flash of light or a somber cloud across some dark life each day? Will you by thoughtless cruelty deepen the shadow which hangs over the life, or will you by kindness dispel it altogether? No matter how you feel or what is disturbing your peace of mind, never allow yourself to send out a discouraging, a cruel, or an unkind word or thought.—Success Magazine.

Her Fate.

Tess—You'll be all right if you can only cook. You know, they say the best way to reach a man's heart, is through his stomach.

Jess (pessimistically)—Yes, it will just be my luck to reach it with heartburn or some other phase of dyspepsia.

The Secret of Poverty.

Dr. Woods Hutchinson of New York unlocked the secret of general poverty in an address at the American Museum of Natural History in New York early this month, when he said: "What is killing the people of this city may be stated as overwork, underfeeding and overcrowding; and two of these may be included under the one word 'underpaid.' The message of the church and of medicine to-day to the community is not 'Give to the poor,' but 'Don't take so much away from them.'—The Public.

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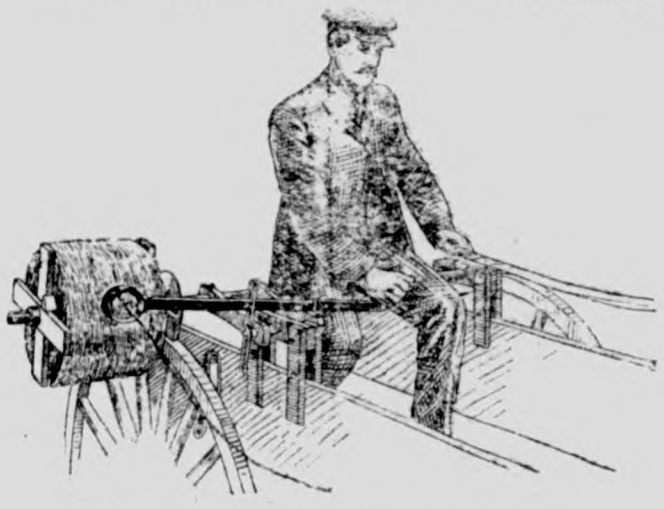

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Yes Sir! We mean just what we say. "A penna saved means a penna earned" and you can do this by going to H. Lau & Son and buy you a first-class "A Grade Surrey" and top buggy and Dane mower and Dane hay loaders, buckers, stackers, 20 century Kemp manure spreaders. You can also buy cultivator plows, binders, mowers, hay rakes, Jones scales, harnesses, flynets, lap dusters, whips, oils of all kinds, tile spades, barb and smoot wires, fence stapels and other farm implements. Royal Tailors tight fit suits. They will keep style and collor, fit guaranteed.

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OBITUARY.

Like the fading away of the last flower of summer, the death of Mrs. Henry Gruetzmacher has taken away the last member of a once happy family. Tho' her friends had little hope for her recovery, she seemingly was gaining in the balmy sunshine of Texas But this was only like the last flicker of a lamp, then death came quick and fast as she peacefully passed away

"By the light that never fadeth,
Underneath eternal skies,
When the dawn of resurrection,
Breaks o'er deathless Paradise."

The deceased was born May 11, 1865 and was the second oldest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. H. Kaste.

Twenty one years ago this month, she was united in marriage to Henry Gruetzmacher and they were among the first settlers in Klemme, where they built up a palatial home. A little girl came to gladden their fireside, but only too soon was this sunshine to be dimmed by the shadow of death. Later Mr. Gruetzmacher started in business in Waterloo, where after a few years he was taken away after a short illness. Tho' physically strong and naturally buoyant and of a cheerful disposition this was more than Mrs. Gruetzmacher could bear. For her life's brightest hours had faded away, earth seemed a strange land and contained no spot that was homelike to her. As often as she visited Klemme she would always bring a wreath of flowers and tenderly place it on the graves of her loved ones. then slowly and sadly return from that silent spot. Gradually her grieved and broken heart gave away, her vitality succomed to its strain and she died in St. Antonia Texas Feb. 11, 1909. The remains were sent to Charles City where they arrived Sunday noon. A short service was held in the home of her parents Monday morning and then the cortege came to Klemme, where a service was held Tuesday morning in the home of Geo. Gruetzmacher and interment in the Klemme cemetery. The floral tribute was without doubt the finest ever witnessed in this town. Beautiful designs came from saddened friends, from north south, east and west.

Those attending from a distance were Rev. Kaste, Mr. and Mrs. Chas Gruetzmacher and Mrs. Fred Pfeifer of Charles City, Jno Kaste of Cleveland, O. Louis Kaste of Hallock, Minn, Benj. Kaste of Denver Col Mrs. Groh and Estella Gruetzmacher of Chicago, Ill. Mrs. Mertz of Hayfield. Mrs. Brocker and Mrs. W. Schaper of Garner.

A SURPRISE.

On last week Sunday evening a surprise was given to Mr. J. Ell at the home of G. W. Kluckhohn and family. Over 40 relatives were present and a few invited guests to help celebrate the occasion. The evening was passed in instrumental music and singing. Rev. A. C. Lillie gave an appropriate address after which Mr. Ell responded in touching words of appreciation. Light refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Kluckhohn and family have a large roomy residence for an occasion of this kind and would have had room for more. As host and hostess Mr. and Mrs. Kluckhohn are hard to equel. Mr. Ell expects to leave this week for his home at Panama, Neb.

The City Dray Line

Will do your coal and other hauling at reasonable rates. Leave your orders at the store or ring up No. 37.

ELL BROS. Klemme, Iowa

The Iowa Legislature.

Is the attraction of the entire state just now. All the people of the state are interested in their law-makers.

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of members of the Thirty-third General Assembly of Ia, will be sent to you postpaid on receipt of 25 cents.

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MARRIED.

Wednesday, February 10th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wille occured the marriage of Mr. Ernst Palmby to Miss Addie Hartbeck. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends and took place at 6:30 p. m. Rev. Muehlmeier speaking the simple but impressive words pronouncing them husband and wife. After the marriage ceremony all were invited to the dining room where every one did ample justice to the most excellent supper prepared by Mrs. Wille and friends. The evening was spent in pleasant conversation. The older people grouping together and the young folks indulging in play. Mr and Palmby, the young married couple were the recipients of many and most valuable presents given by well wishing relatives and friends. The Hartbeck Brothers from Colesburg, Iowa and Mr. J. C. Janssen and family from Meservey, Iowa attended the wedding from afar. All the guests parted at a late hour, wishing the young couple a happy and blessed married life. Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Palmby will be at home to their many friends after March 1st. on the old Yahnke farm south east of Klemme

REVOLTS AT COLD STEEL

Your only hope said three doctors to Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Detroit, Mich. suffering from severe rectal trouble. lies in an operation, then I used Dr. King's New Life Pills she writes till wholly cured. They prevent Appendicitis, cure Constipation, Headache. 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

Twin Lake.

Our news items here like others have been pretty well snowed in for the past week.

Adolph and Fred Schlichting left Monday for a trip thru' Kansas and Texas, where they will look at land, with the intention of buying.

John Schwichtenberg returned from Kirksville, Mo. last Wednesday. Mr. S. walked up from Belmond. He reports Ernest gaining which all are to hear.

The sales this week pretty well attended by Lakers. This is a good tunity for the roads to be as they are pretty fierce in places.

The Social in Dist. No. a success in spite of the Wm. Prull of German tow was elected auctioneer. neat sum of $10 being tak for nine baskets.

Report of the Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL B

At Klemme, in the State of Io the close of business Feb. 5, 19

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	$106
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	2
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25
Premiums on U. S. bonds	1
Banking house furniture and fixtures	2
Other real estate owned	
Due from National banks	13
Due from approved reserve agents	18
Checks and other cash items	
Notes of other National banks	
Fractional paper currency nickels and cents	
Lawful money reserve in bank:	
Specie $ 7,896 65	
Legal tender notes 50 00	7
Redempion fund with U. S. treasurer	1
Total	180

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25
Surplus fund	
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	1
National bank notes outstanding	25
Individual deposits subject to check	22
Demand certificates of deposit	104
Time certificates of deposit	
Total	180

STATE OF IOWA, Hancock County, } ss.

I, F. A. Arnold, Cashier of above-named bank, do solemny s that the above statement is tr the best of my knowledge and b

F. A. ARNOLD, Cas

Subscribed and sworn to before this 11th day of Feb., 1909.

FRANK M. HAN Notary P

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Correct—Attest:

C H WIEGMANN
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C. H. MANN & Co.
H. MANN, Editor and Manager.

Published every Thursday at Klemme, Iowa.

Subscription price $1.00 per year in advance.

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KLEMME MARKET.

Corn	48 to 50c
Oats	43 to 46c
Wheat	75 to 95c
Barley	50 to 55c
Hay	3 00 to 6.00
Hogs	5.00 to 5.75
Cattle	1.50 to 5.85

LOCAL NEWS

Change of ad for State Bank.

Oysters direct from Baltimore at Kluckhohn's.

Read the Rock Island new ad. It will interest you.

C C. Suckow painted a very neat sign for the Terhufen Bros.

O. E. Carlson moved onto the C. Schroeder farm this Thursday.

Saturday was a rush business day in Klemme. Everybody realized a nice business.

The First National Bank has a bank statement in this issue which shows up a nice business.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Geo. W. Waterman and W. R Bloom are having the creamery ice house filled with ice. "Bobbie Carr" is superintending the work

Wm. Lau shipped 76 head of nice fat porkers to Chicago Monday evening. His farmer neighbors assisted him in hauling them to Klemme Saturday. Wm went along.

Social functions of winter midnight lunches, loss of sleep tell on the health. Hollister's rocky mountain tea clears the blood, aida digestion, relieves fatigue, makes and retains your health. &reatest tonic. Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co.

Mrs. H. Schroeder and son Albert left for Chicago last week Saturday where they will make their home. Mr. Schroeder has a good position there as commission man. We are sorry to see them leave this community.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets. Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

The masquerade dance on last week Friday evening was largely attended. The music was good and several nice costumes were in evidence. Good order was had throughout the evening. Miss Luella Yohn received a prize as being the prettiest gowned dancer and Cloyd Lawhorn as the homeliest.

The regrets ad for the Saving bank—read it.

Fresh oysters always on hand at Kluckhohn's. tf.

Geo. and Frank Gruetzmacher were at Garner Monday.

There will be a Market Day Sale on Saturday, Feb. 27th.

Joe Johnson sold 75 head of stock cattle to a firm east of Cedar Rapids.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

Ered and Adolf Schlichting and Chas. Albright left Monday evening for Brownsville, Texas.

Ed. Haskin and wife of Garner. visited their son M. Haskin and family last week Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs H. Ihde left last week Saturday for Iowa City where Mrs. Ihde will undergo an operatian.

H. Lau & Son are receiving new windmills every day and are kept busy doing repair work in the country.

AGENT WANTED—Man with team to canvass Hancock county for the best selling article on the market. Liberal commissions. Address H. E. Smith. Iowa Falls, Iowa. 28-3

Mrs. Jennie Jenson after visiting here a few weeks with her parents H. Ereie and family. left for her home at Et. Dodge last week Saturdry.

No more divorces.
'Hubby' will stay a lover true,
Every wife his only sweetheart, too,
Perpetual matrimonial bliss 'twill be,
If both take Hollister's rocky mountain tea.G. A. Pabst & Co.

The ones who attened the masquerade dance here last week Friday evening from Garner were: R. Nesbit, Elmer Abbey, C. Hunt, J. Ryan, D. Taylor and "Smiles" Schmaile.

The long winter months—heavy foods—lack of exercise decrease your vitality, make you feel mean. Hollister's rocky mountain tea gives you vitality—clears the blood—builds up flesh. Makes you strong nd robust. Great spring medicine. Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co.

There will be a basket sociable on Monday evening Feb 22 at the residence of H. L. Schuldt for the benefit of the English M. E. church. Ladies are requested to bring baskets and the gentleman are requested to buy them. All are cordially invited.

County Superintendent A. M. Deyoe and Miss Hattie Raw of Duluth, Minn., were united in marriage at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. A. J. Clack northeast of Hutchins, Friday evening. Prof. Barsalou of the Memorial University of Mason City, performed the ceremony. Both of the contracting parties are well and favorably known through the county. Miss Raw was the first primary teacher at Britt a number of years ago she accepted a position in the Duluth schools. Their many friends extend heartfelt congratulations —Mason City Times-Herald.

SOLDIER BALKS DEATH PLOT.

It soems to J A Stone a civil war veteran of Kemp, Texas that a plot existed between a desperate lung trouble and the grave to cause his death. I contracted a stubborn cold he writes that developed a cough that stuck to me in spite of all remedies for years. My weight ran down to 130 povnds. Then I began to use Dr. King's new discovery which restored my health completely. I now whigh 178 pounds. For severe colds, obstinate coughs, hemorrhages, asthma and to prevent pneumonia it's unrivaled. 50c and $1.09. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G A Pabst & Co.

H. S. Schwartz was at Garner Wednesday.

Save your money—ad State Saving Bank

Chas. Schroeder moved to Garner this week.

The past few days the weather has been very agreeable.

Al Koerner and F. H Ridder were at Garner on Monday.

Harry Behringer transacted business at Garner Monday.

G. A. Pabst transacted business at Garner Wednesday.

Wm. Nelson of Belmond, was a Klemme visitor Wednesday.

Esther Lau visited with her brother Wm. and family Wednesday at Garner.

The dime social at the residence of Wm. Fuller on Monday evening was largely attended.

Our section foreman T. Blank had an extra force on his section Friday last week shoveling snow

Three loads of stock cattle were shipped from here Monday evening to east of Cedar Rapids.

Old Plantation Quartet and Jubilee Singers at Opera House on Wednesday evening, Feb. 24.

Rudalph and Wm. Baack were at Woden last week where they visited with their uncle H. Baack and family.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the residence of Phillip Ell on next week Thursday afternoon, Feb. 25th.

Chas. Kraus returned last week Saturday from Colfax, Iowa where he has been for medical treatment. He also visited with his aunt and cousin at Belleplaine, Iowa.

Bills are out announcing a Market Day Sale at Klemme on Saturday, Feb. 27th. Anyone wishing to list livestock or machinery for this sale may list same with F. A. Arnold at First National Bank.

THE SECRET OF LONG LIFE

A French scientist has discovered one secret of long life. His method deals with the blood. But long ago millions of Americans had proved Electric Bitters prolongs life and makes it worth living. It purifies enriches and vitalizes the blood rebuilds wasted nervecells, imparts life and tone to the entire system. Its a godsend to weak sick and debilitatep people. Kidney trouble had blighted my life for months, writes W M Sherman of Cushing, Me. but Electric Bitters cured me entirely. Only 50c at G A Pabst & Co.

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

G. P. Merten	Garner
Asa Gibbs	Klemme
Wm. Beier, Sr.	Garner
Wm. Kulper,	Waterloo, Ia.
H E. Kath,	Lowell, Wis.
Aug. Lau, Sr.	Klemme
Benj. Lau,	Chicago, Ill
B. Swalve	Goodell

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Most Popular Because it is the Best.

I have sold Chamberlain's cough remedy for the past eight years and find it to be one of the best selling medicinet on the market. For babies and youug children there is nothing better in the line of cough soruo says Paul Allen, Plain Dealing, La. This remedy not only curesthe coughs, colds and croup so common among young children but is pleasant and safe for them to take. It contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given to a baby as confidently as to an adult. For sale by G A Pabst & Co.

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

German M. E. Church Items

The Klemme League will give a "Lincoln" programme Sunday evening to which all are heartily invited.

W. H. Miller of Burt, Iowa, came down Tuesday evening and is calling at the parsonage and his relatives in this community.

Our second quarterly meeting will be held in the Germantown church Feb. 27-28 and there will be no services in the Klemme church on Sunday morning.

The weather has been anything but agreeable of late. Last Sunday was a stormy day and the meetings were small but the faithful ones braved the storm and were out.

John Schwichtenberg returned from Kirksville, Mo. last week Wednesday. He left little Ernest down there in care of Ed. Schaefer and Herbert Stille. The parents are very hopeful that the treatments will do him good.

A quiet little wedding took place Tuesday evening at the home of A. F. Hubbard when W. M. Kirkwood of Ringsted, Iowa, and Myrtle Campbell of Estherville were joined in marriage. The groom is well known in this community and is now in charge of an elevator in Ringsted where he and his young bride will settle down to house keeping after a short visit among his relatives.

The Klemme Epworth League will give a banquet next week Friday evening in the hall over Gruetzmacher's store to which they invite all the older members of the church and others who may wish to attend. They will serve a five course supper for which they will charge 25c. This is in no wise to be a money making affair as the supper will be worth much more than the price charged, but as the members of the League will donate much of the eatables, there is expected to be a small proceed which will be used toward new furnishings in the church. There will be toasts and a short programme in connection. Tickets are on sale at the post office and must be purchased no later than the 25th as the committee must know how many plates to cover.

WASHINGTON ONCE GAVE UP.

To three doctors, was kept in bed five weeks. Blood poison from a spidere's bite caused large deep sores to cover his leg. The doctors failed, then Bucklen's arnica salve completely cured me, writes John Washington of Bosqueville, Tex. For eczema, boils, burns and piles its supreme 25c at G A Pabst & Co.

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Old Plantation Quartet
—AND—
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W. A. McNeil planted twenty-eight acres in onions at Santa Maria, Tex., in the Gulf Coast Country. The yield averaged 400 crates per acre, for which he received $1.20 per crate, $480 an acre. His total receipts from the twenty-eight acres was $13,440. Pretty good results from four months' work.

Mr. McNeil is no exception. Profits of from $300 to $1,000 an acre are of common occurrence in the Gulf Coast Country.

Are you doing as well? Why shouldn't you? Raising fruit and vegetables in the Gulf Coast Country is simple—anyone can do it. A few acres will be all you need. You can buy it on easy terms and the first crop, if properly cared for, should more than pay for the land.

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Investigate this proposition while the land is within your reach—next year it will cost more.

On excursion days tourist sleepers run through from Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul, St. Louis and Kansas City to Brownsville, Tex.

Let me send you some further information about the big profits growers are making in the Gulf Coast Country. We have prepared this in attractive, printed form. Write for a free copy to-day.

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As there is only one genuine Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna and as the genuine is manufactured by an original method known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only, it is always necessary to buy the genuine to get its beneficial effects.

A knowledge of the above facts enables one to decline imitations or to return them if, upon viewing the package, the full name of the California Fig Syrup Co. is not found printed on the front thereof.

Placing Him.

"Papa," inquired little May, after Sunday school, "was George Washington an Israelite?"

Before her father could answer this somewhat unexpected question May's six-year-old brother broke in.

"Why, May, I'm 'shamed of your ign'ance! George Washington is in the New Testament, not the Old."—Woman's Home Companion.

STATE OF OHIO CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

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A. W. GLEASON,
NOTARY PUBLIC.

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"Don't you admire the old-time melodies?"

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Sore throat leads to Tonsilitis, Quinsy and Diphtheria. Hamlins Wizard Oil used as a gargle upon the first symptoms of a sore throat will invariably prevent all three of these dread diseases.

Some people spend so much time handing out advice that they have no time to accomplish anything.

Great Home Eye Remedy,
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It is a difficult task to speak to the stomach because it hath no ears.—Cato.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Women wouldn't be so talkative if they only spoke their minds.

To restore a normal action to liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels, take Garfield Tea, the mild herb laxative.

Diamonds come highest when sold at cut rates.

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Over 30,000 testimonials. Refuse imitations. Send for free trial package. A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

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Produces a beautiful 80 candle white light. Burns 1-3 oil of ordinary lamp. Gives three times the light. Produces gas off top of wick. Costs 1-5 of gas, 1-10 of electricity. Price for burner, imported mantle and chimney, $3.00. Price for polished brass lamp with burner, mantle and chimney complete, $4.50, express prepaid. Write for booklet. Agents wanted in every Iowa town.

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Reference: Kenwood Trust & Savings Bank.

LIFE AND WORKS ACCORDED PRAISE

NATION'S MEN OF WORTH IN TRIBUTE TO ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

PRESIDENT MAKES ADDRESS

Qualities and Deeds of the Great President Set Forth by the Chief Executive in Impressive Speech—Immense Concourse Gathered to Witness Exercises in Connection with Laying of Corner Stone of Memorial Hall.

Hodgenville, Ky.—The corner stone of the splendid memorial to be erected to the memory of Abraham Lincoln was laid by President Roosevelt. The exercises were participated in by many of the nation's leading men, Cardinal Gibbons and ex-Gov. Folk of Missouri being among those who made addresses.

From all points, by train and over roads not particularly smooth at this season of the year, the people gathered to the exercises. A building four times the size of the tent provided could not have accommodated the crowd.

The corner stone of the Memorial hall was laid by President Roosevelt. In an impressive address the chief executive eulogized the life and work of the great statesman. He spoke as follows:

"We have met here to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of one of the two greatest Americans; of one of the two or three greatest men of the nineteenth century; of one of the greatest men in the world's history. This rail splitter, this boy who passed his ungainly youth in the dire poverty of the poorest of the frontier folk, whose rise was by weary and painful labor, lived to lead his people through the burning flames of a struggle from which the nation emerged, purified as by fire, born anew to a loftier life. After long years of iron effort, and of failure that came more often than victory, he at last rose to the leadership of the republic at the moment when that leadership had become the stupendous world-task of the time. He grew to know greatness, but never ease. Success came to him, but never happiness, save that which springs from doing well a painful and a vital task. Power was his, but not pleasure. The furrows deepened on his brow, but his eyes were undimmed by either hate or fear. His gaunt shoulders were bowed, but his steel thews never faltered as he bore for a burden the destinies of his people. His great and tender heart shrank from giving pain; and the task allotted him was to pour out like water the life-blood of the young men, and to feel in his every fiber the sorrow of the women. Disaster saddened but never dismayed him. As the red years of war went by they found him ever doing his duty in the present, even facing the future with fearless front, high of heart, and dauntless of soul. Unbroken by hatred, unshaken by scorn, he worked and suffered for the people. Triumph was his at the last; and barely had he tasted it before murder found him, and the kindly, patient, fearless eyes were closed forever.

Washington and Lincoln.

"As a people we are indeed beyond measure fortunate in the characters of the two greatest of our public men, Washington and Lincoln. Widely though they differed in externals, the Virginia landed gentleman and the Kentucky backwoodsman, they were alike in essentials, they were alike in the great qualities which rendered each able to render service to his nation and to all mankind such as no other man of his generation could or did render. Each had lofty ideals, but each in striving to attain these lofty ideals was guided by the soundest common sense. Each possessed inflexible courage in adversity, and a soul wholly unspoiled by prosperity. Each possessed all the gentler virtues commonly exhibited by good men who lack rugged strength of character. Each possessed also all the strong qualities commonly exhibited by those towering masters of mankind who have too often shown themselves devoid of so much as the understanding of the words by which we signify the qualities of duty, of mercy, of devotion to the right, of lofty distinterestedness in battling for the good of others. There have been other men as great and other men as good; but in all the history of mankind there are no other two great men as good as these, no other two good men as great. Widely though the problems of to-day differ from the problems set for solution to Washington when he founded this nation, to Lincoln when he saved it and freed the slave, yet the qualities they showed in meeting these problems are exactly the same as those we should show in doing our work to-day.

Lessons from Lincoln's Life.

"We of this day must try to solve many social and industrial problems, requiring to an especial degree the combination of indomitable resolution with cool-headed sanity. We can profit by the way in which Lincoln used both these traits as he strove for reform. We can learn much of value from the very attacks which following that course brought upon his head, attacks alike by the extremists of revolution and by the extremists of reaction. He never wavered in devotion to his principles, in his love for the union, and in his abhorrence of slavery. Timid and lukewarm people were always denouncing him because he was extreme; but as a matter of fact he never went to extremes, he worked step by step; and because of this the extremists hated and denounced him with a fervor which now seems to us fantastic in its deification of the unreal and the impossible. At the very time when one side was holding him up as the apostle of social revolution because he was against slavery, the leading abolitionist denounced him as the "slave hound of Illinois." When he was the second time candidate for president, the majority of his opponents attacked him because of what they termed his extreme radicalism, while a minority threatened to bolt his nomination because he was not radical enough. He had continually to check those who wished to go forward too fast, at the very time that he overrode the opposition of those who wished not to go forward at all. The goal was never dim before his vision; but he picked his way cautiously, without either halt or hurry, as he strode toward it, through such a morass of difficulty that no man of less courage would have attempted it, while it would surely have overwhelmed any man of judgment less serene.

Strong Sense of Justice.

"He lived in days that were great and terrible, when brother fought against brother for what each sincerely deemed to be the right. In a contest so grim the strong men who alone can carry it through are rarely able to do justice to the deep convictions of those with whom they grapple in mortal strife. At such times men see through a glass darkly; to only the rarest and loftiest spirits is vouchsafed that clear vision which gradually comes to all, even to the lesser, as the struggle fades into distance, and wounds are forgotten, and peace creeps back to the hearts that were hurt. But Lincoln was given this supreme vision. He did not hate the man from whom he differed. Weakness was as foreign as wicked to his strong, gentle nature; but his courage was of a quality so high that it needed no bolstering of dark passion. He saw clearly that the same high qualities, the same courage, and willingness for self-sacrifice, and devotion to the right as it was given them to see the right, belonged both to the men of the north and to the men of the south. As the years roll by, and as all of us, wherever we dwell, grow to feel an equal pride in the valor and self-devotion, alike of the men who wore the blue and the men who wore the gray, so this whole nation will grow to feel a peculiar sense of pride in the mightiest of the mighty men who mastered the mighty days; the lover of his country and of all mankind; the man whose blood was shed for the union of his people, and for the freedom of a race, Abraham Lincoln."

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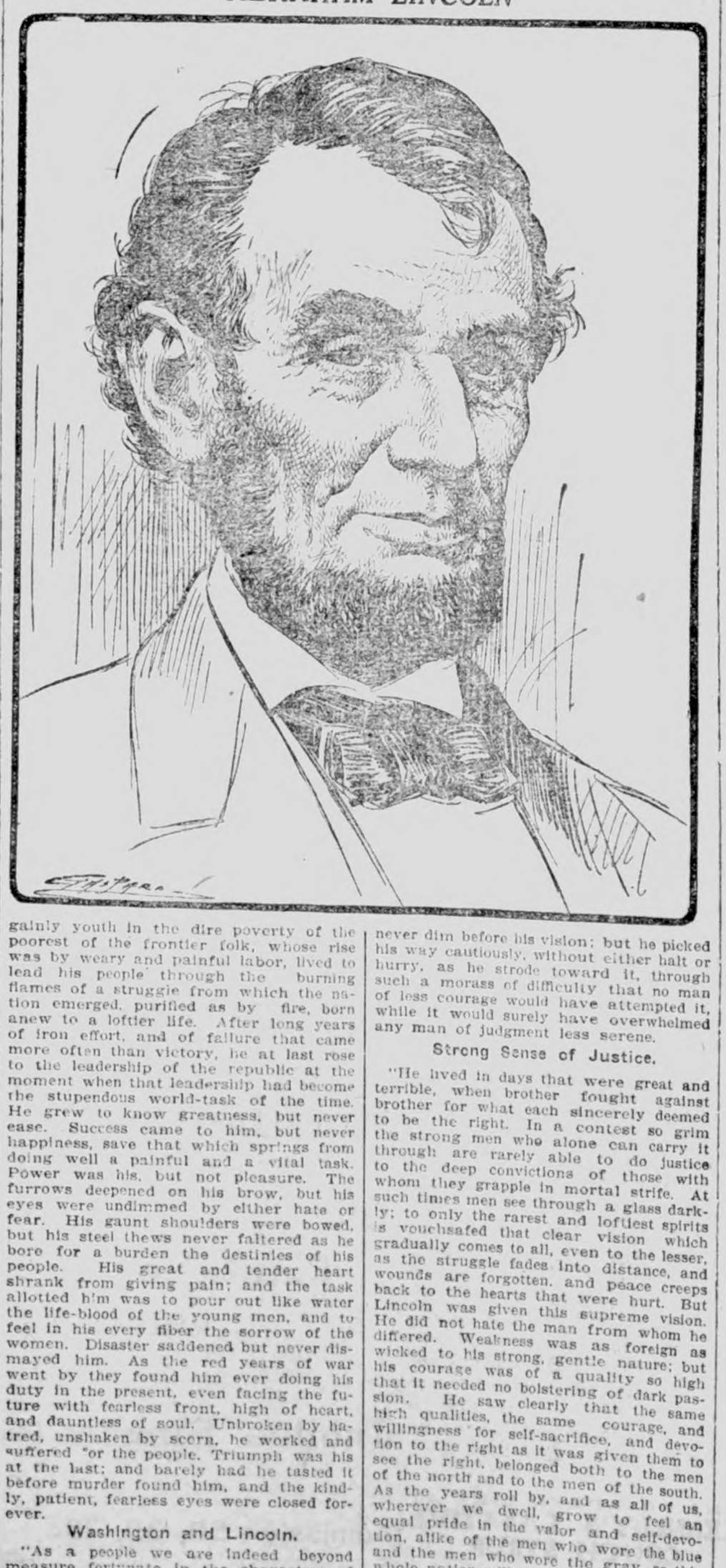

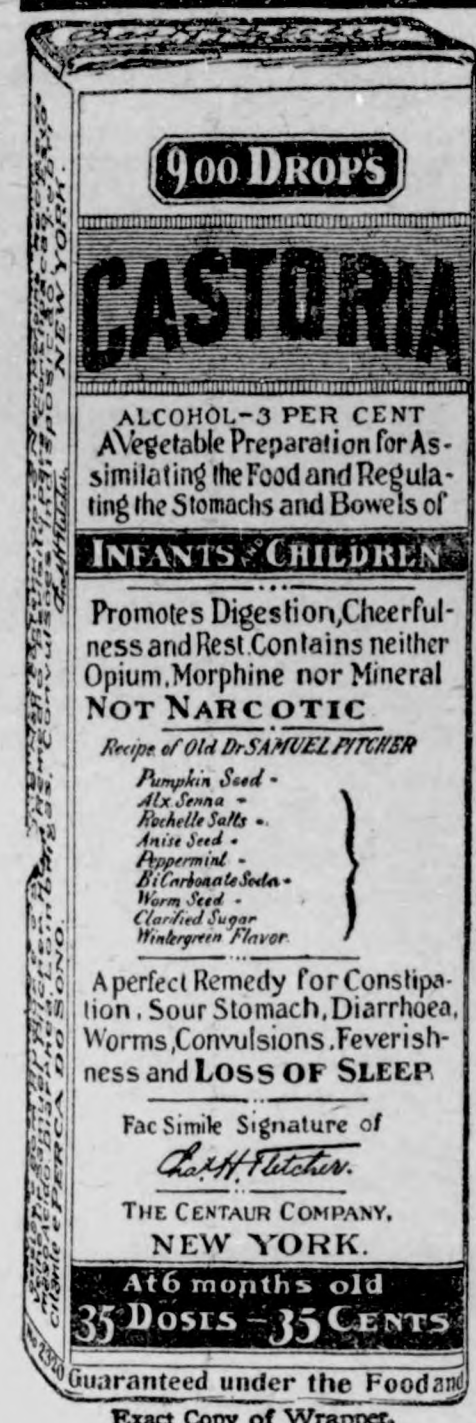

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Steamed Brown Bread.

Mix together one cup Indian meal, one cupful rye meal, one-half cup white flour, a half teaspoonful salt, the same amount soda, a half cup molasses and a cup and a half sweet milk.

Beat well and turn into greased molds, filling about two-thirds full. Boil 15 minutes in the cooker vessel with the water coming nearly to the top of the molds. Lift carefully into the cooker, cover and cook four hours. Take the cans out, turn out the loaves, brush over with melted butter and brown lightly in the oven.

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SILENT ON CABINET

TAFT DECLINES TO DISCUSS HIS APPOINTMENTS.

TALKS WITH HITCHCOCK

Wants Congress to Remove the Bar Against Senator Knox Being Secretary of State—Leaves New Orleans for Cincinnati.

New Orleans.—President-elect Taft left New Orleans Saturday after two days of entertainment here. He goes to Cincinnati tnd then to Washington, returning to Cincinnati next week.

Friday night Mr. Taft and members of the party which accompanied him to Panama were guests of honor at a Creole banquet. He talked of his desire as the chief executive to represent the whole nation, of his intention to make the representatives of the administration in the south represent the best element of the communities in which they lived, of his recent visit to the isthmus of Panama, with a repetition of his hope for the completion of the canal within his administration.

Although conferences during the day were had between Mr. Taft and Mr. Hitchcock, his postmaster general, and Treasurer Upham of the national committee, nothing definite was obtainable regarding the undecided places in the cabinet. Mr. Hitchcock furnished certain information desired by Mr. Taft,

Mr. Taft has telegraphed to Senator Hale urging congress to remove all doubt of Senator Knox's eligibility to the office of secretary of state, and saying that the loss of Mr. Knox from the cabinet premiership would be a public misfortune.

The telegram follows:

"New Orleans.—Hon. Eugene Hale, United States Senate, Washington, D. C.—I sincerely hope that congress will pass a bill to remove any doubt of Knox's eligibility. I have no doubt that a bill to repeal the bill increasing the salary of the secretary of state will effect this purpose, and I sincerely hope that it will pass. I should regard the loss of Senator Knox from the first place in my cabinet as a public misfortune. (Signed)

"WILLIAM H. TAFT."

Senator Knox wired Judge Taft as follows:

"A bill has been introduced in the senate to remove the constitutional bar to my eligibility to the cabinet by repealing the act providing for an increase in salary for the secretary of state. I am in no way promoting or having anything to do with the measure.

"It is a matter for you as the appointive power to first determine whether the proposed action is desirable or would be effective. Our minds should be free from all doubt concerning the legality and propriety of the proposed plan before acquiescing in it. If you have any reason for not approving what is being done, it should be announced, otherwise an injustice may be done, whoever may be appointed.

(Signed) "P. C. KNOX."

In his speech to the negroes who greeted him by thousands at the ball park Friday, Mr. Taft reiterated his heretofore well-defined principles regarding the development of the negro race and the settlement of the race question.

In his speech on the steps of the city hall here Thursday Mr. Taft made what he said was his summing of his recent trip.

"I am here on my way from a great constructive work," he said, after paying his compliments to his audience. "The greatest entered upon by any nation during the present two centuries, and I am glad to say to you, who perhaps are more interested in that work than any other part of the people of the United States, that the work is going on as you would have it go.

"That on the first of January, 1915, at least, if not before—and I am very much interested in having it within the next four years—that canal will be completed. And when that time comes you will see loading down this river your great commerce bound through those straits to the west coast of America, to the west coast of South America, to the Orient and to Australia."

TWO NEW BISHOPS ELECTED.

Episcopal Convention Fails to Act on "Open Pulpit" Canon.

New York.—The house of bishops of the Protestant Episcopal general convention, in session here Thursday, elected Rev. Dr. Nathaniel Seymour Thomas of Philadelphia bishop of Wyoming and Rev. Benjamin Brewster of Salt Lake City bishop of western Colorado.

The amendment of the "open pulpit" canon was neither repealed nor interpreted and will stand in its present form until the general convention of the house of bishops and the house of lay and clerical delegates meet in October, 1910.

MONEY MADE IN LIVE STOCK IN CENTRAL CANADA.

W. J. Henderson, visiting Seattle, writes the Canadian Government Agent at Spokane, Wash., and says:

"I have neighbors in Central Canada raising wheat, barley and oats for the past 20 years, and are now getting from the same land 20 to 30 bushels of wheat per acre, 40 to 60 bushels of oats.

"It was the first week of May when I got my tent pitched, but the farmers all around had finished putting in their crops, so I only got fifteen acres broke and seeded. They advised me as it was late not to put in much wheat, so I put in five acres of wheat and ten acres oats, one-half acre potatoes and vegetables. All kinds of vegetables grow well up there, sweet corn, tomatoes, onions, carrots, peas, beans, cabbage. My wheat yielded about 20 bushels per acre, for which I got 76 cents, others got 80 cents; oats threshed 35 bushels per acre, for which I got 35 cents per bushel. You see I was three weeks late in getting them in, still I was satisfied.

"From my observation, there is more money made in stock, such as cattle, horses and sheep, as prices are high for such, and it costs nothing to raise them, as horses live the year around out on the grass. In fact, farmers turn their work horses out for the winter, and they come in fresh and fat in the spring. Cattle live out seven or eight months. They mow the prairie grass and stack it for winter and give oat straw. My neighbors sold steers at $40 each, and any kind of a horse that can plow, from $150.00 up. I raised 60 chickens and 5 pigs, as pork, chickens, butter and eggs pay well and always a good market for anything a man raises, so I have every reason to be thankful, besides, at the end of three years I get my patent for homestead. I heard of no homestead selling for less than $2,000, so where under the sun could an old man or young man do better?"

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"Now last summer," he went on, with a gleaming eye, "we had a man here that was so fond of grumblin' that one day he actually called for a toothpick after he'd had a glass of milk."—Youth's Companion.

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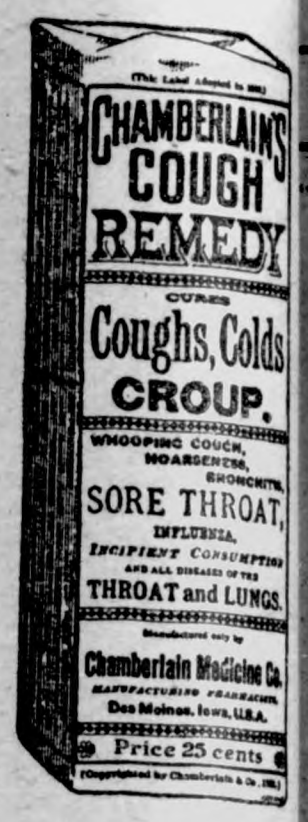

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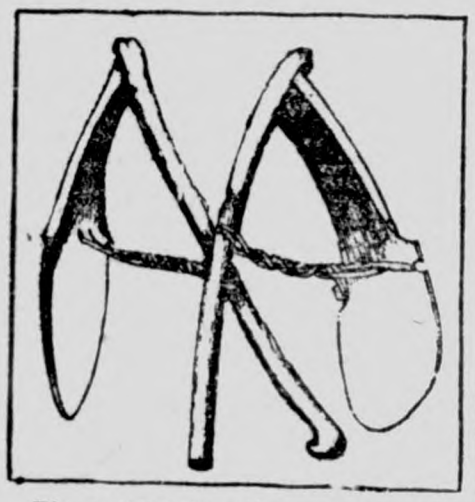

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A New York Irishman was visiting a friend in the Adirondacks and was taken with a desire to go hunting. Borrowing a gun from his friend he set off alone in search of game. Some time after his host heard a distant report of a gun. A few minutes later he heard some one shouting. From a window he spied, in the distance, his friend, hot-footing it for home, and behind him a bear, gaining at every step. Nearly spent, the pursued reached the door just in time to cry out:

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Mark's Story of Petrified Indian Good Joke on Town.

The days when "Sam" Clemens "stuck type" on the Hannabal Union are recalled by this anecdote: One morning "Sam" came into the office very thoughtful, hung up his coat and went to the frame. He worked diligently for several hours without any copy on his small-cap case in front of him. He was setting up the story of a wonderful find he and some of his comrades found in McDougal's cave the Sunday before. The narration was to the effect that a crowd of boys, while exploring the great cave on Sunday afternoon, ran across a petrified Indian. The citizens were greatly worked up over the story, and they hired a scientist from Quincy to look the dead Indian in the face and report. The man who came to perform this task wore gray mutton-chop whiskers, a thoughtful brow, and spectacles, of course. He was an unemotional chap, and he looked learned and the committee was satisfied of his ability. By the terms of his contract he was to write a complete report, detailing every possible feature of the discovery for historical preservation. The investigator returned at nightfall, covered with clay, with clothing torn and skin barked in countless places by falls of rocks. He sought out the chairman of the committee that employed him and silently delivered to him this statement: "Mileage in looking for dead Indian, $20; reading story about dead Indian, $5; bruised shins on the way to dead Indian, $10. Report: There was no dead Indian."—Macon (Mo.) Republican.

SCRAPBOOK OF MUCH INTEREST.

Newspaper Criticism Treasured by German Crown Prince.

Among the German crown prince's most treasured possessions is a scrapbook containing over 1,000 pages of adverse criticism. The first 500 pages are inscribed with a gold lettered heading: "I hope I am not like this!" Some of the most outspoken comments, says the Gentlewoman, are accompanied by marginal notes in the prince's own handwriting—such as "the enemy's voice is no less interesting than the friend's."

The second and third parts of the book deal respectively with the crown princess, her children and the Grand Duchess Anastasia, the princess' mother. This volume is considered of too private a nature to be available to all and sundry, so it is sealed by a massive lock, keys of which are possessed only by the crown prince and his wife.

Not the Yellow Kind.

William Allen White is wedded to Emporia, Kan., and the newspaper editorial desk which he there adorns. But about twice a year Mr. White, out of a hard sense of duty, wrenches up stakes and comes east.

"Why, Mr. White," exclaimed one woman whom he met at luncheon, "aren't you a little stouter than when I saw you last?"

"Probably," said White, "quite probably. I usually am."

The same afternoon Mr. White sat in a box at a matinee and looked out over the audience with no small degree of interest. "It's much darker than the last time I was here," he murmured.

"Darker?" repeated his host.

"Yes. How fashions in hair change! Now only a few years ago this would have been like looking over a box of lemons."—Philadelphia Record.

Contest Doomed to Failure.

In a club composed of young people in New York, which was originally organized for bridge purposes, the chafing dish has become the prime feature, and prizes are sought for by the creators of "new dishes, nicely prepared and moderate in cost." One member, who would never have joined except for his fondness for the game, said: "It's all very interesting for the people who like those things, and I would enjoy the cooking bees myself if it were not for the fact that one must eat the creations to be polite. I have been a close observer since the contest began, and am sure that every woman thinks that the dishes suggested by others are horrid. And I agree with them, and am sure that a row will come in at the finish."

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INDICTMENTS FOR EDITORS

GRAND JURY ACTS IN CANAL LIBEL CASE.

New York World and Indianapolis News Chiefs Charged with Vilifying President and Others.

Washington.—Bench warrants were issued Wednesday for the arrest of Joseph Pulitzer, Caleb M. Van Hamm and Robert H. Lyman of New York, proprietor and editors of the New York World, and for Delevan Smith and Charles R. Williams, owners of the Indianapolis News, for criminal libel in connection with the publication in those newspapers of charges of irregularities in the purchase by the United States government of the Panama canal property from the French owners.

The indictments on which the warrants were based were returned by the United States grand jury sitting in this city and the warrants were issued later by the clerk of criminal court No. 1. The warrants are directed against all five of the natural defendants of the two newspapers. The summons requires the corporate defendant (the Press Publishing Company) of New York to appear in court forthwith to answer to indictment.

Theodore Roosevelt, William H. Taft, Elihu Root, J. Pierpont Morgan, Charles P. Taft, Douglas Robinson and William Nelson Cromwell are named in the indictments as the persons alleged to have been villified by the stories appearing in the two newspapers.

Copies of the summons and of the indictment were served Wednesday evening upon the Press Publishing Company by services on Otto Carmichael, its agent in this jurisdiction. The certified copies will be filed with United States Commissioner John R. Shields, in New York, who will issue warrants for the arrest of the natural defendants of the New York World who will be brought before him to show cause why they should not be extradicted to this jurisdiction for trial.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Delavin Smith, Charles R. Williams, owners of the Indianapolis News, who were indicted by the federal grand jury in Washington Wednesday, announced that they will contest extradition to the District of Columbia for trial on the ground that it was committed in Indianapolis, the place of the publication of the News.

BOMB TERRORIST NABBED.

Plot to Abduct Kansas City Merchant Is Foiled.

Kansas City, Mo. — Held at bay by a revolver and a dynamite bomb in the hands of a determined stranger who obtained entrance to his home Tuesday, Lawrence M. Jones, president of the Jones Bros. Dry Goods Company, and one of the wealthiest merchants in the city, was given the alternative of death upon failure to hand over $7,000. He overpowered the man in a desperate struggle after his wife and son had also been brought to face death at the hands of the blackmailer.

In the arrest of the man, who gave his name as C. H. Garnett of Omaha, the police believe a well laid plot to extort money from several wealthy men has been bared. Following the confession of the prisoner, a house in a lonely spot in Independence was explored and found to have been prepared as a prison for the man's intended victims. Secret closets were found in which heavy chains, fastened to rings in the walls, were found, along with strong padlocks and bars. Garnett said that the house had been rented and the prison like features installed so that his victims might be held until he had obtained what money possible and made his escape.

MURDERER OF GIRL CONFESSES.

William Gagle Tells of Luring Child from Home and Slaying Her.

Chicago. — William Gagle arrested on charges of having attacked two South Chicago girls, confessed to the police Tuesday that he killed little Lizzie Schrader of Gary, Ind., more than a year ago, while she was carrying lunch to her father.

The confession was made to Capt. Halpin of the South Chicago police station, Chief of Police Rimbach of Hammond and Chief of Police Martin of Gary, Ind. The theory that Gagle was the murderer of the little girl whose dismembered body was found in the woods near Tolleston, Ind., was suggested by Gagle himself, who, while being examined in regard to the attack on his two latest victims, jumped from his chair and shouted:

"I attacked those girls, but I never killed Lizzie Schrader."

The death of the Schrader girl had not been mentioned.

One of Them Knelt Before the Door, Evidently Trying to Unlock It.

The SMUGGLER

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls -- Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. Elise shared her stateroom with a Mrs. Graham, also bound for Canada. The young women on a sightseeing tour met Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented. Two men called. They proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett, one a friend of Elizabeth's father. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Fearing for the safety of some gems, Lady Edith left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his actions on board ship and returned the lost bag. Exploring the cellar, one of the girls found a sphinx cuff-buton, the exact counterpart of which both Gordon Bennett and Lady Edith were found to possess, also. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. Lady Edith told a story of a lost love in connection with the sphinx key. At a supper, which was held on the rocks, Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party. Gabrielle witnessed a stormy scene between Lady Edith and Lord Wilfrid, red roses being the cause of the latter's anger. Mary Anne brought back Elizabeth's ring. Elise went sailing with Gordon Bennett. He tried to persuade her to return the jewels left in the girl's care by Lady Edith. He told her he found the sphinx scarf pin, the counterpart of which Lady Edith owned.

CHAPTER XIII.

"How well Lady Edith looks in evening dress!" remarked Elizabeth, as we discussed the events of the evening after the departure of our guests.

"Mr. Blake evidently thought so," returned Gabrielle. "He had eyes for no one else.

"And Lord Wilfrid looked awfully distinguished," continued Elizabeth. "His quiet, reserved manner is very impressive, don't you think so? The Americans simply were not in it with the English."

"Blood will tell," said Gabrielle, who poses as being very democratic, but is at heart a thorough aristocrat.

"And Mary Anne's entrees were perfection," resumed Elizabeth, with great satisfaction. "She is a treasure. To think of cooking and serving that dinner all herself! What does it matter to such a genius if she has a dozen worthless sons?"

"What indeed?" I acquiesced, yawning, and proposed bed, but the others objected, saying that it was not late and they were very wide awake.

"Let's have a prowl," suggested Gabrielle, who loved to wander about the cottage and look at the ocean from all points of the compass the last thing before retiring, as though she expected it to vanish during the night and must make the most of her time.

"Not in thin slippers," I protested, "and good clothes."

"There is no grass up here," she replied, "and we can hold up our skirts. Do come, Elizabeth, just for a little while."

I was sorry I had not gone also as soon as they turned the corner, and, picking up my long skirt carefully, started in pursuit. I saw, however, that they were deep in one of the heart to heart conversations in which they sometimes indulged, and decided not to interrupt them, but to wait until they came back to earth and remembered my existence. So, after a moment's hesitation, I sat down on the steps leading to the slip, knowing they would certainly visit it before they went in, as it was Gabrielle's favorite view. Even to-night, when there was no moon and the outlook was therefore limited, I was sure she would not desert it.

Resting my chin in my hand, I reviewed the evening, which, from my own private and particular standpoint, had been a failure. Elizabeth had mentioned Lord Wilfrid's reserved manner, but to me he had seemed distinctly sulky, and I had more than once seen his sister look at him appealingly, and at last with an indignant sparkle in her brown eyes, after which he roused himself and conversed in a perfunctory manner with his neighbor—who happened to be my unfortunate self.

Now, I had fully intended to impress Gordon Bennett with the fact that he was still under the ban of my displeasure, and in the privacy of my own room had rehearsed a dignified bearing and certain imaginary speeches I thought would be very effective. It was therefore somewhat disconcerting to be politely ignored by the gentleman in question, who, beyond a civil bow and smile, had appeared unaware of my existence and had devoted himself exclusively to Elizabeth, who looked especially pretty in her pale blue princess gown, and whose nose, being entirely guiltless of sunburn, did not shine.

The air of jollity which had distinguished our little impromptu feasts seemed to me lacking on this more formal occasion. It was as though our guests had put on another personality with their evening clothes, and I found it unfamiliar and hard to tolerate.

Lady Edith, to be sure, was a joy to behold, and talked with unusual brilliancy. Her white shoulders and golden hair were strikingly accentuated by her low-cut black gown, and the color came and went in her cheeks like the fitful spark of an opal.

Mr. Blake, the quiet, the self-contained, beside whom she was placed, let his soup grow cold as he looked at her, and had evidently forgotten the presence of any one else long before the appearance of the salad. By the time coffee arrived I decided he was hopelessly lost, and felt a sincere sympathy for him, for in the lace of her bodice gleamed the little gold key, and I knew it locked all men but one out of her heart.

I felt very sorry for them both, in the light of my recently acquired information. There were shadows beneath her eyes, and a repressed restlessness of manner which I attributed to overtaxed nerves, for I knew she felt it incumbent upon her to make a special effort to be agreeable, since the dinner was given in her honor. Perhaps, I reflected, the anniversary brought with it painful memories of other days, and for her sake as well as my own, I wished it were over.

Well, it was over, and our guests had been gone for an hour, though it was now but 11 o'clock. I imagined Gordon Bennett and his friend arriving at their island and discussing us over their cigars, with doubtless a cooling and stimulating beverage to refresh them after their exertions, and I would have liked to hear what they said.

Gabrielle often remarks that she never hears ice clink in a glass and smells a good cigar that she does not wish she were a man, and secretly I sympathize with her, although I always make a point of disagreeing in a slightly superior manner, as though such things were beneath contempt.

I was thinking of this now in a dreamy, half-conscious way, when I suddenly became aware that I actually smelled a cigar—and a very good one. Moreover, the odor came from beneath, and as the steps led directly to the slip the conclusion was forced upon me that some one was down there. Curiously enough, I was not frightened, but decidedly indignant. Some one was taking a great liberty with private property, I thought, and I wished I were brave enough to go down and order him—or them—away, forthwith.

There was, as I said, no moon, and I could not positively distinguish anything as I peered down into the darkness, but thought I saw a point of light like the end of a cigar, and certainly heard a subdued murmur of voices.

In another instant the slip and everything upon it stood out against the darkness with the clearness and accuracy of a picture thrown upon a screen, its every detail distinct and visible. After an incredulous moment, I understood, for I recognized the broad beam of white light which fell across the water with dazzling brilliancy. Our friend the searchlight had paid us many visits since that first night upon the slip, and we had come to regard it with an amused tolerance, and to watch for it, especially on dark nights or in bad weather. We seldom watched in vain, for it was a persistent and hard-working light and explored the island, or at least our end of it, with painstaking thoroughness and regularity.

So I sat in the sheltering darkness on the top of the steps and looked down upon the illuminated slip, while my heart thumped audibly and I wished most ardently I had never ventured out.

For there were two men upon it, and an unlighted steam launch waited beside it. One of them knelt before the door of the boathouse, evidently trying to unlock it, while the other watched with interest, and finally produced a bunch of keys from his own pocket and selected one as he handed them to his companion, with apparent directions how to apply it. And I saw plainly that the man who supplied the keys was Gordon Bennett, who, with his friend Mr. Blake, was trying to force an entrance into our boathouse.

Another instant, and I sprang to my feet and fled incontinently, my fingers in my ears and my progress sadly hampered by the long trailing skirt over which I tripped and stumbled, and which, I will remark in passing, was irrevocably ruined.

I do not know why I ran, nor why I stopped up my ears, since I had not heard a word of any kind, and was certainly in no personal danger; but I rushed wildly on and finally cast myself breathless upon my bed, my pulses throbbing painfully and my whole being quivering with a sense of shame. For I had so nearly loved him. I knew it now, even as I knew his unworthiness. Had he not lied to me that afternoon? Lied about so simple a matter that I should then understood he had something to ceal—something of which to ashamed. And now he was tryi force an entrance to the boat But why? Was he a common thi

"Oh, no," I cried, aloud; "no, that!"

Then I sat suddenly upright, remembered the safe in the d room, with the jewels locked i the pearls which belonged to Edith's mother—and I remem also my indiscreet disclosures garding it, and the questions he asked even while professing his proval—keen, searching questio to the exact location of the safe the form of lock upon it. And told him everything he wanted to willingly.

"Oh!" I cried again. "I'm a and he knew it, and used me tool."

Therein lay the chief sting. He used me as a tool, and my wo vanity was wounded to the quic

Going into the next room, I l out of the open window, lookin ward the ocean and watching something, I was not sure what. searchlight was at work again, a its light I saw a little dark boat away from our slip and make its toward the point of the island. I see two figures in its stern, so I the key had not been successful our boathouse was still closed. I posed also that the presence of searchlight had frightened them and felt grateful for it.

I heard the voices of the girls returned to my own room, hastily moving my dress and slipping bed. To-morrow I would tell them not to-night—I could not talk to I could not even think.

"She's sound asleep," whispered brielle, after an inquiring peep the bed. "It must be later than thought."

"It's awful the way we forget flight of time when we get to talk returned Elizabeth remorsefully, they lowered their light and softly, in order not to disturb me.

But I lay with widely opened staring into the darkness, long their quiet breathing told me had gone peacefully to sleep. How the pillow was! I turned it restl hoping the other side might con soporific influence and I could away from the tormenting, ever ring question, what did he wa there? So far as we knew, the was empty; why, then, should man want to force an entrance?

Perhaps, after all, it was no that could not be explained. I write him in the morning and tell quite frankly what I had seen, and for an explanation. And he, of co would answer promptly. Then membered the scarf-pin of the Sp head, and knew that any explan no matter how plausible, would ways be accompanied by a doub my own mind.

I remembered something else Mrs. Bundy's emeralds, and the position that the one who took had departed without waiting breakfast. Had he not by his showing left the hotel very early deed the morning after the storm

I tried to put this thought from me, but it returned again again with hideous pertinacity, after a long time, my senses be dulled and I fell into an uneasy where I heard Lady Edith dema her mother's pearls of Gordon nett, while he insisted he was h them set into side-combs for me could not, therefore, comply with request.

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A Noiseless Room.

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South American Inns.

A traveler who recently returne Philadelphia was narrating some his experiences in South America a banquet of globe trotters. He skirted the entire coast of So America and had found the inns hotels in most sections very poor. bad were they in Peru, he said, one American who had been thr into jail pending some dispute his papers and after his release sought the hotel of the town, retur the next day to the jail and beg that he might be taken in.

The most curious sign he had was in the window of a restaurant Buenos Ayres, which read: "Ameri cafe—champagne and fried potato —Philadelphia Record.

IS BALDNESS DOOMED?

Baltimore Specialist Says It Is Unnecessary, and Proves It.

Baltimore, Feb. 21.—The intense interest in the wonderful work that is being accomplished in Baltimore and other cities by Wm. Chas. Keene, president of the Lorrimer Institute, continues unabated. Many cases of baldness and faded hair of years' standing have been remedied by the remarkable preparation being distributed from Mr. Keene's laboratory, and its fame is spreading far and wide and thousands of persons are using this remarkable hair food with gratifying results.

What makes this treatment more popular is the fact that free trial outfits are sent by mail prepaid. Those who wish to try it are strongly advised to write to Mr. Keene at the Lorrimer Institute, Branch 209, Baltimore, Md. They will receive the full trial outfit free of charge and much useful information about the hair which will put them on the road to a rapid and certain improvement.

THE BUGVILLE BASEBALL GAME.

Jim Ant—Run, fellows run!
Bill Beetle—What's up?
Jim Ant—Why, here comes the fly cop!

Professor Munyon has just issued a most beautiful, useful and complete Almanac; it contains not only all the scientific information concerning the moon's phases, in all the latitudes, but has illustrated articles on how to read character by phrenology, palmistry and birth month. It also tells all about card reading, birth stones and their meaning, and gives the interpretation of dreams. It teaches beauty culture, manicuring, gives weights and measures, and antidotes for poison. In fact, it is a Magazine Almanac, that not only gives valuable information, but will afford much amusement for every member of the family, especially for parties and evening entertainments. Farmers and people in the rural districts will find this Almanac almost invaluable.

It will be sent to anyone absolutely free on application to the MUNYON REMEDY COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA.

Poor Pat.

The surgeon of a large hospital was paying a visit to the patients when he come to a cot whereon lay an Irishman who was not bearing his pain very bravely, for he was groaning loudly.

"Oh, come, my poor fellow," remonstrated the surgeon, "try and bear your pain like a man. It's no use kicking against Fate."

"Shure, you're roight, sorr," groaned the Irishman, who had been severely kicked by a mule, "'specially whin they're the fate of a mule!"—Exchange.

No Heed Paid to Begging Letters.

As nearly as can be ascertained, the wealthy persons of New York city receive 35,000 begging letters a day from strangers, and the writers stand a better chance of finding money than in getting from them, for even the most liberal of philanthropists do not dispense their charity excepting according to careful plans and after investigation.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

The churches in the Hawaiian islands number 101, and the membership is 6,903, but the accessions last year were only 595—less than nine per cent.

Red, Weak, Weary, Watery Eyes Relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. Compounded by Experienced Physicians. Conforms to Pure Food and Drug Laws. Murine Doesn't Smart; Soothes Eye Pain. Try Murine in Your Eyes. At Druggists.

If a woman had any other excuse than "because" for falling in love with a man she probably wouldn't do it.

Stiff neck! Doesn't amount to much, but mighty disagreeable. You've no idea how quickly a little Hamlins Wizard Oil will lubricate the cords and make you comfortable again.

When a man's heart is broken by a woman he employs some other woman to mend it.

No harmful drugs in Garfield Tea, Nature's laxative—it is composed wholly of clean, sweet, health-giving Herbs! For constipation, liver and kidney troubles.

What you call temper in your wife you call temperament in yourself.

IN DRASTIC FORM

CLARKSON BILL REPEALS PRESENT REQUIREMENT.

PASSED BY A VOTE OF 37 TO 8

Clarkson, the "Coal Miner" Senator, Led the Fight on the Floor.

Des Moines.—An employers' liability law more drastic than even the federal statute, passed by the senate after a spirited fight led by Clarkson, the "coal miner" senator, author of the bill, and Senator Gilliland, whose amendment was voted down. In its present form the Clarkson bill, S. F. 81, which is a substitute for the present law and far broader, provides that an employe may recover damages for injury even though guilty of contributory negligence; that no notice of dangerous conditions need be given by the employe; that heirs and assigns as well as dependent relatives shall have the right of recovery; and that the amount of damages in case of contributory negligence on the part of the employe shall be graded. In the federal statute, heretofore considered broad, recovery is limited to the injured person and dependent relatives. In the present Iowa law, written notice of needed repairs and unsafe conditions is required of the employe.

Fathers Black Plaque Bill.

Representative Eli Perkins of Delaware county has consented to father the famous W. C. T. U. and Mothers' Congress bill providing for regulation of those afflicted with the dread "black plague." It provides that a commission of three physicians be named in each city or town. To them every doctor must report every case of black plague. The party infected is then put under bond. If he or she acts in a manner that in any way tends to spread the disease, the commission goes into court and sues the party on the bond. Then the name of the party is made public and he or she must stand for the ignominy thereto attached. If the party under treatment behaves himself or herself, the name is not made public, and on the other hand is destroyed as soon as the period of infection is passed.

Anti-Trust Bill.

To stamp out trusts and combinations which he declares control the price of necessities in Iowa, Representative Charles W. Miller of Bremer county will introduce a bill which, if passed, would give this state the most comprehensive and sweeping anti-trust law on the statute books of any state in the union. A comprehensive definition of what constitutes a trust or monopoly is contained in the first two sections of the bill, and according to its author these definitions hit every form of combine which he believes should be stamped out, including the doctors' trust, the grocers' trust, combinations of ice dealers and coal men.

Crozier's Win Ends Fight.

George W. Crozier, democrat, will retain his seat in the house of representatives from Marion county. On the face of the returns as made by the election judges of the county, Mr. Crozier had a majority of twenty-six, and the recount has added to this number but slightly. This concludes the house seat contests, Baxter, Ida county, being the only man returned by county boards who lost on a recount.

May Wear Beaux Frat Pins.

The house of representatives refused to go on record prohibiting a girl from wearing her sweetheart's frat pin or the wife of a lodge man from wearing her husband's lodge emblems. Because the Harding bill prohibiting the wearing of lodge emblems by non-lodge members did not contain procisions excepting women under such circumstances, it was sent back to the committee chamber.

Darrah Has Road Bill.

Representative Darrah from Lucas county has presented an important good roads bill in the house of representatives. It permits counties to issue bonds for good roads making, bridge building, drainage ditching and similar projects. The supervisors are also authorized to name a county engineer to have charge of all such work.

To Aid of Landladies.

Rooming house keepers will be permitted to take possession of trunks and other baggage of roomers who do not pay, if the Sullivan bill passes, as it doubtless will. Under the present law hotel keepers are given this privilege, but the proprietress of a rooming house has no effectual means of preventing a roomer from leaving town without paying his rent.

Work May Be In Vain.

Charles Miller, and his fight on the physicians' trust of the state, seems to be flourishing in the house, but there are definite indications that the senate is only waiting for some of the house bills to come before them, to apply a delicate, but decided frost. Miller seems to have a large part of house with him, and the radical legislation he is fathering has had the best of support, but these same measures will get little sympathy in the senate, and there are many indications that the quarantine laws of the state will remain as they are. Within a few days, bills will be introduced into the state, which are much more favorable to the board of health than would be possible to get past the house. In case the two bodies come to loggerheads on the proposition, the present laws will remain in force and Mr. Miller will have his work to do over again.

Strict Primary Law Proposed.

Scratching of primary ballots is eliminated in a bill introduced in the house of representatives by Balluff of Scott county. His bill provides that instead of voting for all party candidates on one blanket primary ballot, each party shall have a separate ticket and all shall be fastened together. The voter votes the ticket he wishes, hands it to the judge and the other unused tickets are destroyed. The bill makes it impossible for a voter to vote for some of the candidates on one ticket and some on another unless he writes the name on the ticket he votes of a candidate on another ticket. The bill provides that counties shall pay the expenses of primaries. Koontz of Iowa county introduced an amendment to the primary law making it possible for voters to vote a primary ballot on voting machines.

Powers of Cities Increased.

The municipal bill drawn up by Robert O. Brennan, has been introduced in the senate by Senator Dowell of Polk county. In order to acquire public utilities, a city is allowed under the bill the right to borrow money, issuing negotiable bonds for it. The city is given the further right to levy upon all property within the corporate limits, in addition to all other taxes now provided by law, a special tax not exceeding in any one year five mills on the dollar, for not to exceed twenty years. The city is also given a right to grant to any firm or corporation not to exceed twenty-five-year franchises and privileges to use the streets for the construction of gas or water works, electric light or power plants, heating plants, telephone or telegraph systems, interurban or street railways or other public service utilities.

White Slave Bill.

The white slave traffic will be prevented in Iowa if the bill introduced by Senator Saunders is enacted. It is modeled upon the Illinois law, which has been most successful in Chicago, Springfield and other cities of that state. It fixes a sentence of from one to ten years as the punishment for violation of the law, and provides that it shall be unlawful to detain any female for immoral purposes against her will. The bill was recommended some months ago by Assistant State's Attorney Clifford G. Roe of Chicago when he came to Des Moines at the time of the closing of the "red light district." Mr. Roe helped to frame the Illinois law.

Ask for Absolute Prohibition.

Again the fight for prohibition is on in Iowa. Senator George B. Cosson, chairman of the senate committee on suppression of intemperance, has received three petitions, each bearing several hundred names of men and women, and each asking the legislature to re-submit to the people of the state the constitutional amendmen providing for absolute prohibition.

To Raise Jurors' Pay.

Jurors' pay was voted increased by the senate when it passed the judiciary committee bill, H. F. 179, raising the per diem of jurors in courts of record from $2 to $2.50, and giving them 10 cents per mile. No milcage, however, is to be paid jurors in justice courts. The raise in pay, if made a law will apply also to the veniremen.

Passes Many Bills.

The senate has passed the bill to permit second-class cities to levy a 3-mill tax for fire purposes and in case of cities of ten thousands and five mills tax; bill to authorize schools and churches to vote tax and for hospitals and libraries; bill to admit dependent fathers to soldiers' home; bill increasing aid to county fairs and several legalizing acts.

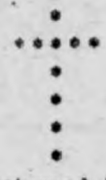
Ills New Auto Register.

Members of the house killed the Meredith act, asking that the secretary of state be empowered to print lists of the automobilists and hold them for sale at a price fixed by the executive council. Members expressed the belief that the lists were needed and desired only by the manufacturers of motor cars.

HERE'S A NEAT LITTLE PUZZLE.

Seems Simple, But Will Occupy You for a Few Minutes.

The Paris Temps publishes this story: "While in the Orient a Frenchman bought a diamond studded cross, which he sent to his wife in Paris. To guard against possible theft he notified her that counting from the bottom to the top there were seven diamonds, and counting from the bottom to the end of each branch there were also seven diamonds, thus:



"When he returned home he found that two diamonds had been stolen from the cross, but that from top to bottom the number was still seven, and that counting from the bottom up to either branch there were still seven diamonds, as designated by him in his letter of warning. Figure it out, it's a nice little puzzle."

THE BOY AS WE KNOW HIM.

All in This Particular Capacity Are Labor Savers.

Mrs. Belle De Rivera, whose special knowledge of public-school life has made her famous, narrated at a recent dinner a number of public-school episodes.

One concerned the small boy's winter hatred of cold water. "His teacher," began Mrs. De Rivera, "said one morning to a little boy:

"Jimmy, I'm ashamed of you. Your cheek is all black and sticky. Go to the hydrant and wash it.'

"Jimmy went out to the hydrant, moistened his wash rag, and rubbed soap over it. Then, rag in hand, he returned to the schoolroom.

"'Which cheek did you say?' he inquired."

HOME TONIC FOR OLD PEOPLE

Wonderful results, eventually restoring full physical vigor, are obtained from the following: To one-half pint good whiskey, add one ounce syrup sarsparilla and one ounce Toris compound, which can be procured from any druggist. Take in teaspoonful doses before each meal and before retiring.

THE VERY LAST.

"I'm so delighted to see you, major. I thought you had died."

"Died, madam? That's the last thing I'd do, madam."

Sounded Funny.

"The young man is smitten with you, Jeanette. He says you radiate happiness."

"Gracious!"

"And he also said you radiate beauty."

"My!"

"And wisdom."

"Dear me, how funny."

"What's funny, dear?"

"Why, he must think I am a radiator."

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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Divorces in New York and Chicago.

New York city has its average number of divorces as compared with the cities of the United States. Chicago is the only city that is proportionately ahead of it. In New York there are two persons divorced to every 26 married.

30,000 ACRES WILD LAND. MORTON Co. No. Dak. Farms in Minnesota & Wisconsin. National Land Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

It's a good thing to have opinions—and it's a better thing to keep the lid on them sometimes.

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Some men have no excuse for being sober when the lid is off.

Allen's Foot-Ease, a Powder For swollen, sweating feet. Gives instant relief. The original powder for the feet. 25c at all Druggists

A woman probably feels blue when she is green with envy.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Call a spade a spade, and you may get it in the neck.

Why doesn't some enterprising attorney write a book of unwritten laws?

A Cough, if neglected, often affects the Lungs. "Brown's Bronchial Troches" give relief. 25 cents a box. Samples sent free by John I. Brown & Son, Boston, Mass.

A man is never so utterly unoriginal as when he is lovemaking or praying.

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

The common people believe without proof.—Tacitus.

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against pneumonia, which so often comes with a sudden chill, or congestion of the lungs—the results of neglected colds? If not you should have a safe and sure remedy at hand all the time.

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It cures backache, sideache, bearing-down pains, indigestion and constipation.

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WESTERN CANADA

Much less would be satisfactory. The general average is above twenty bushels.

"All are loud in their praises of the great crops and that wonderful country."—*Extract from correspondence National Editorial Association of August, 1908.*

It is now possible to secure a homestead of 160 acres free and another 160 acres at $3.00 per acre. Hundreds have paid the cost of their farms (if purchased) and then had a balance of from $10.00 to $12.00 per acre from one crop. Wheat, barley, oats, flax—all do well. Mixed farming is a great success and dairying is highly profitable. Excellent climate, splendid schools and churches, railways bring most every district within easy reach of market. Railway and land companies have lands for sale at low prices and on easy terms.

"Last Best West" pamphlets and maps sent free. For these and information as to how to secure lowest railway rates, apply to Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or the authorized Canadian Government Agent:

P. T. HOLMES, 315 Jackson St., St. Paul, Minn.; or W. V. BENNETT, 801 New York Life Bldg., Omaha, Neb.

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Costs 60c—90c per acre for seed.

Most wonderful grass of the century, yielding from 5 to 10 tons of hay per acre and lots of pasture besides. It simply grows, grows, grows! Cut it today and in 4 weeks it looks for the mower again, and so on. Grows and flourishes everywhere, on every farm in America. Cheap as dirt; luxuriant as the bottom lands of Egypt. Big seed catalog free or send 10c in stamps and receive sample of this wonderful grass, also of Speltz, the cereal wonder, Barley, Oats, Clovers, Grasses, etc., etc., and catalog free. Or send 14c and we will add a sample farm seed novelty never seen by you before.

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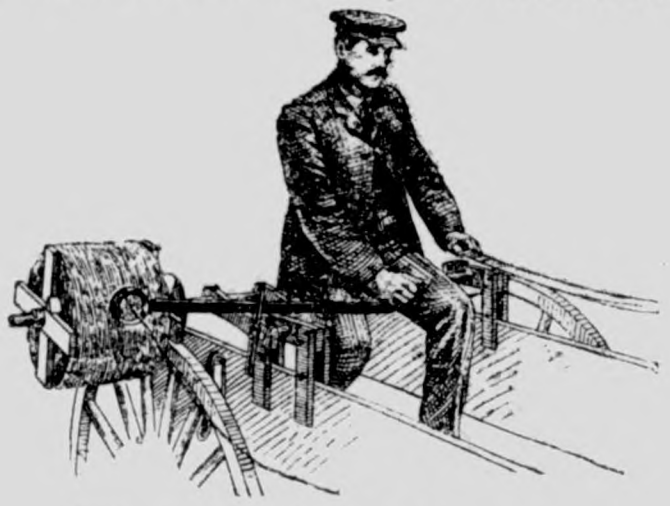

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Yes Sir! We mean just what we say. "A penna saved means a penna earned" and you can do this by going to H. Lau & Son and buy you a first-class "A Grade Surrey" and top buggy and Dane mower and Dane hay loaders, buckers, stackers, 20 century Kemp manure spreaders. You can also buy cultivator plows, binders, mowers, hay rakes, Jones scales, harnesses, flynets, lap dusters, whips, oils of all kinds, tile spades, barb and smoot wires, fence stapels and other farm implements. Royal Tailors tight fit suits. They will keep style and collor, fit guaranteed.

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TIMOTHY WAS READY FOR HIM.

Driver's Glib Explanation that Disarmed the Inspector.

John D. Rockefeller, at the end of a day's testimony in the government suit against the Standard Oil Company, talked to a group of reporters. The subject of quick-wittedness came up, and Mr. Rockefeller said:

"As quick-witted a man as I ever knew was one of our drivers—Timothy—back in the business' early days.

"We liked to keep our teams looking nice, and so we instituted an annual prize for the man who could show the best-groomed horses, the cleanest stalls, the brightest harness and so forth.

"Timothy seemed certain of this prize, and when midyear inspection time came sure enough his splendid work left nothing to be desired.

"But as the inspector took one last look round, just as he had made up his mind to give the prize to Timothy, he frowned, for his eye had fallen on a cobweb in a corner of the gray mare's stall.

"Timothy say the inspector's face change, and saw the cause of the change, and he spoke up briskly:

"'I keep that there web there, boss,' he said, 'to catch the flies. The way they torment the mare is sumpin' fierce."

LEFT BEHIND BY THE GUESTS.

Razor Strop Most Frequent Article Forgotten at Hotels.

"Of the thousand and eight things left at hotels from time to time," remarked the hotel clerk, "razor strops have the other commodities pushed across the border in point of numbers. About ten per cent. of the people who have razor strops in their grips leave them behind. Of course, the reason is that the strop is hanging up on a nail out of sight somewhere when the man packs up, and he doesn't think about it. His comb and brush are right on the dresser before him, and that's easy.

"Next to razor strops, though not hustling the strops for position, come the nighties of both genders. A good many send back after them, but a lot more people who leave them behind just abandon them. After so long we give them to charitable institutions. Then there are tooth brushes, slippers, combs, curling irons, soap boxes, clothes brushes and a list of other things left behind longer than an expense account every month. People are just that forgetful."

Odd Incident of New Year's Eve.

You never can tell what is in a man's heart. On New Year's eve a rollicking party went to a cafe which overlooks the Hudson. They were primed for noise. They created so much of it that their company was not desirable and they were informed politely that the table at which they sat had been engaged previously. They took the hint and got out. As they were leaving they purchased all the flowers they could and hurried their car along the drive until they reached a solitary grave about which so much has been written. They laid the flowers on the grave of "An Amiable Child" and returned to their car. Then they resumed their shouting and made the atmosphere resound with song and shout.—New York Press.

Sworn Off.

Upon the stars my eyes I fix, at this, the threshold of the year, I've cut out all the foolish tricks that used to mar my bright career. I've sold my big steam yacht—the one in which I loafed on many seas; and I shall find some other fun than dancing through the ocean breeze. My racing stables I have sold, my cellars of imported wine, my treasured plate of heavy gold—the simple life for me and mine! I fired the butler yesterday, the footmen have a fortnight's grace; the coachman also gets his pay, and goes to hunt another place. A trifling sum in ready cash will well supply my humble needs; for meals, some beans and corned beef hash, my couch a burrow in the weeds.—Emporia Gazette.

Fillmore's Papers.

President Millard Fillmore's voluminous papers, covering the period immediately preceding the civil war, have been given to the Buffalo Historical society, says a Buffalo dispatch.

In the will of the late Millard Powers Fillmore, son of the president, was the following specification:

"At the earliest practicable moment burn or otherwise destroy effectively all correspondence of letters to or from my father, mother, sister or me."

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German M. E. Church Items

Etna Suckow is sewing for Mrs. Fred Ridder this week.

Hugo Neff came down from Mason City Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Groh and Estella Gruetzmacher left for their home in Chicago on Tuesday

Bertha Bettin left for Charles City last Friday where she will spend several weeks with her mother.

Mrs. Strade of Garner, spent a few days of last week at the E. H. Lenz home, before moving to Idaho.

Quarterly meeting in Germantown Saturday and Sunday. No services in Klemme in the morning, but there will be services in the evening.

Emil Sampson returned from Mason City last Saturday. He completed his business course and will now rusticate on the farm this summer.

Mrs. John Josten is in St. Paul, purchasing her spring millinery goods. During her absence John and little Earl have taken to the country and are stopping with his parents.

The H. F. Ludeke family took dinner last Sunday with their old neighbors in the Lehz home. Ralph, not feeling well remained at home and had all kinds of company which he entertained and prepared dinner for.

W. V. Schlung of Dubuque, will be in Klemme in the near future to tune pianos and repair organs. Anyone having instruments that need looking after can leave orders with the writer, or at the Times office. He guarantees his work.

Emma Sampson treated her Sunday school class to a sleigh-ride one evening last week and it goes without saying that they all enjoyed it, tho' we could not urge all the teachers to do the same thing. We can not too strongly urge every teacher, in some way, to interest his class outside of the school.

Albert Riemer and W. Gast are serving on the during this term of coun former is on the grand ju the latter on the petit jury

The Upper Iowa distri day school and Epworth convention will convene ner next week beginni day evening and closing day noon. We urge as as can to attend as much sible. Don't fail to hear C. Barber of Des Moi Tuesday evening in the Church.

E. G Beier has nam class "The Log Chain They are adopting new ment methods. Each wears a class pin, wh only advertises the class reminds each wearer responsibility, claims his strengthens him with the edge that he is not wor lone, but is one of a body

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Your only hope said three to Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Detroit suffering from severe rectal lies in an operation, then I King's New Life Pills she w wholly cured. They prevent dicitis, cure Constipation, H 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

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Electric locomotive, 27 seco

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Motor paced cycle 1 minute onds, 1904.

Bicycle unpaced, 1 minute 4 onds, 1904.

Running horse, 1 minute onds, 1890.

Pacing horse, 1 minute 55

Trotting horse, 1 minute onds, 1905.

Man skating, 2 minutes 35 1896.

Man running, 4 minutes 12 1887.

Man walking, 6 minutes 23 1890.

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LOCAL NEWS

Oysters direct from Baltimore at Kluckhohn's.

Read the State Savings Bank new change of ad.

There will be a Market Day Sale on Saturday, Feb. 27th.

Elmer Ludeke call your attention to his change of ad. on local page.

Wm. F. Lau and family of Garner, visited with T. Blank and family over Sunday.

Mrs. J. Josten is at the Twin Cities these days purchasing her spring stock of millinery goods.

C. Rolston of Jamestown, N. Dak., is here visiting with his brother C. F. Rolston and family.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

FOR SALE—The J. Bock, Sr. old farm 3 mi. northeast of Klemme. 30-2

OATS—Early Champion seed oats for sale at Wm. Lau. 30-3

Social functions of winter midnight lunches, loss of sleep tell on the health. Hollister's rocky mountain tea clears the blood, aida digestion, relieves fatigue, makes and retains your health. &reatest tonic. Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co.

Monday we had a heavy wet snow and Tuesday a thaw while Wednesday it was rather cold. Freight trains from the north have been abandoned the first of this week and no grain or livestock has been shipped from here since Sunday morning.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets. Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 8, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

SOLDIER BALKS DEATH PLOT.

It soems to J A Stone a civil war veteran of Kemp, Texas that a plot existed between a desperate lung trouble and the grave to cause his death. I contracted a stubborn cold he writes that developed a cough that stuck to me in spite of all remedies for years. My weight ran down to 136 povnds. Then I began to use Dr. King's new discovery which restored my health completely. I now whigh 178 pounds. For severe colds, obstinate coughs, hemorrhages, asthma and to prevent pneumonia it's unrivaled. 50c and $1.09. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G A Pabst & Co.

Louis Sampson was a Garner visitor Monday.

Fresh oysters always on hand at Kluckhohn's. tf.

The Baack Bros. are shelling corn for Wes. J. Schuldt.

Common Cents ad. for the State Savings this week.

H C. Lau calls your attention to his change of ad. in this issue.

C. L. Yahnke transacted business at Forest City last week Saturday.

Do not forget the new change of ad. for the State Savings Bank—this issue.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

G. G. Washburn and family visited over Sunday at Garner with Ed. Kluckhohn and family.

Ben Lau of Chicago, visited with his parents and many friends over Sunday returning Monday evening.

Remember the programme and basket social at the Opera House on Friday evening Mar. 5th. Everybody is invited.

AGENT WANTED—Man with team to canvass Hancock county for the best selling article on the market. Liberal commissions. Address H. E. Smith. Iowa Falls, Iowa. 28-3

Some of our farmers are doing away with the wind mills and are using gasoline engines in stead We think that this move is far the better advantages all around.

No more divorces.
'Hubby' will stay a lover true,
Every wife his only sweetheart, too,
Perpetual matrimonial bliss 'twill be,
If both take Hollister's rocky mountain tea.G. A. Pabst & Co.

Mrs. Groh and Estella Gruetzmacher left for their home in Chicago, Tuesday. Mrs. John Gruetzmacher and daughters accompanied them as far as Garner.

The Plantation Quartet and Jubilee Singers at the Opera House on Wednesday evening was well worth the price of admission. They sang to a packed house. There will be one more number which will conclude the lecture course.

The long winter months—heavy foods—lack of exercise decrease your vitality, make you feel mean. Hollister's rocky mountain tea gives you vitality—clears the blood—builds up flesh. Makes you strong and robust. Great spring medicine. Tea or tablets 35c. G A Pabst & Co.

The Iowa house has passed a bill which increases the pay of jurors from $2.00 to $2.50 a day. The senate should concurr in the measure. A juryman's pay was not enough. They had to pay $1.00 a day for board and as it takes some of our best men who leave their various lines of business and sometimes in the busy season the pay is not adequate. The sacrifice is greater than the public should ask of them.—Signal.

The programme and basket social which was held in German township on Friday evening Feb. 19 in district No 9, was largely attended. The programme was pronounced excellent which is a credit to Miss Whitney as teacher of this school. Miss Whitney is highly spoken of in that vicinity as an instructor. The 20 baskets which were auctioneered off by Louis Greffin, brought the school the nice sum of $31.30. This was the first entertainment that this school had and we are pleased to hear of its prosperity.

M. I Parker and G. A. Pabst were at Garner Monday.

Basket social at Opera House on Friday evening Mar. 5th

G. W. Kluckhohn transacted business at Garner on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. F. Groh of Chicago, Ill., is a new Times subscriber

Quite a number of Klemmeites were Garner visitors last week Saturday.

Wm. Fuller and wife ieft for Buffalo Center on Tuesday where they will visit with relatives.

J. F. Hartfelder shipped four loads of cattle and hogs to Chicago from Meservey Sunday morning.

Mr. Albert Fuls and his son John Fuls of German Valley, Ill., arrived today and will visit with their relatives B. Swalve and family.

There will be a basket social at the Avery Center school house in Dist No. 5 on Friday evening, Mar. 5th. Plan to attend. Laura L. Meyer, Teacher.

Bills are out announcing a Market Day Sale at Klemme on Saturday, Feb. 27th. Anyone wishing to list livestock or machinery for this sale may list same with F. A. Arnold at First National Bank.

WASHINGTON ONCE GAVE UP.

To three doctors, was kept in bed five weeks. Blood poison from a spidere's bite caused large deep sores to cover his leg. The doctors failed, then Bucklen's arnica salve completely cured me, writes John Washington of Bosqueville, Tex. For eczema, boils, burns and piles its supreme 25c at G A Pabst & Co.

School Caucus.

There will be a school caucus of the Independent District of Klemme at the City Hall on Monday, Mar. 1, 1909 for the purpose of nominating three directors, two for the term of 3 years and 1 for the term of 1 year to fill vacancy.

By order of School Board.

THE SECRET OF LONG LIFE

A French scientist has discovered one secret of long life. His method deals with the blood. But long ago millions of Americans had proved Electric Bitters prolongs life and makes it worth living. It purifies enriches and vitalizes the blood rebuilds wasted nervecells, imparts life and tone to the entire system. Its a godsend to weak sick and debilitatep people. Kidney trouble had blighted my life for months, writes W M Sherman of Cushing, Me. but Electric Bitters cured me entirely. Only 50c at G A Pabst & Co.

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

W. M. Kirkwood	Ringsted
Wm. Fuller	Klemme
H. Freie	"
Wm. Lau	"
Herman Barz	"
Wm. Wenz	Goodell

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Most Popular Because it is the Best.

I have sold Chamberlain's cough remedy for the past eight years and find it to be one of the best selling medicinet on the market. For babies and youug children there is nothing better in the line of cough sorup says Paul Allen, Plain Dealing, La. This remedy not only curesthe coughs, colds and croup so common among young children but is pleasant and safe for them to take. It contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given to a baby as confidently as to an adult. For sale by G A Pabst & Co

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE
COUGH SYRUP

WORLD'S BILL AGAINST RATS.

It Is $160,000,000 a Year in This Country Alone.

The bill of damages which civilizatoin holds against the rodents foots up into tremendous figures. According to the experts of the bureau of biographical survey of the department of agriculture, Uncle Sam alone has to pay $160,000,000 every year on account of property damages inflicted by the pests. John Bull and the kaiser between them fork over $150,000,000.

The rat bills of the world would reach into the billions, says Success. Sir James Crichton-Browne, president of a recently formed international union of scientific organizations working together for the extermination of arts, declared that every rat in the United States costs the citizens at least two cents a day for its keep.

In England a rat costs from one-half to five cents daily. The British India rat is the most expensive rodent of them all, for there each of the innumerable swarming millions of the pests consume on an average of three cents daily.

If you add to the cost of the board and lodging of rats the expense of maintaining and of fighting the diseases spread by them, the average specimen of the rodent tribe preying on civilized nations may be said to cost us from seven to ten cents a day.

FINE PEAT BOG IS IN MAINE.

Substance of Wealth Discovered by Mere Accident.

An analysis of the strange mixture which spurted ten feet in the air when Henry Hagan was digging a trench on the Alonzo Davis place at Norridgewock a few weeks ago shows that it is the finest peat.

So finely separated are the particles that the substance after the water evaporates from it is nearly all carbon. It hardens quickly, and when in this state burns readily. Hagan was digging a trench through a piece of low ground when he struck the vein. It spurted into the air with a rush that drove the men from the trench. The substance was so fine that the men thought it contained oil, but the analysis showed this conclusion to be erroneous. About ten tons are in sight, and it is believed that there is still a larger deposit under the surface. These suppositions are borne out by the fact that the stuff spouted out like an oil well for a while, indicating that somewhere it is under great pressure from a clay or other deposit.—Kennebec Journal.

This Versifying Age.

The body of tolerably acceptable contemporary verse is enormous. It shows a wide range of thought, and a commendable technique. In one department, at least, it has manifested a notable progress during the last 500 years; namely, in the poetic drama. Hundreds of men and women are now writing plays in verse. They are giving a new vitality, new imaginative possibilities to the American stage. Our lyric poets are beyond counting. Mr. Stedman gathered the work of 600 of them into his anthology many years ago. But this number does not represent a tithe of the persons who habitually or intermittently produce verse.

Yet how rarely, in the mass of lyric verse, does one catch the national note! More sonnets are written about John Keats than about the United States of America.—Bliss Perry, in Atlantic.

Trick Flies.

In a lecture on flies before the Royal Photographic society of London, F. P. Smith said that with a little patience flies could be trained, and he showed some cinematograph records of flies lying on their backs twirling miniature dumb-bells, balancing weights bigger than themselves, climbing revolving wheels and acting as nursemaids. Accurately balanced little machines were used for training the flies, and the only discomfort to the insect, said the lecturer, was involved in its being imprisoned for a day or so. On being released, although its wings were uninjured, it had no desire to fly, but showed tractableness and readiness to perform these extraordinary gyrations instead.

Market Day Sale, Saturday, February 27, 1909.

Sale begins at 1 p. m.

Let us be your Tailor
THE AMERICAN WOOLEN MILLS Co, Chicago, Illinois.
Manufacturers of fine woolens and wholesale custom tailors.
As Eastern Decoration Day is near at hand, I will give special bargains on suits that are purchased of us before that time.
I will be please to show you a beautiful line of samples. A fit, a beauty and a long wearing suit Your profit, my pleasure.
ELMER LUDEKE
Klemme - - - Iowa

F. C. GRIEWE
City Meat Market
Dealer in
All kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats. Canned goods and oysters in season. Highest cash price paid for hides. Home rendered pure lard a specialty.
We solicit your patronage.

COL. J. J. WILSON
Livestock Auctioneer,
Meservey, Iowa.
Dates made at either bank of Klemme.
Phone me at my expense

W. C. AMSDEN, OPT. D.
Graduate Optician,
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Eyes Tested Free.

LIVERY and FEED STABLE
The only livery in town
Good rigs and careful drivers
Rates reasonable
Your patronage solicited
CHAS. L. YAHNKE, Proprietor.

J. E. BAUMGARTNER
The Tonsorial Artist
Will give you an easy shave or a hair cut.
2nd door west of State Savings Bank
Call in

$13,440 Cash from 28 Acres of Onions in the Texas Gulf Coast

W. A. McNeil planted twenty-eight acres in onions at Santa Maria, Tex., in the Gulf Coast Country. The yield averaged 400 crates per acre, for which he received $1.20 per crate, $480 an acre. His total receipts from the twenty-eight acres was $13,440. Pretty good results from four months' work.

Mr. McNeil is no exception. Profits of from $300 to $1,000 an acre are of common occurrence in the Gulf Coast Country.

Are you doing as well? Why shouldn't you? Raising fruit and vegetables in the Gulf Coast Country is simple—anyone can do it. A few acres will be all you need. You can buy it on easy terms and the first crop, if properly cared for, should more than pay for the land.

The Gulf Coast Country is a delightful place in which to live. Mild, sunny winters; gulf-breeze-cooled summers.

Investigate this proposition while the land is within your reach—next year it will cost more.

On excursion days tourist sleepers run through from Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul, St. Louis and Kansas City to Brownsville, Tex.

Let me send you some further information about the big profits growers are making in the Gulf Coast Country. We have prepared this in attractive, printed form. Write for a free copy to-day.

The Winter Vegetable Garden of America

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L. O. TURGASEN, Agent,
Rock Island Lines
Klemme, Iowa

WELL PLEASED WITH WESTERN CANADA.

GOOD CROPS, SPLENDID CLIMATE AND WELL ENFORCED LAWS.

Mr. George E. Hunter is a Maidstone, Saskatchewan (Central Canada), farmer, who writes to a Canadian Government Agent as follows:

"It was the first week in November, 1907, when we arrived here. There was very little snow or cold weather until after the holidays, then the snow and cold increased, but to no great extent. I think the coldest I heard of was 30 degrees below zero, but that degree of cold would not be felt here any more than 10 degrees below zero would be back home in Michigan, owing to the beautiful dry atmosphere of this country. There came a good thaw every month that settled the snow, the fields soon became bare, and on the 12th of April I commenced ploughing. The snow was then all gone and summer at hand. This last season was something more than an average year around here, with fine crops gathered from a large acreage. In parts the crops were less than average, but generally speaking they were above it. The price of wheat was quite good. Some fine yields sold at $1.10 per bushel, while some were marketed at much less, but hardly any went below about 60 cents a bushel.

"Oats started on the market at 35 cents a bushel, barley about 50 cents, and flax from 90 cents to $1.00 a bushel.

"As this was my first year in this country, it was a hard year for my horses, owing to their being eastern horses, and not used to the western climate, but they will soon get climatized.

"The soil on my farm is a black loam, about one foot in thickness, below that we find about six feet of clay, and below that again gravel and sand, with an abundance of excellent water. This was the condition of the ground as I found it when I dug a well. I can say that the water is as sweet and as free from alkali and impurities as I ever saw.

"My opinion is that the man who comes here with a little means can do no better than invest $500 or $1,000 in cattle, after locating a homestead adjoining or near some hilly part of the country where it will not be taken up as soon. There is plenty of grass and hay to be found in the hilly country and small lakes and sloughs will afford sufficient water for any amount of cattle. The bluffs with a few hay or straw sheds will make sufficient shelter for them. There is no need to worry about the market for cattle, as there is already a great call for stock of all kinds to satisfy the continued demands of the large packing house at Edmonton, established by Swift and Company.

"The dairy business should by no means be forgotten. It is one of the paying enterprises of this great west. The price of butter seldom goes below 25 cents and reaches as high as 40 cents a pound. Also the new creameries that are fast being erected along the lines of railroad are calling on the farmers for their cream.

"These creameries are greatly welcomed in all communities, because selling cream is better than making butter, even at an average price of 25 cents a pound. For a new country the railroad transportation facilities are good; not yet, of course, what they are in older countries, but the new lines are swiftly gaining as the country gets more settled and supplies them with produce to ship. It is hard to say too much in favor of this country. All one needs is a little money with grit and ambition. I have seen homesteads that were filed on a little over three years ago that the owners have refused $3,000 for.

"There is much more that can be said in favor of Western Canada, but I think my letter has been long enough."

A Republican Reliance.

Three-year-old Norris is fond of the Twenty-third Psalm, sometimes repeating it instead of his regular evening prayer. Last autumn the name of the successful presidential candidate was often heard at the dinner table, and Norris unconsciously fell into the habit of rendering one passage of the Psalm in this reassuring fashion: "Thy rod and thy Taft they comfort me."—Lippincott's.

GOVERNMENT LAND OPENING UNDER CAREY ACT.

May 6, the State Land Commissioner of Wyoming will distribute 7,000 acres irrigated land at Cooper Lake, near Laramie and Denver, on main line of Union Pacific; 50 cents per acre. Oldest Reservoir and Direct Water Rights; $5 an acre cash and $3 an acre annually for ten years. Free trip and two town lots to all who apply before May 1. Write for application and circulars. Tallmadge-Buntin Land Co., Agents, 2nd floor, Railway Exchange, Chicago. Agents wanted.

Even when the gates of prayer are shut the gates of tears are open.—Hebrew proverb.

GREAT FLEET IN HOME PORT AGAIN

AMERICAN SHIPS DROP THEIR ANCHORS AT HAMPTON ROADS.

VESSELS IN FINE CONDITION

Long Voyage Has Demonstrated the Marvelous Efficiency of the American Navy—Foreign Countries Impressed as Never Before—Desertions Reported as Surprisingly Few—President Roosevelt Reviews Armada from the Mayflower.

Hampton Roads, Va., Feb. 22.—The most stupendous task of naval history was completed when President Roosevelt reviewed the fleet of 16 battleships as they filed into Hampton Roads to drop anchor at the port from which they sailed one year and two months before.

The homecoming was much the same as the departure. The ships were the same, with the exception of the Nebraska and Wisconsin, which took the place of the Maine and Alabama. The flag of Rear-Admiral Sperry flew from the Connecticut, Rear-Admiral Evans, Rear-Admiral Emory and Rear-Admiral Thomas, who were successively in command, having been placed on the retired list.

Crowding the piers the same wives and sweethearts gathered to welcome those to whom they waved their farewells from the same spot over a year ago. And with the rattle of chains and the splash of anchors, as the great ships wheeled into their berths, the journey of 42,227 miles—not including the side trips in the Mediterranean and other waters—from zone to zone, over the world's oceans and through foreign seas, was at an end.

Marks Epoch in History.

The event marks an epoch in the naval and diplomatic history of the United States. As a mere physical achievement it is a thing of enormous proportions. As a test of naval efficiency it has shown the sailing value of the fleet and demonstrated to many peoples the power of the United States and its equipment for war. It has been a sort of gymnastic exercise with the big stick. It has given the navy department the results of an experience that will be invaluable in the upbuilding of future fleets and brought out defects that must be overcome. As a diplomatic messenger it has dissipated international misunderstandings and brought closer in friendly relations the United States and many of the world's countries.

The successful completion of the cruise without noteworthy accident or untoward incident, from either a naval or political point of view, is regarded by all nations as history making from several points of view. Never before has any battle command made such a long, continuous voyage. Never before has any battle command circumnavigated the globe, whether in one or separate voyages. Never before has any fleet or armada of any of the countries of the world visited so many ports, so many countries, under so many flags. And never was any naval command received with such wide and universal acclaim and enthusiasm of friendly feeling and spirit of welcome as marked the progress of the American battle fleet at every one of its twoscore or more stops on the cruise around the world.

Few Desertions Reported.

A remarkable feature of the cruise has been the excellent discipline. While there have been a few desertions, the number has been far less in proportion than it usually is in home ports. The extent of the drinking on the part of the men and officers at receptions and while on liberty in strange and peculiarly interesting places has been far less than was expected.

Many Countries Visited.

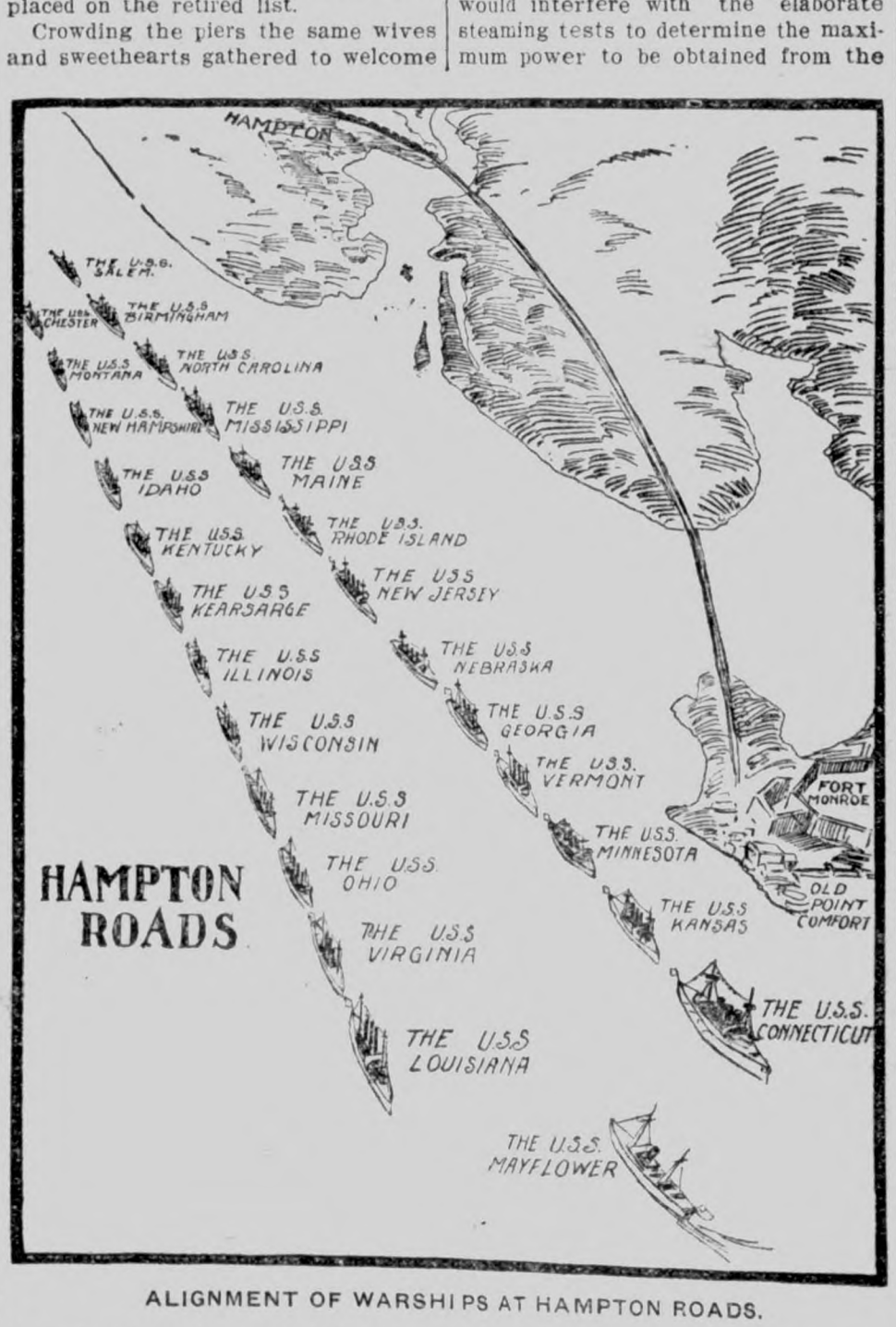
The fleet visited 20 countries and anchored in 26 foreign ports. The 16 ships passed through the Straits of Magellan, made the journey through the Suez canal without mishap and coaled at Port Said in record time to be off to help the Italian earthquake sufferers, all without mishap. Two passed through the Dardanelles, the first foreign warships to do so without grave conferences between the vigilant powers, to pick up the young Turkish officers who were to come to the United States. Two saluted the new sultan of Morocco. One division dropped anchor at Amoy to do honor to China. The whole fleet flew their colors in the ports of Japan. The flags of nearly all the world were unfurled in welcome to them.

To drive the ships 410,000 tons of coal were used. Practically all of this came from America, in order that there be no variations in quality which would interfere with the elaborate steaming tests to determine the maximum power to be obtained from the quantity of fuel consumed. In this respect alone the experience gained is invaluable. Nearly 100,000 gallons of oil were consumed in lubricating the engines and machinery.

All Nations Impressed.

It is as a naval test that the cruise of the fleet takes rank as the most interesting and greatest achievement of modern times. Naval experts of foreign nations waited with cynical patience for the fleet to arrive in Magdalena bay, battered and disabled after the first leg of the rigorous journey. When the ships went through target practice without any preparation they hastened to report to their governments. Later, when the same ships continued on their way around the world and did the same thing at Manila bay, the fighting efficiency of the American navy was unquestioned.

But there were some things, some very simple things, brought out by the fleet's voyage which seem to have escaped the critics of the navy. If naval operations are to be carried by the United States at long range, and that will probably be the case, so far as the Pacific is concerned, there must be colliers to fill the bunkers of the battleships, supply ships to fill the store rooms, and ammunition ships to fill the magazines. In their last reports the chief of the bureau of ordnance said that a navy without ammunition was helpless, the chief of the bureau of supplies and accounts said that a navy without food for the men was helpless. The colliers are being built now and it is only a matter of time before each of the bureau chiefs will get what he wants.



ALIGNMENT OF WARSHIPS AT HAMPTON ROADS.

Facts For Sick Women

We know of no other medicine which has been so successful in relieving the suffering of women, or secured so many genuine testimonials, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

In almost every community you will find women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Almost every woman you meet has either been benefited by it, or knows some one who has.

In the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., are files containing over one million one hundred thousand letters from women seeking health, in which many openly state over their own signatures that they have regained their health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has saved many women from surgical operations.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is made exclusively from roots and herbs, and is perfectly harmless.

The reason why it is so successful is because it contains ingredients which act directly upon the female organism, restoring it to healthy and normal activity.

Thousands of unsolicited and genuine testimonials such as the following prove the efficiency of this simple remedy:

Minneapolis, Minn.:—"I was a great sufferer from female troubles which caused a weakness and broken down condition of the system. I read so much of what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for other suffering women, I felt sure it would help me, and I must say it did help me wonderfully. Within three months I was a perfectly well woman.

"I want this letter made public to show the benefits to be derived from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. John G. Moldan, 2115 Second St. North, Minneapolis, Minn.

Women who are suffering from those distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.

No Ashes to Sift

It is ***not pleasant*** in the early winter mornings to get up and build new fires in the heater and kitchen stove—to clean out fire-boxes—shake down and sift ashes with the thermometer ***down to zero!***

It is also ***unnecessary***—lay in a supply of Milwaukee Solvay Coke—the fuel that ***lasts all night***—that will heat the house thoroughly in a ***few minutes'*** time after the drafts are open.

There are no ashes to sift.

MILWAUKEE Solvay Coke

A ton of this ideal fuel ***goes as far*** as a ton of hard coal or ***two tons*** of soft coal and is equal to ***two cords*** of good body wood.

There are no clinkers to clog the grates—no smoke nor soot—no ***noxious gases.***

You obtain ***complete*** combustion and a clean, healthy, quick fire.

Milwaukee Solvay Coke is being used by one hundred thousand families at a ***less cost*** and with far ***more satisfaction*** than is given by the best hard coal.

And the housecleaning work is child's play, for it is the ***cleanest fuel*** ever burned. Practically pure carbon—nothing to make dirt.

2,000 dealers in the Northwest sell Milwaukee Solvay Coke—all sizes—ask ***your dealer,*** and ***write*** for interesting booklet of coke information to

PICKANDS, BROWN & COMPANY
Colby-Abbott Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis.

GREAT TREAT IN STORE FOR YOU—At Seattle

Rare opportunity for a liberal education will be the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition at Seattle this summer. Nothing short of a visit to the great *lumbering fields* of the Northwest will ever give appreciation of the magnitude of the industries here, both in operations and timber growth. Many of the "wonders of Alaska" will be displayed. The Government will send the Pacific fleet to Seattle during the Fair, which in itself will be a notable exhibition, and Congress has appropriated $600,000 to give practical demonstrations in forestry, irrigation, dry-land farming and improved agricultural methods, and in fisheries and everything connected with the deep sea.

Best of all, you can study the effects of the Unit System of Ownership upon the *greatest fortune maker of all*—Seattle CENTRAL BUSINESS PROPERTY. Send me your address *now;* I'll give you some facts beforehand.

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Readers of this paper desiring to buy anything advertised in its columns should insist upon having what they ask for, refusing substitutes or imitations.

WATERWAYS' MONEY

EMERGENCY BILL APPROPRIATES $9,971,625 FOR IMPROVEMENTS.

AIDS WESTERN STREAMS

Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and Michigan Rivers to Be Surveyed—House Slaps at Roosevelt by Continuing Limitations on Secret Service.

Washington.—Chairman Burton of the house committee on rivers and harbors Friday introduced the emergency and maintenance bill for waterways improvements which carries a total appropriation of $9,971,625.

It provides for a large number of surveys, for the maintenance of improvements previously authorized, and for continuing the operation of government dredges and other works.

The president is requested to open negotiations with Great Britain for a treaty for securing the maintenance of ample water levels for the uses of navigation in the great lakes by the construction of such controlling and remedial works in the connecting rivers and channels of the lakes as may be agreed upon.

The secretary of war is also authorized to fix a just and reasonable compensation to be paid for the use of water and water power now or hereafter owned in the St. Mary's river by the United States.

Six hundred thousand dollars is appropriated for examinations and surveys, contingencies and incidental repairs for rivers and harbors for which there is no special appropriation. Among the most important waterways for which preliminary surveys and examinations are provided, aside from the inland intracoastal waterway along the Atlantic and gulf coasts are:

The Chicago and Rock rivers, Illinois; the harbors and rivers at or near Chicago, including Chicago harbor, the Chicago river, Calumet harbor, the Grand and the Little Calumet rivers, Lake Calumet and the Lake Shore from the mouth of the Chicago river to the city of Gary, Ind., for the purpose of reporting a plan for a complete systematic and broad improvement of the harbor facilities for Chicago and adjacent territory.

Other surveys are: The Wabash river, Illinois; the Des Moines, Cedar and Iowa rivers, Iowa; the Marquette and Muskegon harbors; the Pigeon river and the Livingstone channel of the Detroit river, Michigan; the Mississippi river between St. Paul and Minneapolis; and reservoirs at the headwaters of the river, the Minnesota river and reservoirs at its headwaters, the Rainy river and the Duluth (Minn.) and Superior (Wis.) harbors; Ashtabula and Lorain harbors, the Maumee river at and above Toledo, and a survey of the Ohio river with a view to the selection of sites for the additional locks and dams between locks No. 8 and No. 25 and for the preparation of plans.

No single channel or improvement is to be allotted more than $50,000 out of the appropriation for emergencies. The bill repeals the act that authorizes the Mount Carmel Development Company to draw water from the Wabash river in Wabash county, Ill., and authorizes the secretary of war to grant lesases for the use of the water created by the government dam at Mount Carmel.

Two more disputes between the president and congress were revived when the house committee on appropriations reported the sundry civil appropriation bill.

One was in regard to the limitation of the use of the secret service of the treasury department. The other was the appropriation for the examination of accounts of railroads, under section 20 of the Hepburn rate law.

The house, despite the president's special message, decided to keep up the limitation of the use of the secret service. Mr. Roosevelt declared such action an aid to criminals.

SAYS INDIANA IS BANKRUPT.

Governor in Message to Legislature Points to $400,000 Deficit.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Gov. Marshall sent a special message to the legislature late Friday afternoon informing that body that the state treasury is bankrupt and there is not enough money in the treasury to pay the state expenses longer than March. No more money is coming in until June 1, when the county treasurers will make their semi-annual settlements. The deficit will be about $400,000. The governor asks the legislature to pass a law to require the county treasurers to pay in the state's share of the taxes before that, to meet the state's expenses. The governor says unless the money is forthcoming the state institutions will have to close or the state must borrow money to pay expenses. It is said the money for use during the present six months was anticipated and used in the preceding six months, and that this action accounts for the deficit.

NEW STRENGTH FOR WOMEN'S BACKS.

How to Make a Bad Back Better.

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"Well, I dunno about that," responded Hiram dryly. "I reckon a man wouldn't have such a terrible strain on him writin' the sort of magazine pomes we run across now'days with his stomach an' head both empty!"

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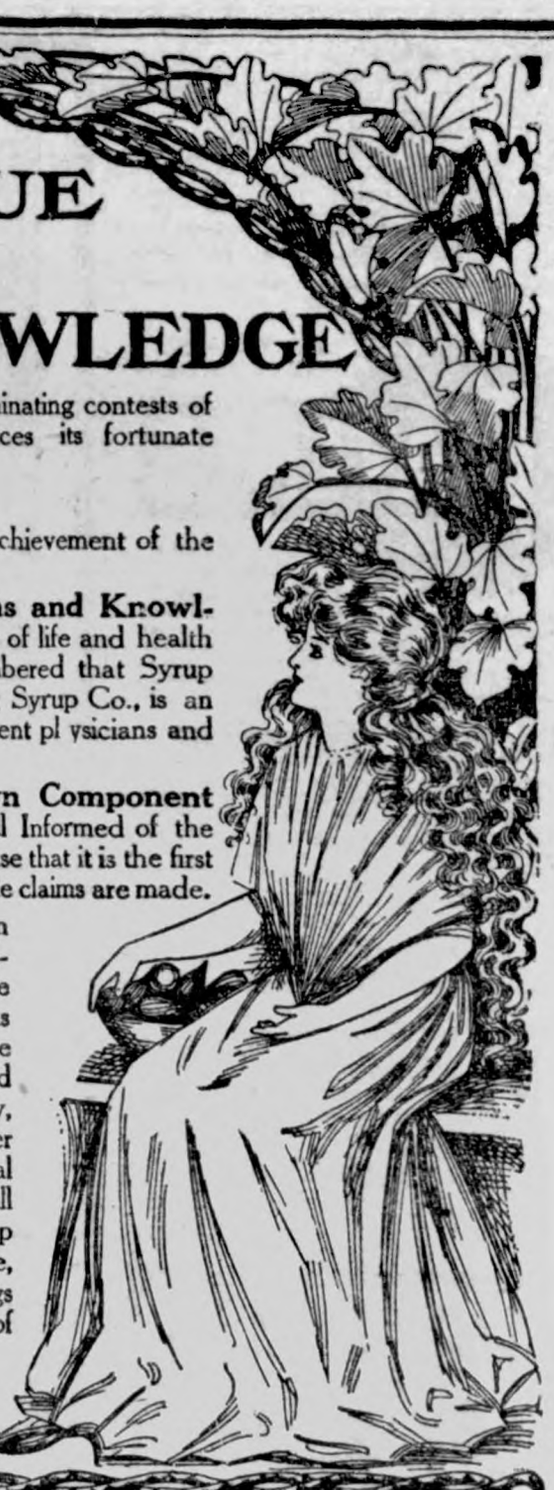

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The Child's Viewpoint.

Percy Alder, M. P., of London, told an amusing story of a small girl at a recent meeting of the Children's Happy Evenings association. The child had been sent away to the country for a holiday, and questioned as to what in all her holiday had pleased her most, this little slum maiden, whose London home adjoined a waste piece of land, replied: "Seeing no dead cats."

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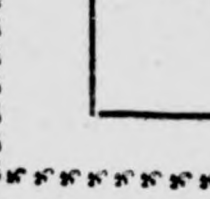

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ASSETS

Amount of Bills, Bonds and other evidences of debt discounted or purchased actually owned by the Bank (carried out)		$106,112 75
Amount of cash on hand described as follows:		
Gold coin,	475 00	
Silver coin and bullion	381 30	
Legal tender and national bank notes and subsidary coin	1845 00	
Drafts and checks on other solvent banks and other cash items not dishonored on hand and belonging to the bank	865 66	2,710 66
		$3,566 96
Amount subject to be drawn a sight on deposit with solvent banks or bankers (specifying names and locations of the banks):		
Continental Nat'l Bk. Chicago, Ill.	598 19	
Merchants Nat'l Bk. Cedar Rapids, Iowa	3,328 86	
Drovers Deposit National B Chicago, Ill	776 71	
Farmers Nat'l Bk. Garner, Iowa	3,414 24	
Century Savings Bk. Des Moines, Iowa	2,030 03	10,148 03
Overdrafs secured	3,315 90	
Expense account	325 88	3,641 78
Value of real property (owned by the Bank)	9,949 34	
Value of personal property [owned by the bank]	1,784 92	11,734 26
Total Assets		135,203 78

LIABILITIES

Amount of capial stock actually paid up in cash		15.000 00
Total amount due depositors, as follows:		
Amount sight deposits	27,650.21	
Amount deman deposits	7,215.00	
Amount time deposits	72,338.57	107,203.78
Indebtedness of every kind, due banks, bankers, or persons other than regular depositors:		
Bills payable	2,500 00	2,500 00
Surplus fund	10,500 00	
Other profits on hand (after deducting taxes and expenses)		10,500 00
Total Liabilities		135.203 78
Amount of all liabilities to the Bank on par of its directors:		
As borrowers	6,819 26	
As endorsers	3,632 82	10,452 08

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W. R. BLOOM, President.
P. M. GRIESEMER, Cashier.

SEAL

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence by W. R. Bloom and P. M. Griesemer, this 4th day of Mar., A. D. 1909.

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FALLS TO DEATH

MADE MISSTEP AS HE STARTED TO DESCEND MINE.

DROPPED 70 FEET DOWN SHAFT

Head Strikes Obstruction and Top of Head Was Severed and Death Was Instantaneous.

Perry.—Frank McEllhenney, 16 years of age, fell 70 feet down the shaft of his father's mine at Angus, Iowa, and was instantly killed. On the way down the shaft his head struck some obstruction and the entire top of the head was cut off. His death was instantaneous.

Albert McEllhenney, father of the boy, is widely known. The family is well-to-do. The young man has been popu'ar and we'l liked. He went to the mine in the morning at 8 o'clock, intending to go down. Through some means he made a misstep as he started to enter the cage. He plunged head first, and shot toward the bottom with lightning-like rapidity.

Part way down his head struck an obstruction on the side of the mine and the body turned a complete somersault in the air. When picked up at the bottom, life was extinct and it is probable that he was killed instantly when he struck the side of the shaft.

The young man is survived by his parents and two other brothers.

Leland Won a New Factory.

Mason City.—In a contest over the location of the Mount alley Grain Separator company the little village of Leland, a town of 250, won out over Forest City and Lake Mills, receiving twenty-four votes to Forest City's nine and Lake Mills' one. The new company is capitalized at $40,000, but promises to raise it to $200,000.

Woodmen to Build.

Nora Springs.—The Modern Woodmen of America located at this place are making arrangements to build a brick or cement store building with a camp room above. They propose to make the building 26x103 feet for the main part with an el 26x47. They are selling stock at $25 per share and are finding no difficulty in getting subscribers.

Dubuque Grocers Fight.

Dubuque.—The Dubuque Retail Grocers association caused the arrest of three solicitors for a Chicago grocery house on a charge of selling goods without a license. Defense will be made that the goods were not delivered when sold, hence the law does not apply. The grocers propose to fight this form of competition to a finish.

Oelwein Shop Yards Burn.

Oelwein.—A $5,000 fire swept the shop yards of the Chicago, Great Western here. The dry kiln building, which was filled with dry lumber, in some manner unaccounted for caught fire and in less than an hour the building and most of its contents was burned. Some of the lumber was saved, but it was in a damaged condition.

Washington Lid Down.

Washington.—At a recent meeting of the town council, licenses were refused to the billiard halls and they have been closed. A petition is being circulated for signatures to put the question of billiard hall licenses up to the people. This proposition will make the approaching election a lively contest.

Means New Cement Plant.

Mason City.—The ruling of the supreme court in the case of Breene vs. Mayne means the erection of a 5,000 barrel per day cement plant here by the Lehigh company of Lehigh, Pa. Word was sent here that if the decision of the court was favorable the company would begin building at once.

Woman Tries Suicide.

Keokuk.—Mrs. Benjamin Gordon, the wife of a bartender, attempted to commit suicide by taking carbolic acid. She had quarreled with her husband, who knocked the bottle from her hand. She is in a critical condition and is receiving treatment at a hospital.

Masquerades as a Girl.

Iowa City.—A group of well known Iowa City coeds who were entertaine by Miss Ida Barrow at a masquerad party, are trying to recollect all the did and said at that function, for a the close of the masking they disco ered that one of the guests was no a girl at all, but a man.

SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. Elise shared her stateroom with a Mrs. Graham, also bound for Canada. The young women on a sightseeing tour met Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented. Two men called. They proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett, one a friend of Elizabeth's father. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Fearing for the safety of some gems, Lady Edith left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his actions on board ship and returned the lost bag. Exploring the cellar, one of the girls found a sphinx cuff-buton, the exact counterpart of which both Gordon Bennett and Lady Edith were found to possess, also. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. Lady Edith told a story of a lost love in connection with the sphinx key. At a supper, which was held on the rocks, Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party. Gabrielle witnessed a stormy scene between Lady Edith and Lord Wilfrid, red roses being the cause of the latter's anger. Mary Anne brought back Elizabeth's ring. Elise went sailing with Gordon Bennett. He tried to persuade her to return the jewels left in the girl's care by Lady Edith. He told her he found the sphinx scarf pin, the counterpart of which Lady Edith owned. The girls gave a supper. At midnight Elise saw two men—one of them Gordon Bennett—attempting to force an entrance into their boathouse. She admitted to herself that she had nearly loved him and believed herself used as a tool by a thief.

CHAPTER XIV.

"If you please, miss, could you come to Mrs. Graham?"

This unwelcome summons forced itself upon me as I lay luxuriously reading upon the couch in the living room the day following our dinner party.

"Did she send for me?"

"No, miss."

Mrs Graham's servant, a half-grown girl with a face of surprising stupidity, stood stolidly before me, the ends of a small shawl held under her chin, and a frightened expression in her small eyes.

"Then, why did you come?"

To my surprise, the girl put her face in her hands and began to cry with a sniffling persistency very annoying to hear.

"I'm scared of her," she sobbed; "she's that queer, miss. She's went all blue and stiff-like, and Mr. Graham ain't there, nor nobody but me. And, seeing as how you come to the house sometimes, miss, I thought as maybe you might help me, fur I'm scared to stay alone, so I am."

I rose reluctantly, for I knew but little of illness, and was also "scared" of the prospect; but go I must, in common decency, and alone at that, for Mary Anne and Elizabeth were out, and Gabrielle was shut up in her room with a sad cold, the result of too much wandering about with thin slippers the night before.

A chill east wind was blowing, and I shivered as we hastened down the path and up the narrow steps.

Mrs. Graham lay rigid upon the couch, her eyes shut and her lips blue and pinched. I put my hand over her heart, and its faint flutter was a great relief, as I had thought her dead.

"It is only a faint," I exclaimed, and directed the bewildered girl to assist me in my efforts to revive her. At last we were rewarded by a long-drawn sigh, and the lids slowly lifted from the dark eyes.

The servant had found some brandy, and I held a little to her lips, motioning her not to speak, but she pushed the glass aside and sat upright.

"It is a bad dream," she said—"only a dream! Say it—only a dream!"

"Only a dream," I repeated, soothingly—"a bad dream."

She swallowed a little of the brandy and lay back exhausted on the couch, while I followed the servant into the kitchen.

"Where is Mr. Graham?" I demanded, sharply.

"I don't know, miss."

"When will he be home?"

"I don't know, miss."

"Has Mrs. Graham been ill long?"

"I don't know, miss."

"Is there anything you do know?" I inquired, my patience worn threadbare.

"No, miss; I don't know nothing."

This statement was so evidently true that I left her aimlessly poking the fire and returned to my patient.

She lay quite still, with closed eyes, so I merely drew a chair near the couch and sat down to wait further developments. I waited a long time. The minutes slipped past, and the room grew dim, for twilight was approaching—the long summer twilight which I usually loved, but whose arrival I dreaded to-day.

At last she stirred, moved restlessly once or twice, then raised her head and looked around the room.

"Where is he?" she said. "Where is he?"

"He has not come home yet, Mrs. Graham," I replied. "No doubt he will be here soon."

She fell back upon her pillows, and instinctively I sprang to her side, but she waved me away and turned her face to the wall.

"It was not a dream," she moaned; "it is true, quite true."

I heard the little servant close the window and light her lamp, and envied her the warmth and brightness of her kitchen, for the room was chilly and fast growing dark.

Finally Mrs. Graham raised herself by a great effort and beckoned to me.

"On the table in my room," she said,

The Minutes Slipped Past, and the Room Grew Dim.

speaking with difficulty, "you will find some medicine. Drop it in water—the bottle tells how—and bring it to me. But be quick!"

I ran to the little room above and brought the medicine, dropping it with shaking hand, and holding it to her lips that she might swallow it. In a few minutes her breathing grew less labored, and she even smiled faintly.

"Don't be frightened," she whispered. "I am better now. It is all over—I know these attacks."

Little by little her face grew more natural, until at last she ceased to breathe with the short, painful gasp, and even sat upright among the pillows; but it was evident she was still suffering from some shock or distress of mind, for she drew me down beside her, holding my hand with a vise-like grip, as though she feared I might snatch it away from her.

"Stay with me," she begged. "Don't leave me. I—I cannot stay alone to-night."

So I agreed to stay, and dispatched the maid to the cottage with a note for Gabrielle, saying simply that Mrs. Graham was alone and not well, and wanted me to spend the night with her.

Shall I ever forget that night? Her first spasmodic attempts at ordinary conversation, her long silences, always followed by wandering to the window and gazing out over the ocean with the hopeless yet expectant air of one who knows it is useless to watch, yet nevertheless continues to do so; and the final moment when, casting all reserve aside, she flung herself upon her knees beside the couch and prayed that death might come soon and spare her further suffering.

"Oh, Harry," she mourned, "how could you? And I loved you so!"

It was infinitely pitiful, and after a while, when she grew calmer, she told me her story, speaking tenderly of the first few years of her married life and of her husband's great love for her and for the child, and the happiness he brought her.

"Then," she continued, "there came a change. He went away, and for weeks I did not hear from him. I thought he was dead, and nearly died also, they tell me. At last he came back to me—so loving, so patient with my invalid ways, and so self-reproachful at his own thoughtlessness. He had been yachting, he said; an invitation came at the last moment, and the letter he sent telling me of his plans must have miscarried. Could I ever forgive him?

"Well, I was only too glad to get him back, and I believed him absolutely. For a while, almost a year, we were very happy again, and I was beginning to forget, when he disappeared again. This time he stayed only two weeks, but when he returned he made no apologies. The water called him, he said, and he must go. He never told me where he went, nor what he did, but he gave up his other business, and yet we seemed to have more money than ever. He went away often and stayed for long periods after that, and for months I would not know where he was. When he came back to me he was always kind, always thoughtful for my comfort, always ready to talk on any subject except the one nearest my heart. But he grew to hate the boy."

"His own child?" I interrupted. "How unnatural!"

"He said I loved the child better than I loved my husband," she said, "but God knows whether that is true or not. At last I became ill again, during one of his absences, and when he returned it was a question whether or not I would live. He was dreadfully shocked and grieved, and on his knees beside my bed he begged me to live for his sake. For his sake—the words sounded wonderfully sweet to my ears, and when he held my hand in both his own and whispered that he would never leave me again, I began to feel a desire to get well.

"He kept his word, too, but this summer he came to me and told me that the sea was calling him, and he must go. He suggested that I come with him up here, where he could have his boat and come home to me but he would not bring the boy. broke my heart to leave him you know why I hate the ocean enemy."

"I understand," I said, and I did realize a little how distressing must be to her to be so near it.

"Yes," she said; "I came here ly, because he asked it, although hate the air and the very sight ocean. But to-day I found so else. I was mending his coat to keep myself occupied and not too much, for he went out day yesterday and I have not seen since."

"Yes?" I said, for she pa certainly.

"It is not the ocean," she said enly. "That was but an excuse a woman."

She thrust her hand into the of her dress, and instinctively she would bring forth a small wrapped in white tissue pape opened it, and I saw the blue and the little soft curl with a sense of familiarity. She put ger under the lock of hair, beth had done, and looked at speechless misery.

"Perhaps," I suggested, "some mistake."

"It is pretty, is it not?" "A little, soft ring of yellow Yet when I saw it and—really heart stopped beating, and I re nothing more until I saw you."

She was talking calmly calmly, I thought, as I looked feverishly bright eyes. The which touched mine occasionally hot and dry, and a round red either cheek glowed and pale mittently.

"I am glad I didn't know," tinued; "there are some thi cannot forgive, and I might spoken bitterly. Now I can al member that I never said word to him, even when I w sorely tried. I'm glad of th glad."

She spoke in the tone of q iniscence in which one review past attitude to the dead, a first poignancy of grief is over

"But he will come back," "Think how many times he you before."

"He will not come back."

The finality of her voice a reply, and after a long suggested that she lie down to sleep, and I would do likewi agreed docilely enough, and myself upon the bed beside in a few moments was sound I slept heavily, for I was ve but it seemed scarcely a mome I heard her call me.

"Yes," I cried, alarmed; is it?"

Mrs. Graham, fully dress with a lighted candle in he stood beside the bed, a shawl her shoulders and another arm.

"I am going out," she said.

"Going out?" I repeated, pa being still dazed with sleep.

"Going down to the edge of ter to meet him. It is calling last the ocean calls me, and I'm Will you come?"

"Wait until morning; we nothing in the dark."

"It is dawn," she replied, rai shade. "At last the night has

Off at the edge of the hori a broad streak of pale gray, an the stars still shone, they were fast.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

YOUTHFUL FISHERS IN AL

Boys' Boat Towed by a Big H How the Dogs Help.

About the mouths of the on which salmon camps are the Indian dogs and children themselves catching the fish. of the youngsters are so sm after they have succeeded in c a fish the combined efforts party are often required to dis and carry it to camp. I have dogs running about in a rift at the salmon and apparently the time of their lives.

One of the most amusing sig I saw during my stay in Alas two Indian boys being towed the harbor at Kadiak by a hu but they had just hooked. unable to land the fish, the fastened the line to the stern boat, and while they pulled their might, each one at an o rallied each other for not more strength and shouted lo help. Finally an Indian put o boat and the fish was landed.— and Stream.

Met Their Fate.

As the echo of the clanging b away, the man in somber gar to his feet.

"Are you ready?" he asked.

"I am," answered his compa a firm tone, as he, too, stood u

"Then come. The worst w be over."

Closing the door behind the descended the stairs and ente dining-room of their boarding

INAUGURATION OF TAFT AND SHERMAN

PRESIDENT TAFT

BY EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington, Mar. 4.—Standing on the east portico of the capitol, just after noon, William Howard Taft took the oath of office as president of the United States, an immense throng of his fellow citizens witnessing the impressive ceremony. James Schoolcraft Sherman already had been sworn in as vice-president, in the senate chamber, and the people acclaimed the new chief executives of the nation.

Notwithstanding the fact that Mr. Taft has been in civil pursuits all his life, the military display which accompanied his induction into office was greater than that which marked the inauguration of the militant rough rider president, Theodore Roosevelt, four years ago. Washington was filled with civilians and soldiers and sailors. From the earliest daylight hour the streets were crowded with people. Pennsylvania avenue, the center of all things in Washington, was packed with the crowds, every man and woman in which sought, by an early arrival, to obtain a place of vantage from which the great procession, which for hours passed through the broad thoroughfare, could be seen

Meet at Executive Mansion.

Early in the day the president-elect met the out-going president in the White House. About an hour before noon, the congressional committee of arrangements, consisting of Senators Knox, Lodge and Bacon, and Representatives Burke, Young and Gaines, arrived at the executive mansion and informed the president and the president-elect that congress was in readiness for the ceremonies of the actual inauguration. At half-past eleven President Roosevelt and President-to-be Taft entered a carriage, Mr. Taft sitting at the left of Mr. Roosevelt. In the carriages immediately following were the members of the congressional committee of arrangements. A body of veterans of the civil and Spanish wars acted as an escort for the outgoing and incoming chiefs of state.

Escorted to Senate Wing.

The president and the president-elect were escorted by the congressional committee into the senate wing of the capitol through the historic doorway of bronze on the east side of the building. They went directly to the president's room where they remained until the committee of arrangements came to them and announced that the senate was in readiness to receive them. Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Taft then walked to the senate chamber, taking the seats reserved for them in the first row directly in front of the vice-president's desk.

Vice-President Fairbanks and Vice-President-elect Sherman drove to the capitol together and went directly to the room of the vice-president. In turn they were escorted to the senate chamber as the two chief figures of the occasion had been escorted before them. Mr. Fairbanks went at once to his place as presiding officer of the senate and Mr. Sherman took a seat at the left of Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Taft, just across the center aisle of the chamber.

Edward Everett Hale, the veteran chaplain of the senate and one of the most picturesque figures in the United States, offered prayer. Immediately following the prayer, the oath of office was administered to Mr. Sherman by the outgoing vice-president, Mr. Fairbanks. The new vice president next delivered his inaugural address, and then at once, as the first duty of his new office, he administered the oath to the newly elected senators of the United States.

March to East Portico.

As soon as the senators-elect had been sworn into office, a procession was formed to march from the senate chamber through the rotunda of the capitol to the platform on the center portico of the east side of the building. The sergeant-at-arms of the senate and his fellow officials of the house of representatives led the way.

The platform upon which President Taft took the oath of office extended well out from the portico until it overhung the broad plaza to the east, where directly to the front were gathered the cadets from the military and naval academies, to the rear of whom were the other military bodies. Beyond the cadets, extending to the right and left as far as the open ground reached, were gathered the thousands upon thousands of civilians.

Taft Takes Oath of Office.

The white-haired chief justice of the United States, Melville W. Fuller, administered the oath of office of Mr. Taft, who, when he had taken it, bent and kissed the Bible held in the hand of his country's chief jurist. Immediately following the taking of the oath, President Taft delivered his inaugural address.

The president's speech frequently was interrupted by applause and at its close the great assembly broke into cheers. The president was congratulated by those who were close to him, including the retiring president and the other chief officials. President Taft then entered a carriage which was at once surrounded by the members of the Black Horse troop of Cleveland, O., which formed the special guard of honor. The president's carriage was driven north and then down the hill by the senate wing of the capitol until Pennsylvania avenue was reached. From that point the president drove slowly to the White House along the thoroughfare filled, save for its center, with crowds of his cheering fellow citizens.

Make-Up of Parade.

The guard of honor attending President Taft was followed immediately by a mounted police guard and a full military band. Then came Maj. Gen. J. Franklin Bell, chief of the general staff of the United States army, who was the parade's grand marshal, and his staff. The military division had the right of way after the president's escort. At its head were the West Point cadets in their gray uniforms, marching with the perfect alignment for which the military students are famed. Behind the stripling soldiers came the stripling sailors, the midshipmen from the naval academy at Annapolis. Immediately behind the future officers of army and navy came the regulars of the military service, veterans most of them, who had seen service in Cuba and in the Philippines, and, many of them, upon the plains in the days before the Indians had left the war path for the ways of peace. In the line were the 2,600 men who had formed the Cuban army of pacification.

Atlantic Fleet Sends Men.

In the waters of Hampton roads for ten days the fleet which had made its record breaking journey around the world had been assembled. The battleships, the cruisers, the destroyers

Vice-President Sherman.

and the torpedo boats were drawn upon for "jackies" to give the sea service an adequate representation in the inaugural ceremonies. There were 3,000 sailors from the Connecticut, the Illinois and the other ships of Sperry's fleet in the parade. The marines followed the sailors.

The regulars of the government service led the way, their conceded right. Behind them came the men who, in time of war, form first the reserve force, and later when brought into real soldiers' shape, the backbone force of the government's army—the National Guardsmen of the states of the union.

Many Civic Organizations.

In the rear of the military division came the civic organizations. There were in line more than 100 clubs and political associations from all parts of the country, nearly all of them wearing some unique and distinguishing uniform. The American club of Pittsburg acted as personal escort to Thomas P. Morgan, the chief of the civic organizations' committee.

Among the organizations which had a place in the parade were several from President Taft's state—Ohio. Among these were the Citizens' Taft club and the Stamina Republican club of Cincinnati, Uniform Rank Knights of Maccabees, Cleveland; the Republican Glee club and the Buckeye Republican club of Columbus.

Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Kentucky, Minnesota and other states of the middle west and of the south were represented by associations of citizens, political clubs, and by prominent state, county and municipal officials. Many veterans of the civil war who served in the ranks of the union or in the ranks of the confederacy were present in the parade. There were more former confederates in line than were present at any previous inauguration of a Republican president.

Luncheon at White House.

As soon as President Taft reached the White House he entered and was greeted by the members of a specially

Maj. Gen. J. Franklin Bell.

invited presidential party, including the governors of several states, prominent federal officials, personal friends of the president and the members of the presidential family to a remote degree of relationship. A light luncheon was served in the great state dining-room, and as soon as it was over the president walked across the grounds of the White House to the presidential reviewing stand built on the south side of the avenue directly in front of the main entrance to the White House and facing Lafayette square. The president took his place on the reviewing stand, and with him were the members of the presidential party. Vice-President Sherman stood on the immediate right of the chief executive. Across Pennsylvania avenue directly in front of the president was a huge stand for spectators occupying the entire length of one side of Lafayette square.

President Reviews Parade.

As soon as the president appeared on the reviewing stand the leading band of the procession, which had been halted to await the appearance of Mr. Taft, began to play "Hail to the Chief." Gen. Bell gave the order to pass in review, and the great procession, having its head at the White House, moved forward to pass before the chief magistrate. As body after body of soldiers, sailors and civilians passed, they saluted and the president saluted in turn.

It took the procession three hours to pass the reviewing stand. It was a great sight, full of interest and color. Under the direction of the trained military chieftains who had given their time to the perfection of details, the parade passed quickly and in perfect form. When in front of the reviewing stand some of the civil marching clubs showed their proficiency in drill by performing evolutions. The regulars and National Guardsmen, however, swept by in perfect military precision. The parade was worthy of the occasion that called it into being.

Inaugural Ball in Evening.

When the last of the parading bodies had passed the president returned to the White House for a short rest before preparing to go to the great inaugural ball, which was given in the Pension building. The ball was the brilliant affair that it always is. It was attended by a tremendous throng. In the center of the great hall which occupies the lower floor of the structure a space was roped off. The visitors stood outside the open place waiting the arrival of President and Mrs. Taft and Vice-President and Mrs. Sherman. They came finally and stayed on the main floor for some time, and then retired to the president's box in the gallery above, where they watched the proceedings below.

On the great mall on the Potomac side of the White House in the evening there was a brilliant display of fireworks, a display that was coincident with the continuance of the inaugural ball.

The day, with all its attending ceremonies, was one that was worthy of the event which made it a time of celebration.

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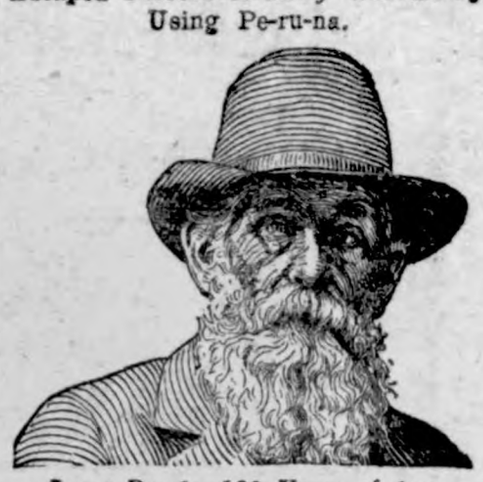

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Isaac Brock.

LIVE AND LEARN.

Farmer Meddergrass—Waal, by clover! I knew them Chinese lived on t'other side o' th' airth but hang me if I knew they had a through route!

Meant the Other Way.

Rear Admiral Sperry, commander-in-chief of the fleet returned from its triumphant sail around the world, sometimes has serious spells of absent mindedness. Several years ago he was talking with a group of fellow officers at the Naval War college at Newport, when one of them remarked that he had been ordered for duty on the Asiatic station.

"Are you going to take your wife with you?" Admiral Sperry inquired.

"No," the officer replied.

"I think you are making a serious mistake," the admiral continued in positive terms. "I was out there in 1876 when an epidemic of cholera broke out, and hundreds of people died."—Sunday Magazine.

Argument That Won.

Susie had been promised a pair of new slippers for Sunday. Anxious to have them at once she had tried in every way to persuade her mother to buy them for her and let her wear them to a children's party that was to be given on Wednesday, but without success. Finally when both she and her mother had become tired of the teasing the little girl said: "Well, mamma, you needn't get them now; but maybe I'll be dead by Sunday and if I am you'll be sorry for disappointing me." Susie wore the slippers Wednesday.

NEW IDEA
Helped Wis. Couple.

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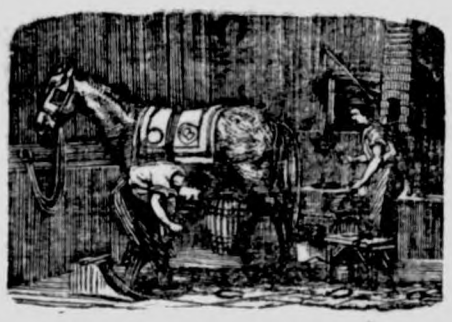

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We have the Robinson Manure Spreader, guaranteed to do the work.

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New Wall Paper for 1909

How about it? Hadn't you better hang that wall paper now before Spring work begins? The kitchen needs it for sure and maybe some the other rooms to.

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New paper 6c per double roll and up.

It's no trouble to show wall pap

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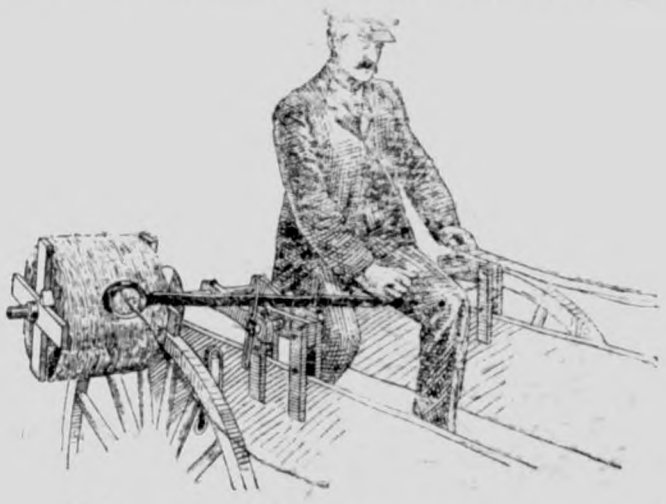
LINOLEUM A clean and durable floor covering for the kitchen or room. Price from **35c** to **$1.45** per square yard We have it on hand in full rolls, either 2 yds wide or wide. These are new goods.



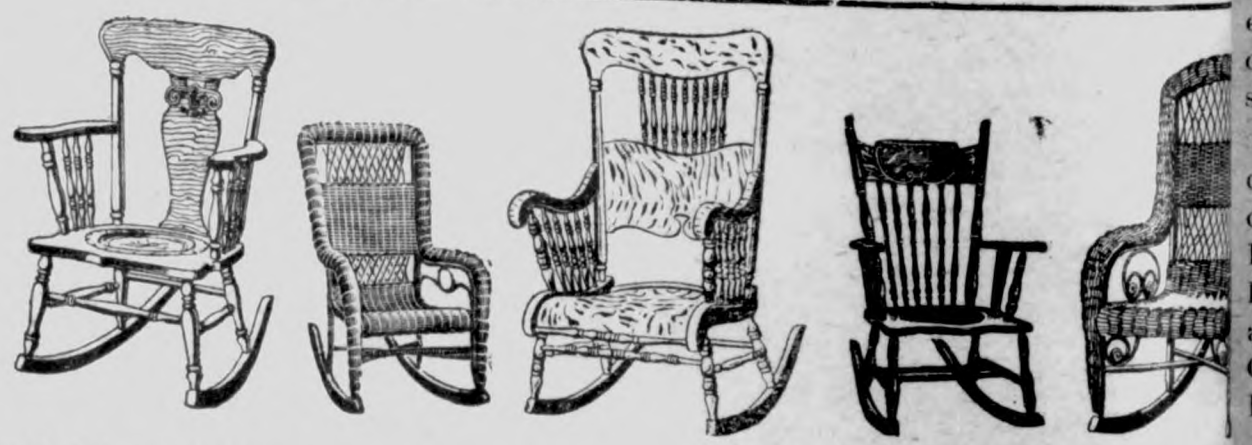
Farm Machinery.

Yes Sir! We mean just what we say. "A penna saved means a penna earned" and you can do this by going to H. Lau & Son and buy you a first-class "A Grade Surrey" and top buggy and Dane mower and Dane hay loaders, buckers, stackers, 20 century Kemp manure spreaders. You can also buy cultivator plows, binders, mowers, hay rakes, Jones scales, harnesses, flynets, lap dusters, whips, oils of all kinds, tile spades, barb and smoot wires, fence stapels and other farm implements. Royal Tailors tight fit suits. They will keep style and collor, fit guaranteed.

H. Lau & Son.

Arthur Wellemeyer

WE SELL PETERS SHOES



The City Dray Line

Will do your coal and other hauling at reasonable rates. Leave your orders at the store or ring up No. 37.

ELL BROS. Klemme, Iowa

NEAR DEATH IN BIG POND

It was a thrilling experience to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. "For years a severe lung trouble gave me intense suffering" she writes, and several times nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Dr. King's new discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years. Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond, Pa. It works wonders in coughs and colds, sore lungs, hemorrhages, lagrippe, asthma croup, whooping cough and all bronchial affections. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G A Pabst & Co.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy
Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

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LOCAL NEWS

Linoleum 4 yds. wide at Wellemeyer's.

Read the State Savings Bank automobile ad.

Oysters direct from Baltimore at Kluckhohn's.

H. C. Lau shipped one car of hogs Wednesday morning.

OATS—Early Champion seed oats for sale at Wm. Lau. 30-3

Fred Rolston was at Garner between trains Wednesday.

FOR SALE—The J. Bock, Sr. old farm 3 mi. northeast of Klemme. 30-2

J. F. Hartfelder and P. M. Griesemer rturned from Chicago Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shoop of Clear Lake visited over Sunday with thier son Arthur and family.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

If you'd be dubbed a handsome girl
And win a handsome Knight,
The secret here I do impart,
Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night
G A Pabst & Co.

Chas. Lewis and Henry Ihde are going into the sheep business and expect to run a sheep ranch this summer. They have one sheep to start with. We expect that they will do a land office business. We wish them success in this enterprise.

The new "Wonder Lamp" incandescent 100 candle power, cannot explode, 6 hours for 1c. Burns common kerosene. THE lamp for churches, schools, halls and homes. Write or see J. D. G. Houghton, Agent, Goodell, Iowa or Klemme. 31-3

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

Word comes to us that the Avery Center Dancing Association has elected new officers which are as follows: J. F. Griggs, President, Joe Hamilton, Vice Pres., Wm. Shafer, Prompter, Antony Shafer, 1st violinist, G. W. Griggs, 2nd violinist., J. T. Griggs, pianist. This association is right in the coming and in the way of being up-to-date in style and grace of dancing they are hard to equal.

Read State S. Bank change of ad.

Linoleum 2 yds wide at Wellemeyer's.

Geo. Gruetzmacher was at Garner Wednesday.

Fresh oysters always on hand at Kluckhohn's. tf.

Basket social at Opera House on Friday evening Mar. 5th

Ladies Suit Sale Monday March 8 th. J. C. Grobaty, Garner, Iowa.

Don't fail to read Wellemeyers large display ad. He is telling you facts.

Miss Becker of Garner visited over Sunday with her parents east of Klemme.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

Geo. Schroeder and family were at Garner on Monday. They expect to move up there soon.

The weather the past few days has been very agreeable. It reminds one of Spring. We hope it will continue.

Aug. Wenz attended the Upper Iowa district Sunday school snd Epworth League convention at Garner Monday.

Mrs. A. L. Spooner, son and daughter arrived from Iowa Falls last week Friday and visited with relatives and friends.

Remember the programme and basket social at the Opera House on Friday evening Mar. 5th. Everybody is invited.

A spring tonic that makes rich, red blood. Brings strength, health and happiness to the whole family. Nothing equals Hollister's rocky mountain tea as a spring regulator. 36c. G A Pabst & Co.

Asa Gibbs and son are the possessors of a thoroughbred Short-horn bull which they had shipped from Vinton, Iowa this week.

H. Keeper and family moved into the rooms formerly occupied by H. Schroeder and family next to the meat market.

H. C. Lau shipped one car of hogs and Aug. Lau shipped one car of cattle to Chicago Sunday morning. Aug. went along and returned Tuesday.

Val. Josten. Jr. was elected director of Twin Lake No. 1 by an overwhelming majority. The continued efficiency of this school is consequently assured.

A. Kirkwood and family will move to Klemme this week. They have bought the Bloom and Griesemer store building and will run a restaurant.

Wm. Lau is the possessor of a new Gates air cooler three H. P. engine The engine is capable of doing 5 H. P. work, The engine is on trucks and is very handy to manipulate. Noting is too good for the "Big Chief."

The Arnold brothers marketed a number of porkers and some cattle to H. C. and Aug. Lau last week Saturday and they received a check for same amounting to $1970.93. This is going some.

IT SAVED HIS LEG.

All though I'd lose my leg writes J. A. Swenson. Watertown Wis., Ten years of eczema that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well." Infallible for skin eruptions, eczema, salt rheum. boils, fever sores, burns, scalds, cuts and piles. 25c at. G. A. Pabst & Co.

Wall paper at Wellemeyer's.

A car load of furniture at wellemeyer's

Otto Baack was at Garner Tuesday.

Nettie Haskin visited at Garner Tuesday.

Dance at Opera House Friday night Mar 12th.

The way to save your money—State Savings ad.

Music by the Griesemer and Shipley orchestra.

Chas. Ax and family moved to Klemme last week.

H. Griewe did business at Garner last week Friday.

The Market Day sale on Saturday was largely attended

Harry Behringer was a Garner visitor last week Friday.

Remember the dance at Opera House. Friday night Mar. 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Swalve left Monday evening for Iowa Falls.

Louis Sampson and H. Griewe were Garner visitors on Tuesday.

DeWITT'S CARBOLIZED WITCH HAZEL SALVE For Piles, Burns, Sores.

You ought to see our new goods. J. C. Grobaty, Garner, Iowa.

Parker lost his home, he is now an orphan, couldn't someone adopt him?

Mrs. J. Josten and son Earl are visiting her mother and relatives at Monona, Iowa.

J. J. Wilson drove over from Meservey Saturday. We acknowledged a pleasant call.

Aug. Lau bought a nice car load of steers of the Arnold brothers last week Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Holmes of Tyndall, S. Dak., is visiting with her relatives Lew Lewis and family.

Dr. Missman of Garner, visited with Dr. Zinn and other acquaintances the first of this week.

I make Covered Buttons in 3 sizes, 18 and 20c a doz. Send me your oders. J. C. Grobaty, Garner, Iowa.

WANTED—Dress making done at my residenc. Rates reasonable and work guaranteed. Call at my residence. Mrs. Langmann.

We call your attention to the State Savings Bank statement on first page. The statement mskes a very nice showing.

Miss Tillie Lau left last week Friday for Woden where she visited with her sister. She returned the first of this week.

Don't wait until your blood is impoverished and you are sick and ailing but take Hollister's rocky mountain tea now. It will positively drive out all winter impurities. 35c, tea or tablets. G. A. Pabst & Co.

A large number from here attended Upper Iowa district Sunday school and Epworth League convention at Garner this week.

Miss Carrie Johnson who is attending the Memorial University at Mason City, visited at home over Sunday returning Monday.

AN IDEAL COUGH MEDICINE.

As an ideal cough medicine I regard Chamberlain's cough remedy in a class by itself, says Dr. R A Wiltshire of Gwynneville, Ind. I take great pleasure in testifying to the results of Chamberlain's cough medicine. In fact I know of no other preparation that meets so fully the expectations of the most exacting in cases of croup and coughs of children As it contains no opium, chloroform or morphine it certainly makes a most safe pleasant and efficacious remedy for the ills it is intended. For sale by G. A. Pabst & Co.

Bloom keeps all kinds of good seed oats, barley, buckwheet, clover, timothy, rape and milet. Yours for business at the South Elevator. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Church and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Church and Miss Wheaton of Goodell were guests at the Prof. Houghton home on Sunday.

MARRIED

The marriage of Mr. Geo. A. Pabst, our genial and popular pharmacist to Mrs. Carrie R. Brooks, from Belmond, Iowa. took place at the German Reformed parsonage, Tuesday afternoon, March 2nd. Rev. A. Muehlmeier officiating. That Mr. Pabst so suddenly was convinced of the truth: "It is not good that the man should be alone" undoubtedly was a great surprise to his many friends, yet all join in wishing him and his esteemed wife a happy and blessed married life.

They at once took to house keeping at the old cosy drug store residence where they will be "at home" for their numerous friends.

KILLS WOULD BE SLAYER.

A merciless murderer is appendicitis with many victims. But Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendicitis, curing constipation, biliousness, chills, malaria, headache and indigestion 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

School Coucus.

At the school caucus on Monday evening Mar. 1st the following proceedings took place:

Meeting called to order.

G. G. Washburn was elected chairman.

A. C. Gibbs was elected secretary.

Motion was made and carried that the following be nominated as school directors:

J. W. Waterman for a term of 3 yeas.

John Terhufen for a term of 3 years.

Wm. Fuller for a term of 1 year.

THE LURID GLOW OF DOOM

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H M Adams of Henriette. Pa. His awful plight from eczeme had for five years defied al remedies and baffled the best doctors who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. But. writs his mother. seven bottlei of electric bitters completely cured him. For eruptios, eczema, salt rheum, sores and all blood e'so d eas and rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c. Guaranteed by G A Pabst & Co.

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

L. W. Wendel Belmond
H. E. Schwartz Albany, N. Y
G. Henderson, Garner

How He Hunted Bear.

A New York Irishman was visiting a friend in the Adirondacks and was taken with a desire to go hunting Borrowing a gun from his friend he set off alone in search of game. Some time after his host heard a distant report of a gun. A few minutes later he heard some one shouting. From a window he spied, in the distance, his friend, hot-footing it for home, and behind him a bear, gaining at every step. Nearly spent, the pursued reached the door just in time to cry out:

"Quick, Mike! Quick! Open the door! I'm bringing him home aloive!"

Let us be your Tailor
THE AMERICAN WOOLEN MILLS Co, Chicago, Illinois.
Manufacturers of fine woolens and wholesale custom tailors.
As Eastern Decoration Day is near at hand, I will give special bargains on suits that are purchased of us before that time.
I will be please to show you a beautiful line of samples. A fit, a beauty and a long wearing suit Your profit, my pleasure.
ELMER LUDEKE
Klemme - - - Iowa

F. C. GRIEWE
City Meat Market
Dealer in
All kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats, Canned goods and oysters in season. Highest cash price paid for hides. Home rendered pure lard a specialty.
We solicit your patronage.

COL. J. J. WILSON
Livestock Auctioneer,
Meservey, Iowa.
Dates made at either banks of Klemme.
Phone me at my expense.

W. C. AMSDEN, OPT. D.
Graduate Optician.
Garner - - Iowa
Eyes Tested Free.

LIVERY and FEED STABLE.
The only livery in town
Good rigs and careful drivers
Rates reasonable
Your patronage solicited
CHAS. L. YAHNKE, Proprietor.

J. E. BAUMGARTNER
The Tonsorial Artist
Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.
2nd door west of State Savings Bank
Call in

$13,440 Cash from 28 Acres of Onions in the Texas Gulf Coast

¶ W. A. McNeil planted twenty-eight acres in onions at Santa Maria, Tex., in the Gulf Coast Country. The yield averaged 400 crates per acre, for which he received $1.20 per crate, $480 an acre. His total receipts from the twenty-eight acres was $13,440. Pretty good results from four months' work.

¶ Mr. McNeil is no exception. Profits of from $300 to $1,000 an acre are of common occurrence in the Gulf Coast Country.

¶ Are you doing as well? Why shouldn't you? Raising fruit and vegetables in the Gulf Coast Country is simple—anyone can do it. A few acres will be all you need. You can buy it on easy terms and the first crop, if properly cared for, should more than pay for the land.

¶ The Gulf Coast Country is a delightful place in which to live. Mild, sunny winters; gulf-breeze-cooled summers.

¶ Investigate this proposition while the land is within your reach—next year it will cost more.

¶ On excursion days tourist sleepers run through from Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul, St. Louis and Kansas City to Brownsville, Tex.

Let me send you some further information about the big profits growers are making in the Gulf Coast Country. We have prepared this in attractive, printed form. Write for a free copy to-day.

JOHN SEBASTIAN
Passenger Traffic Mgr.
2005 La Salle Station
Chicago

The Winter Vegetable Garden of America

L. O. TURGASEN, Agent,
Rock Island Lines,
Klemme, Iowa

WESTERN CANADA'S SPLENDID CROP YIELD FOR 1908.

AMERICANS PROFITED LARGELY AND SEND BACK SATISFACTORY REPORTS.

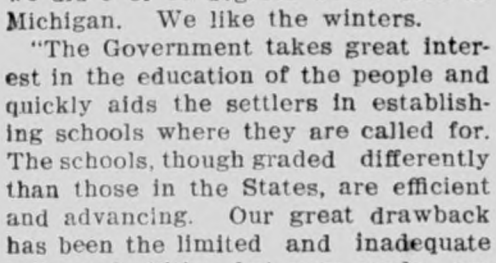
The census branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, Canada, has completed its returns of the showing of Western Canada's grain yield for 1908, and the reports make very interesting reading. In the three provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, which comprise what may be known as Central Canada, there was a total wheat yield of about 107,000,000 bushels, worth to the farmer about $85,000,000; in addition to this the oat, barley and flax crops were worth another $35,000,000. Letters have been received from many of the settlers from the United States. From these, that of Rev. Oscar L. King has been selected. He lives in the vicinity of Edmonton, Alberta, and what he says will be of interest to those who contemplate moving to Central Canada. Every line of the letter is interesting. Those who wish for the particulars as to how to secure homesteads and preemptions should write any Canadian Government agent. Mr. King says:

"Mr. M. V. McInnnes, Detroit, Michigan: I am well satisfied with Alberta. This country offers excellent opportunities for anyone to make a good home for himself and family if he is willing to put up with a few hard knocks for the first two or three years. But it is worth a few hard knocks to get a 160-acre farm of rich, productive land with no mortgage on it. This province is well fitted for grains, stock raising and dairying. We have found the climate generally healthful, more healthful than Michigan, and although the thermometer sometimes drops to 40 degrees below zero in winter, yet we do not seem to feel that temperature any more than we did 5 or 10 degrees below zero in Michigan. We like the winters.

"The Government takes great interest in the education of the people and quickly aids the settlers in establishing schools where they are called for. The schools, though graded differently than those in the States, are efficient and advancing. Our great drawback has been the limited and inadequate railway facilities, but new roads are being rapidly built and many more are projected through various parts of the province. The new policy of the Alberta government to construct a great many branch lines throughout the province will greatly help all parts of the country. If those new settlers who have to go back a considerable distance from existing railroads and towns to find free homesteads will but locate along the line of a projected railroad they will in two or three years be near both town and railroad. When I first came to this country three and a half years ago the homestead I took was 75 miles from a railroad town; now there is a railroad 25 miles north, another 25 miles south, and a third is being built through my neighborhood.

"I think the prairie country or country that is partly prairie offers much better opportunities than the hilly portions."

ROUGH STUFFING.



The Tiger—It was bad enough to be put off in my prime, but to be stuffed by an amateur taxidermist is really too hard to bear!

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Trained Taste.

"But, Dorothy, dear, don't you care for this lovely sunset?"

"Why, you know very well, mamma, that I've got lots of picture post cards that are much lovelier."

If Your Feet Ache or Burn get a 25c package of Allen's Foot-Ease. It gives quick relief. Two million packages sold yearly.

An Insinuation.

"He's as honest as the day is long."

"Especially in the winter time."

30,000 ACRES WILD LAND. MORTON Co. No. Dak. Farms in Minnesota & Wisconsin. National Land Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Happiness is measured not by the enlargement of the possessions but of the heart.—Ruskin.

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE." That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Life does not make us, we make life.—Kavanagh.

DOING GOOD WORK

OAKDALE SANATORIUM MAKES EXCELLENT SHOWING.

EIGHTY PER CENT SHOW GAIN

Many Cases Turned Away on Account of Lack of Facilities for Their Care.

Des Moines.—In an effort to curtail the exodus of hundreds of citizens to western states and afford relief to those whose financial condition renders effective treatment here or elsewhere impossible, the Iowa state legislature, three years ago decided to provide an institution for the treatment of tuberculosis.

The State Sanatorium located at Oakdale was opened to patients on February 1, 1908. For the year just ended, two hundred and thirty-six patients have been admitted, having reached its capacity in November with an average of seventyseven patients. During the year more than four hundred have been turned away as too far advanced to be received. Of the total number accepted only thirty-three proved to be incipient or early cases, and of this class eighty per cent who remained over two months, were sent home apparently cured.

The sanatorium was built and equipped for the treatment of incipient cases only, but while room was available the more favorable of advanced cases were accepted. Of these ninety per cent who remained two months showed marked improvement. Such gratifying results justify making provision for the treatment of this class of patients.

People all over the state have been astonished at many of the remarkable results observed in friends who have been patients at Oakdale. This will be readily understood from the fact that many have returned home who have gained from twenty-five to forty pounds, with corresponding improvement in their lungs.

The sanatorium is effecting cures. It is doing more. It is educating the people of Iowa to the necessities of the work undertaken and pointing the way to what is certain in time to result in at least a parial eradication of the Great White Plague. It is disseminating a knowledge of sanitation which will minimize infecton and remove the necessity for treatment on so broad a scale.

Two facts stand out in bold relief as emphasizing the necessity of enlarging the sanatorium equipment. As stated above, eighty per cent of the incipient cases treated were sent away apparently cured, while more than four hundred have been denied admission because too far advanced.

From now on it will not be wholly a matter of rejecting advanced cases. The sanatorium is full and unless enlarged many patients who might be successfully treated must be kept on the waiting list while every week makes more remote their chance of recovery. Without means many are unable to look for treatment elsewhere. More than half of the patients treated during the past year were supported by the state.

The legislature has been asked to appropriate funds to enlarge the scope of this institution. The appropriation asked for will not make it possible to provide for all applicants but it will help. In preparing the budget the superintendent has endeavored to economize to the last degree in every direction. It is simply a question of whether means shall be provided for more effective treatment and the accommodation of a larger number of afflicted persons who desire admission to the sanatorium, or whether the work shall be confined to its present limitations, which in extent has already proven entirely inadequate.

A contract has been awarded for building a new postoffice at Clarinda to cost $54,790.

Frank Brown of Shannon City won the sweepstakes prize at the corn show of the farmers' institute at Afton.

John Mahr of Chariton has been arrested, charged with robbing J. F. Irwin, a traveling man from Ottumwa.

It is reported that the Sisters of Dubuque will take over the Dr. Kessel hospital at Cresco, and erect a fine $30,000 hospital at that place in the spring.

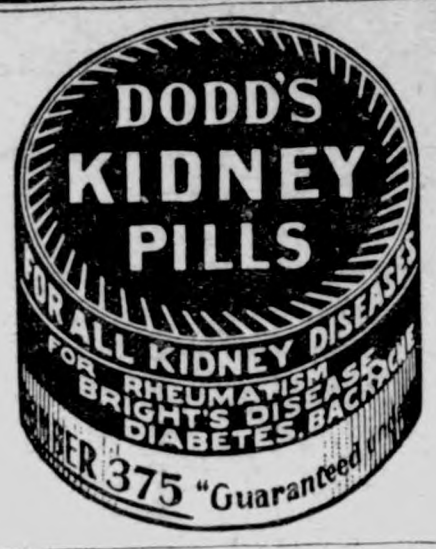
Steps for the complete electrification of the Newton & Northwestern line have been taken by the proprietors of the road. The line will be electrified from Fort Dodge Junction to Rockwell City, a distance of twenty-four miles. The work will begin this spring.

James Gegoris, who formerly conducted a candy and fruit store in Perry has started suit in the district court of Polk county for $10,000 damages against the Inter-Urban Railway Company, for being ejected from a car several weeks ago.

A Cure For Colds and Grip.

There is inconvenience, suffering and danger in a cold, and the wonder is that people will take so few precautions against colds. One or two Laxe's Pleasant Tablets (be sure of the name) taken when the first snuffly feeling appears, will stop the progress of a cold and save a great deal of unnecessary suffering. Druggists and dealers generally sell these tablets, price 25 cents. If you cannot get them send to Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y. Sample free.

If one-half the world doesn't know how the other half lives, it ought to be informed that the process is the simple one of not paying its bills.



There's Danger Ahead

if you've been neglecting a cold. Don't experiment with your health. Get a remedy that you *know* will cure—that remedy is

DR. D. JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT

It's safe. In the severest cases of coughs, colds, bronchitis, croup, inflammation of chest and lungs it is the most effective remedy known. It does its work quickly, removes the *cause* of the disease

Sold everywhere in three size bottles, $1.00, 50c, 25c.

A 25c. Bottle of Kemp's Balsam

Contains 40 DOSES,

And each dose is more effective than *four times the same quantity* of any other cough remedy, however well advertised and however strongly recommended that remedy may be

Remember always that **Kemp's Balsam** is the

Best Cough Cure.

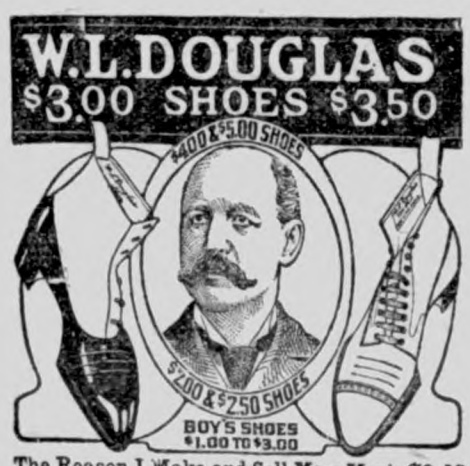
It has saved thousands from consumption.

It has saved thousands of lives.

At all druggists', 25c., 50c. and $1.

Don't accept anything else.

W. L. DOUGLAS $3.00 SHOES $3.50



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The selection of the leathers for each part of the shoe and every detail of the making in every department, is looked after by the best shoemakers in the shoe industry

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Shoes for Every Member of the Family, Men, Boys, Women, Misses and Children.

For sale by shoe dealers everywhere.

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W. L. DOUGLAS, 167 Spark St., Brockton, Mass.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 50c. and $1.00 at Druggists

The great family liniment is **A-B-C LINIMENT** Sold Everywhere.

If afflicted with sore eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**

PISO'S

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It Provides For Single Governing Body For Three State Educational Institutions.

Des Moines.—The senate committee on appropriations have gone on record as favoring the Whipple bill for a single board of control for the three educational institutions. This is one of the most important measures before the present legislature and provides for a state board of education, to be composed of eleven members and to take the place of the three boards which now have the management of the state university, the Ames Agricultural college, and the State Normal school at Cedar Rapids.

Not a dissenting vote was cast when the motion to recommend the bill for passage was made, and this is considered significant of the reception that the measure will meet in the senate when it is brought up for passage by that body.

Two years ago the senate passed a similar bill but it was killed in the house, largely through this fight made upon it by the heads of the state university and the agricultural school, according to the view of Senator Whipple. This year it is said that several members who two years ago voted against the bill have changed their minds and will favor its passage. This is indicated by the action of the senate appropriations committee, some of the members of that committee having opposed the measure strenuously.

Killed in House Last Session.

Senator Whipple's strongest argument in favor of his bill is that it will promote economy in the management of the educational institutions and that it will prevent duplication in the courses of study of the normal school and the university, and of the agricultural college and the university. He caims that this duplication has been fostered by the separate boards, and that each board, in its ambition to see its particular school excel the others, has forged ahead and created new departments. In the case of the normal school, he avers, this has resulted in a decreased attendance because of the raising of the requirements for entrance. Although this is denied by President Seerley and by friends of the school, Senator Whipple persists in calling the Cedar Falls institution "a miniature university," and declares that it is encroaching upon the field that should be occupied alone by the state university.

Doctors' Insurance Loses.

The McCulloch bill stirred up a tempest of debate in the senate when it was called up for passage. It provides that insurance companies may issue policies insuring physicians, hospitals, dentists and druggists against loss in consequence of error or mistake in the treatment of patients or compounding of drugs.

The bill was lost by an overwhelming vote, only five senators favoring it. They were Senators Frudden, Gilliland, McColloch, White and Whiting.

Divorce Bill Killed.

Representative Finlayson's second attempt to make it impossible for divorced persons to remarry outside of Iowa and return to the state to live before a year has elapsed has ended in failure. The house committee put the first bill to sleep, and Finlayson tried it again and the committee reported the second for indefinite postponement.

Can't Buy Liquor.

A single word, "knowingly," caused a verbal war in the senate ending in the passage of the Hammill bill which provides that anyone who furnishes to a discharged or paroled inebriate, a drunken person, or a dipsomaniac, any intoxicating liquor or narcotic, shall be adjudged guilty of a misdemeanor and subjected to a fine of not more than $500.

A Fly Paper Bill.

As the pharamacy board has ruled that grocers and promiscous dealers in general merchandise should not be allowed to sell fly paper and other household preparations containing potash and concentrated lye, Senator Saunders has introduced a bill providing that others than registered pharamacists may handle these products.

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The senate has passed the Whipple bill compelling the parents of children who cannot see or hear well enough to attend the publis schools to send them to state schools for blind and deaf. A penalty for violation in the form of a fine of $25 or a term of eight days in jail was provided

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The Child's Viewpoint.

Percy Alder, M. P., of London, told an amusing story of a small girl at a recent meeting of the Children's Happy Evenings association. The child had been sent away to the country for a holiday, and questioned as to what in all her holiday had pleased her most, this little slum maiden whose London home adjoined a waste piece of land, replied: "Seeing the dead cats."

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Honors Easy.

People who were present smiled at the little passage of arms which took place between two young ladies at a luncheon recently. One of them, a bride, shaking hands in her characteristically cordial way, said to the other:

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We understand that J. W. Griggs has purchased a very fine driving horse.

W. M. Shaver has been kept quite busy the last week along the vetenary line.

The snow that fell last night we think was the most that fell at any one time this season.

Charley Roath has moved to the Linden Ranch where he will take up the vetenary work again.

Miss Jennie Chase of Forest City, Iowa, is visiting at the home of her brother F. R. Chase.

The basket social at the Center school house on last Friday night was a great success, J. W. Griggs being the lucky one to get the schoolmaam's basket.

Peoples Caucus

At the Peoples Caucus on Wednesday evening the following were placed in nomination for the various offices to be filled:

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For Clerk, N. L. Palmer.
For Assessor, F. Henschen.
For Treasurer, Chas Velau.
For Councilmen for two years, E. G. Ell and G. R. Waterman.
For Councilmen for one year to fill vacancy, H. Mann and Al. Koerner.

Hush Money.

There are a number of singers belonging to the Metropolitan Opera House Company, who, although they are retained merely for cases of emergency, are nevertheless guaranteed a certain amount of pay. Thus, supposing that their price per performance is $500 they each get, say, $5,000 for the season, even if they do not sing at all.

Some wag at the opera house has invented a most appropriate name for the salaries paid out to these silent song birds.

He calls it "hush money."—New York Times.

Echo of Real Value.

Emerson Hough, the author of several popular novels, is very fond of outdoor life. It takes a good man to beat him when it comes to telling a story around the camp fire at night. While camping out in the Adirondacks with a party of his friends, the conversation turned on echoes and how plainly they could be heard. Echoes were getting louder and louder, until silenced by the following statement by Mr. Hough: "Out in the Rocky mountains it takes eight hours to hear the echo of your voice. When I camp out there, and just before I pull the blankets around me for the night, I shout out: 'Time to get up!' and—do you believe it?—the echo wakes me next morning!"

Peas Bring Luck.

N. C. Burriss said large numbers of negroes came into his store this morning and bought peas, the ordinary table peas, and usually in small quantities. The large number of such peas excited his curiosity and he asked one of the negroes what it meant. He was told that the negroes believed that if they ate peas on the first day of the year they would have money all the rest of the year. Many negroes believe in it and all of them had peas for dinner.—Anderson Mail.

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J. W. BLYTHE DEAD

FAMOUS BURLINGTON ATTORNEY AND POLITICAL POWER.

WAS AWAY ON AN OUTING

Was Seized With Violent Pains and Doctor Summoned but of No Avail.

Burlington, Ia.—Joseph W. Blythe, general counsel of the Burlington route, died suddenly at a hunting lodge near Wapella, Louisa county, of heart failure. Mr. Blythe, H. S. Rand and Revenue Collector H. O. Weaples were preparing for a day's hunting when Blythe was taken suddenly ill and succumbed in a few minutes of heart trouble.

He was born in Mercer county, N. J., January 16, 1850, and graduated from Princeton college. He came to Burlington in 1874 and entered the law firm of ex-Congressman Thomas Hedge.

In 1876 he was appointed general counsel. He was the leader of the stand-pat division of the Iowa republicans.

He is survived by a widow and son, Hugh.

Long Political Life.

Joseph W. Blythe had been for thirty years a conspicuous figure in Iowa politics.

He was a son-in-law of the late Senator Gear and was virtually the political manager for the senator during his many campaigns. He was credited with being leader of the movement to repeal prohibition and had a large share in rebuking the republican party for its support of prohibition. Then he formed an organization along the lines of the Burlington in southern Iowa, which became famous as the strongest organization of the kind ever planned for Iowa and through it Mr. Blythe was for a long time virtual dictator of the policies of the state. Mr. Blythe met his first great defeat in the Cedar Rapids convention of 1901 and lost control of the state but in all matters he continued to be a powerful factor. He never held office. He was a delegate to several republican national conventions and at one time was elected the Iowa member of the national committee but declined. Five years ago he was urged by his Iowa friends to be the chairman of the national committee.

An Iowan Leaves Millions.

Spokane, Wash.—Mrs. Mary J. King, one of five heirs to an estate in Texas estimated to be worth more than $1,000,000, was located at Mukilteo, Wash., through a newspaper item. She will go to Galveston in a few days to present her claims. The woman is the wife of a crippled cobbler, who drove an express wagon until he lost his leg in a runaway. Mrs. King is a niece of John Edmonson, who left the estate to five relatives, Edmonson migrated to Texas from Iowa in 1849, making the trip by wagon. He died forty years ago, since which time the authorities have been searching for the heirs. Relatives in various parts of Iowa joined with the attorneys in an effort to locate the missing woman, but it was not until they got into communication with the authorities at Everet that any clue resulted.

Are Caught Getting In.

Port Huron, Mich.—Two Chinamen who were being smuggled into the United States were discovered in the tunnel yards, and will be taken to Detroit for an examination. Special Officer George Mann of the Grand Trunk, was walking through the yards and noticed that the seals of a box car had been tampered with. The car was opened and found to contain barrels of paint shipped from Buffalo, and secreted behind the barrels were the two celestrials.

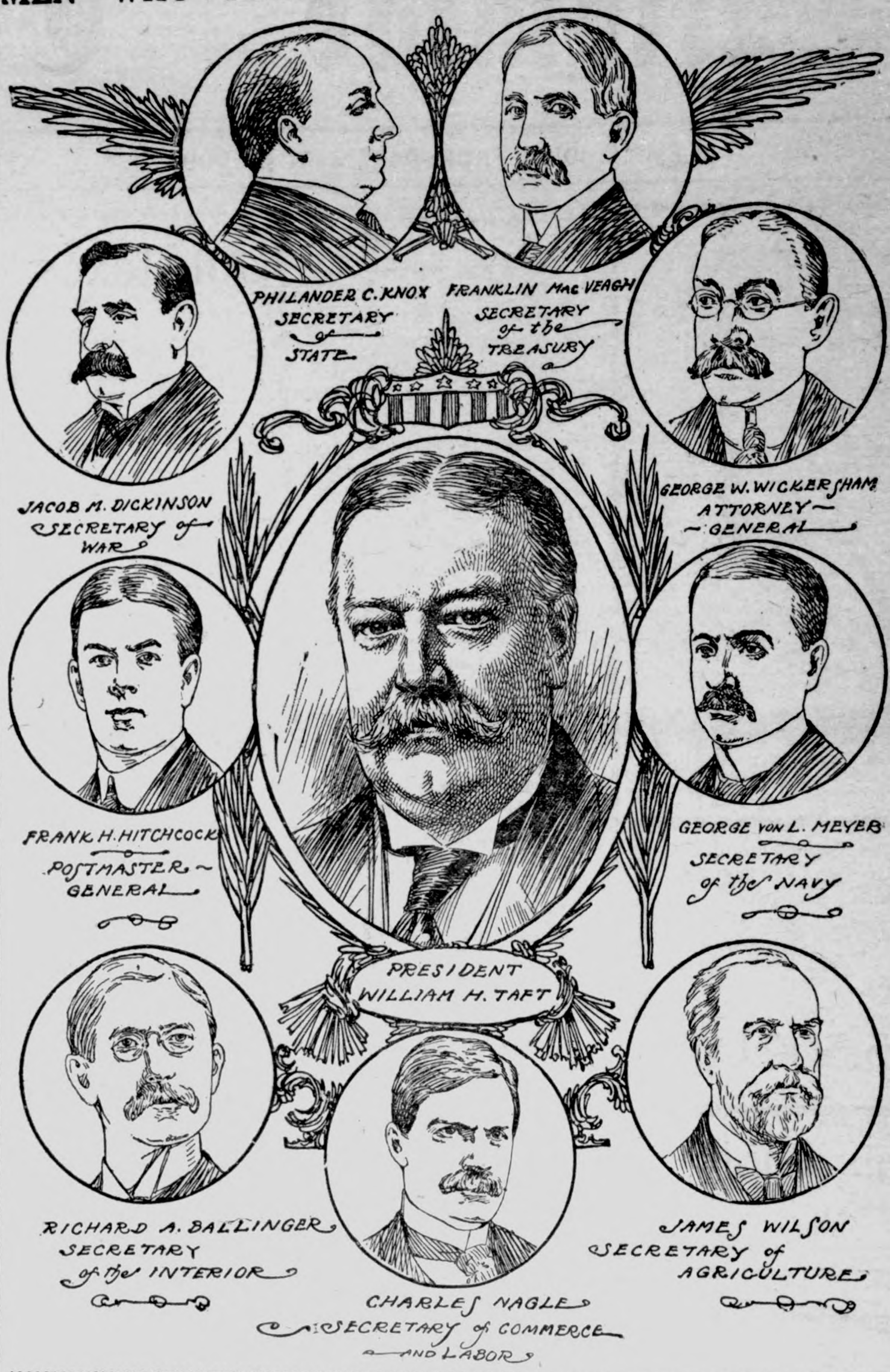
Negro Burned at Stake.

Rockwell, Tex.—After having been identified by Mrs. Arthur McKinney as the negro who attempted a criminal assault on her, Anderson Ellis was taken from the Rockwell county jail and fastened to an iron stake driven into the earth and burned to death in the presence of about a thousand persons. Earlier in the evening, Will Clarke, a negro, was shot and killed.

Boy Hunter Is Blamed.

Atchison, Kan.—That a 17-year-old country lad while hunting in the neighborhood accidentally fired the shot which killed Mrs. Jerome Hoover, and who was found dead under mysterious circumstances is the assertion of the authorities. Carl Hale, the boy, was taken into custody.

MEN WHO FORM PRESIDENT TAFT'S CABINET



President Taft's cabinet of nine men is headed by Philander Chase Knox, secretary of state, who was born in 1853 at Brownsville, Pa. He graduated from Mount Union college, Ohio, in 1872, and three years later was admitted to the bar. During the years 1876 and 1877 he served as assistant United States district attorney for the western district of Pennsylvania. In the latter year he formed a law partnership with James H. Reed which still exists and which has represented many large corporations, including the Carnegie Company. Mr. Knox entered President McKinley's cabinet as attorney general in April, 1901, serving until 1904, when he was elected United States senator from Pensylvania. The latter position he resigned to become the head of President Taft's cabinet. He was a candidate for the presidential nomination in the Republican national convention of 1908. Mr. Knox is recognized as one of the foremost constitutional lawyers in the country.

MacVeagh for the Treasury.

Franklin MacVeagh, secretary of the treasury, was born on a farm in Chester county, Pennsylvania, graduated from Yale in 1862 and from Columbia Law school in 1864. He began the practice of law in New York city but ill-health forced him to abandon it and in 1865 he went to Chicago and engaged in the wholesale grocery business. In this and other commercial pursuits he has amassed a large fortune. Before entering the cabinet he disposed of his holdings in the big grocery firm and resigned as director of the Commercial National bank of Chicago. Mr. MacVeagh has always been interested in movements for the public welfare, locally and nationally.

Wilson Retains His Place.

Only one member of the Roosevelt cabinet retains his portfolio under Mr. Taft. That is James Wilson of Iowa, secretary of agriculture. So excellent had been his work in that position that there was no serious talk of making a change. Born in Scotland in 1835, Mr. Wilson came to the United States in 1852 and three years later settled in Iowa. In 1861 he engaged in farming in Tama county. He was a member of the Iowa assembly for three sessions and speaker of the house for one session, and also was a member of the Iowa state railway commission. In 1873 he was elected to congress, serving two terms, and was sent to the national legislature again for one term in 1883. He was regent of the State university of Iowa in 1870-74, and in 1890 was made director of the agricultural experiment station and professor of agriculture at the Iowa Agricultural college, Ames, Ia. In 1897 he became secretary of agriculture.

Dickinson Is War Secretary.

Jacob M. Dickinson of Tennessee and Chicago, the new secretary of war, was born in 1851 at Columbus, Miss. He graduated from the University of Nashville in 1872 and afterward studied law at Columbia college, at the University of Leipsiz and in Paris. He served several times by special commission on the supreme bench of Tennessee and was assistant attorney general of the United States in 1895-97.

Postmaster General Hitchcock.

The first cabinet officer selected by Mr. Taft after his election was Frank H. Hitchcock of Massachusetts, who gave up his place as first assistant postmaster general to manage successfully the Taft presidential campaign. He has been given the office of postmaster general in the new cabinet. Mr. Hitchcock was born at Amherst, O., in 1867, and graduated from Harvard in 1891 and from Columbia Law school in 1894. Since 1891 he has been a government official.

Nagel Has Commerce Portfolio.

Missouri has been rewarded for its switch to the Republican column by the appointment of Charles Nagel as secretary of commerce and labor. Mr. Nagel is a leading lawyer of St. Louis and the west. He was born in Texas in 1849, moved to St. Louis when a child and graduated from the St. Louis Law school in 1873. He has been senior member of the law firm of Nagel & Kirby, professor in the St. Louis Law school and a trustee of Washington university. In 1881-83 he was a member of the Missouri house of representatives, and in 1893-97 was president of the St. Louis city council. He is a member of the Republican national committee.

Navy Under Meyer's Charge.

President Taft's secretary of the navy, George Von L. Meyer of Massachusetts, has had wide experience as a business man, legislator, diplomat and cabinet officer. He was born in Boston in 1858 and graduated from Harvard in 1879. He then entered business and has been prominently conected with a number of financial and mercantile concerns. His career as a public official began in 1889, when he was elected to the Boston common council. He then served on the board of aldermen, and in 1892-96 he was a member of the Massachusetts isgislature, the last two years being speaker of the house. In 1900 Mr. Meyer was sent to Italy as American ambassador, and in 1905 was transferred to Russia. In January, 1907, President Roosevelt called him home to enter his cabinet as postmaster general.

Ballinger Secretary of Interior.

After about one year's service as commissioner of the general land office, Richard A. Ballinger of Seattle, Wash., has entered the cabinet as secretary of the interior. He is a native of Iowa, having been born in Boonesboro in 1858. After attending the University of Kansas and Washburn college at Topeka, he went to Williams college, graduating in 1884 and afterward studying law and removing to Washington. He was United States court commissioner in 1890-92 and later was judge of the supreme court in Jefferson county, Wash.

Attorney General Wickersham.

George W. Wickersham, who becomes President Taft's attorney general, has had the reputation of being one of the ablest lawyers in New York city. Born in Pittsburg in 1858, he studied civil engineering in Lehigh university and in 1880 graduated from the law school of the University of Pennsylvania. For two years he practiced law in Philadelphia. In 1884 he became associated with the law firm of Strong & Cadwallader, to which Henry W. Taft, brother of the president, belongs.

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. The young women met a Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented. Two men called. They proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett, one a friend of Elizabeth's father. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Fearing for the safety of some gems, Lady Edith left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his actions on board ship. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. At a supper, which was held on the rocks, Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party. Gabrielle witnessed a stormy scene between Lady Edith and Lord Wilfrid, jealousy being the cause. Mary Anne brought back Elizabeth's ring. Elise went sailing with Gordon Bennett. He tried to persuade her to return the jewels left in the girl's care by Lady Edith. At midnight Elise saw two men—one of them Gordon Bennett—attempting to force an entrance into their boathouse. She admitted to herself that she had nearly loved him and believed herself used as a tool. Mrs. Graham, sick, told Elise of her husband's love for another woman.

CHAPTER XIV.—Continued.

"Come," she repeated, and, like one hypnotized, I followed down the stairs and out upon the beach, where the water lapped sullenly, for the tide was low.

We walked along in silence, and I wrapped the shawl closely around me, for I was shivering with a chill within as much as without. When we reached our boathouse she paused on the little slip and stretched out her hands toward the water.

"And another voice is calling,
Oh, it cometh from the sea,
With an undertone of danger—
But, there's work for you and me."

She repeated the words almost [illegible]ly.

"[illegible] is the message she sent, the woman with yellow hair. I needed you, too, Harry, and I called you, but the voice from the sea was stronger, and I understand. Oh, my dear, I begin to understand!"

The stars were gone now, and a faint red line replaced the dull gray of the horizon. A gull flew close by us with a frightened whirring of white wings and an enterprising wave slapped sharply against the slip; for the tide was coming in now, and the ocean was rippling with little white-crested waves.

The east grew rosily pink, then glowed brightly golden as out of the water rose a scarlet ball that hung suspended a moment between heaven and earth, then smiled upon the world and flooded it with radiance.

"It is day," said Mrs. Graham, "and he is coming."

She pointed at a dark object rounding the end of the island, and as it drew nearer I recognized the government boat, with which we had now grown quite familiar.

"I am glad," she said, simply, "that he never knew I knew; he never liked to hurt me."

There were three men in the little boat, and I recognized two of them, Gordon Bennett and his friend Mr. Blake. I do not think I was surprised to see them there, for I had succumbed to a sort of numbness of intellect wherein nothing could astonish me. So I only walked to the edge of the wharf and looked the question my lips refused to utter.

"You!" said Mr. Bennett, slowly. "You!"

"Take her away," he whispered. "We are bringing him home. Take her away."

"Dead?"

His eyes answered, and I moistened my lips before I could articulate again.

"Drowned?" I hazarded, and he turned away, his face clouded with pain.

"Murdered," he muttered. "Knocked on the head like a beast. A coward's blow—from the back. We found him in the water. For God's sake, take her away!"

Cold and shaking with fright, I went to Mrs. Graham and tried to speak, but could only put my arm about her and draw her close to me.

"Come home with me," I managed to say, at last—"home to the cottage. We want you."

But she only stared at me with wide, tearless eyes.

CHAPTER XV.

I do not wish to speak about the week which followed. Even now I do not like to think about it, although its long days are indelibly photographed upon my mind, I can see Mrs. Graham walking around with her stony calmness, directing everything, and receiving all efforts at sympathy with the same impenetrable air of reserve and the same proud dignity which forbade pity and discouraged intimacy.

We realized also that we had known her only when exhausted nature had rebelled at the strain imposed upon it, when her vitality had little by little been sapped away and the long continued tension of her nerves was about to snap at this last turning of the screw.

So we were obliged to stand sorrowfully aloof and watch her prepare for her last journey with Harry Graham. We could only hope that after a while the bitterness of grief might pass away—that she might forget what she had already forgiven, and think of him only as the boy who had loved and married her. And this we hoped, knowing that God is merciful and time effaces much.

Once I found her gazing at the picture of her child.

"I am going home to him," she said; "he needs me. There is much he must be taught—self-denial, honesty, forbearance—all of life's lessons. He must learn them all. And he shall be a good man."

Only at the last, as she stood in the door closely veiled and ready for the long journey home, which she insisted upon undertaking alone, did she relax even a little. Then she drew me to her and kissed me,

"Some time," she said, "later on, I will write to you. And some time I will see you again. You were very, very good to me, and I thank you. Good-by."

Thus she passed out of our lives, and we settled down again, a little graver, perhaps, and a little less apt to treat every subject as a joke. Elizabeth said she did not love the ocean as much as formerly, while Gabrielle confessed she often went out of her way to avoid seeing the little house on the shore, now lonely and unoccupied. As for me, I often awoke with a start, thing I heard Mrs. Graham calling me, and half expecting to find her standing beside my bed, waiting for me to go out with her just as dawn was breaking.

It was then that our friendship for Lady Edith ripened into love. She was so sympathetic, so gentle, and so patient with the strange attitude assumed by poor Mrs. Graham. One could not but admire a woman whose every advance was frigidly repelled, yet made no comment and expressed no surprise, but quietly did all in her power to help a sister woman through the deep waters that engulfed her.

Her charity was extended to Mr. Graham also, and, while no explanation nor excuse seemed possible regarding him, she covered his past with a mantle of silence, in effect somewhat resembling the soft powdering of freshly fallen snow upon the mire of the streets.

"Let us not talk about him," she once said gently, when we were discussing the subject. "He is dead. Perhaps he was tempted beyond his strength—who knows?"

She spent much time with us at the cottage, and although the strain we all felt more or less was apparent in the pallor of her cheeks and the black circles about her eyes, her quiet cheerfulness never failed, and she was always ready to respond to any appeal for advice or assistance. We grew to depend greatly upon her, and felt as though we had known her always.

Not so Lord Wilfrid. A card left formally at Mrs. Graham's door was the only indication he gave of any knowledge of the deplorable event which had shaken our little community to its foundations, and not even his sister could induce him to do anything more.

"Hang it all!" he said roughly, one evening when she had urged upon him the necessity of at least offering to be of any assistance in his power, "why should I mix myself up in it? The man is dead, and, from all accounts, it seems a good riddance."

"But, Wilfrid, dear, remember we knew them before we met them here. It does not seem kind—"

She paused, for he interrupted, with a disagreeable laugh:

"We knew them—yes, so we did. Why should I forget it? I have done all I ever mean to do for him. And don't ask me to go near that house where he lies dead—his wife looks and looks at you with her big solemn eyes, reading your very soul. There are some things even you cannot make me do, and—"

"Wilfrid!"

He stopped abruptly, and with a muttered apology left the veranda. His sister sighed a little as she turned to Gabrielle, who sat next her.

"Poor Wilfrid!" she said. "Only see how nervous he is. He always had this strange aversion to death, and he did not like Mr. Graham—men know men. I fear he is not as strong as I thought, for this sad affair has completely unnerved him. Have you not noticed how badly he looks?"

It was indeed patent that he was far from well. He was sullen and irritable, his complexion had assumed a dull, pasty hue, and his eyes were shifty and troubled.

"I believe," remarked Elizabeth that night when we were alone, "that Lord Wilfrid takes some kind of a drug which gives him that queer greenish look."

"Poor Lady Edith!" I said. "I believe she has troubles of her own with him."

"And how bravely she hides them!" added Gabrielle, thoughtfully. "Well, it only goes to prove what I have said all along: Blood will tell."

But if Lord Wilfrid failed in the ordinary courtesies of humanity, Gordon Bennett did all and more than could have been expected of him, and I soon forgot his scarf-pin with the Sphinx's head, and also the fact that I had seen him trying to force an entrance into our boathouse, which extraordinary proceeding was still unexplained.

So the days passed, and we slowly resumed our ordinary routine, recovering from the shock with the elasticity of youth and health, and quite willing to put the dreadful episode away from us.

There was a ball at the hotel one night, and we all went, glad of the diversion afforded by the lights and music, and pleasantly conscious that our gowns were all that could be desired.

Gordon Bennett and Mr. Blake, as well as many other cottagers, sailed over to participate, and as the floor was good, the music excellent, and men plentiful, we enjoyed ourselves very much indeed.

Mr. Blake danced once with me, but I noticed that his eyes continually followed Lady Edith's graceful figure, again attired in the black gown which afforded such an effective background for her golden hair and white shoulders.

"Is she not lovely?" I inquired, as my glance followed his.

"She is wonderful," he said, almost beneath his breath—"wonderful."

After supper, as I stood for a moment alone by the open door, Lady Edith touched me on the shoulder and beckoned me to join her on the veranda. Her face was very grave, and I observed that her hand was cold and shook a little as she drew me to a chair.

"Elise," she said; "I am going to pain you."

I looked at her in silence, wondering greatly, but she seemed to find it difficult to continue.

"Have you ever thought," she said at last, "that there is anything strange about Mr. Bennett?"

"Strange?" I repeated. "Strange?"

"Not quite right, I mean. What men call straight. Have you ever seen him do anything which seemed to require an explanation? Have you ever asked him a question he could not answer?"

I stared blankly at her ,and she resumed slowly:

"You make it very hard for me, yet I must tell you. The man is not suitable for you to know; I warned you once before, but was not certain, so dared not say too much. Wilfrid says (men hear these things) that he is the man the police are after—the sumggler. And worse still, that he is the thief who took Mrs. Bundy's emeralds."

"Are you sure?" I hardly recognized my own voice.

"Quite sure. Every one will know soon, for his arrest is a matter of but a few days. He is a dangerous character, and has been trying to force an entrance to your boathouse with his confederate, this man Blake."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

NEWSPAPERS IN THE ARCTIC.

Two In That Region That Issue But Once a Year.

There exist at present several journals that make their appearance only once year. They are published within the confines of the north polar circle. The Eskimo Bulletin, for example, is edited near Cape Prince of Wales, on Behring strait. Here, in a village inhabited by Eskimos, the British missionaries have established a school, and, as only one steamer lands at this place, and that only once a year, the news it brings is consigned to a sheet of paper printed with the hectograph. Its size is 8 by 12 inches. The paper is very thick, and only one surface is used. This Eskimo Bulletin in a subhead claims to be the "only yearly paper." This, however, is an error, for there is an annual sheet published in Godthaab, Greenland, where a small printing office was established in 1862, whence news sheets and lithographic prints have been issued. The journal in question is entitled "Atnagagdlinit, nalinginarmik tusaruminasassumik"—that is, "Something for reading; accounas of all sorts of entertaining subjects." The language is that of Greenland, a dialect of the Eskimo. There is still another periodical published in Greenland under the name of Kaladlit.

Bird Slaughter.

Of those living gems, the humming birds of America, 11,443 were put up at one of the regular auction sales in London not long ago.—London Spectator.

RATHER PAY THAN SERVE.

Citizen Soldier's Unique Idea of the Duties of a Sentry.

Australians still tell stories of the C. L. V.'s, although the war is a far memory. One, a member of the Stock Exchange, was left one wet and miserable night to guard a wagonload of goods.

He shivered in the unsheltered place for some hours pondering many things, and then a bright thought struck him just as the colonel came around on his tour of inspection.

"Colonel," he asked, "how much is this wagon worth?"

"I don't know," was the answer. "Much or little, we can't afford to lose it."

"Well, but colonel," persisted the amateur soldier, "you might give me a rough idea of the value."

"About £200," said the Colonel testily.

"Very well," was the answer. "I will come down to the camp and give you a check for the amount. Then I'll turn in. I wouldn't catch my death of cold for twice that much."

What the colonel said is not recorded.—Melbourne Times.

BABY HORRIBLY BURNED

By Boiling Grease—Skin All Came Off One Side of Face and Head—Thought Her Disfigured for Life.

Used Cuticura: No Scar Left.

"My baby was sitting beside the fender and we were preparing the breakfast when the frying-pan full of boiling grease was upset and it went all over one side of her face and head. Some one wiped the scald with a towel, pulling the entire skin off. We took her to a doctor. He tended her a week and gave me some stuff to put on. But it all festered and I thought the baby was disfigured for life. I used about three boxes of Cuticura Ointment and it was wonderful how it healed. In about five weeks it was better and there wasn't a mark to tell where the scald had been. Her skin is just like velvet. Mrs. Hare, 1, Henry St., South Shields, Durham, England, March 22, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

Different Destinations.

"Mollie," he said, "I believe that if you were in heaven you would ask the angels if your hat was on straight."

"Yes," was the reply. "Just about the time you'd be asking Satan to put a little more brimstone in the 'Hot Scotch!'"

Breaking Up Colds.

A cold may be stopped at the start by a couple of Lane's Pleasant Tablets. Even in cases where a cold has seemed to gain so strong a hold that nothing could break it, these tablets have done it in an hour or two. All druggists and dealers sell them at 25 cents a box. If you cannot get them send to the proprietor, Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y. Sample free.

No man pretends that his soul finds its supreme satisfaction in self-sacrifice; such an affectation would stamp him as a coward and a weakling. Women who yearn for self-sacrifice are merely underworked.

Brooklyn, N. Y.

Address the Garfield Tea Co. as above when writing for free samples of Garfield Tea, the true remedy for constipation.

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"Did you find the course profitable?"

"Rather; tutored six men in it."—Lampoon.

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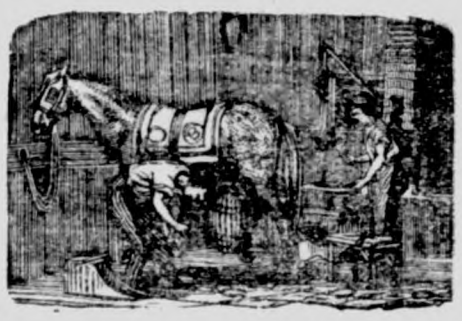

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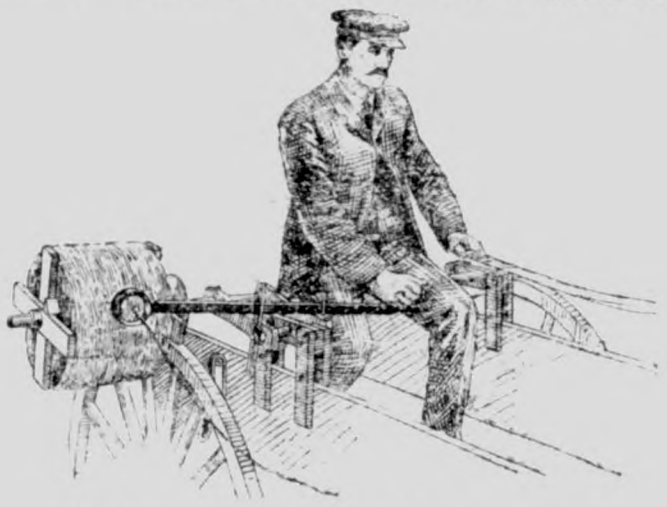

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How about it? Hadn't you better hang that wall paper now before Spring work begins? The kitchen needs it for sure and maybe some the other rooms to.

Our own patent device

For showing wall paper is now filled with the new colors and designs for 1909. It's so handy, we can show you 75 kinds of wall paper in minutes.

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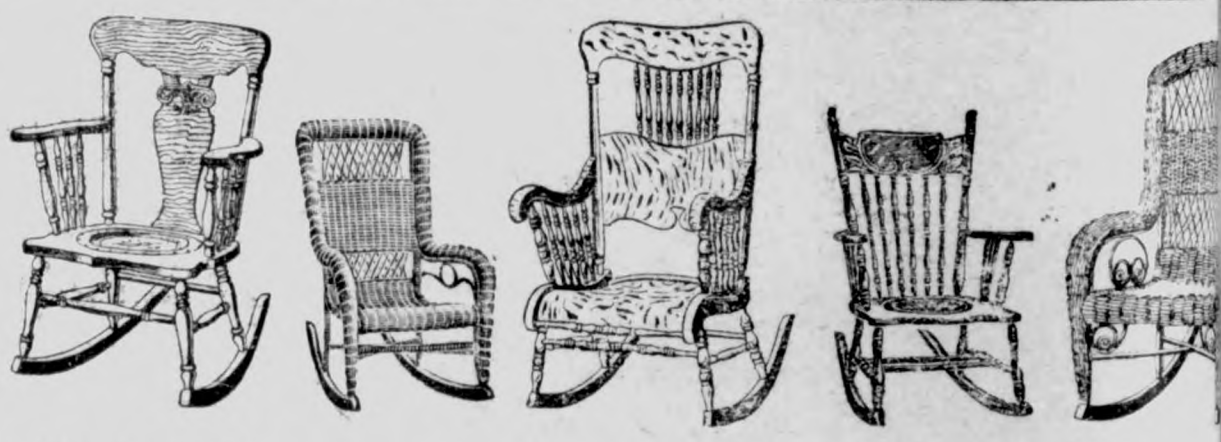

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LOCAL NEWS

Read the First National Bank ad.

Linoleum 4 yds. wide at Welle meyer's.

H. Schroeder arrived from Chicago this Thursday.

Col. J. A Young drove down from Garner Thursday.

Supper at Kirkwood's restaurant on Friday evening.

Joe Johnson shipped cattle and hogs to Chicago on Sunday morning.

After the dance on Friday evening take your supper at the Kirkwood restaurant.

FOR SALE—On team for sale. 6 years old. weight 2500. Enquire of J. T. Griggs, Goodell. Iowa.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

If you'd be dubbed a handsome girl
And win a handsome Knight,
The secret here I do impart,
Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night
G A Pabst & Co.

Jacob Bock and family moved to Vicking, Red Lake Co., Minn. this week Wednesday where they will make their home on his farm. The Times wishes them prosperity in their new location

The new "Wonder Lamp" incandescent 100 candle power, cannot explode, 6 hours for 1c. Burns common kerosene. THE lamp for churches, schools, halls and homes. Write or see J. D. G. Houghton, Agent, Goodell, Iowa or Klemme. 31-3

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

During the last two years there has been an unusual demand upon us for help in the improving the oat crop of the state. For the purpose of developing greater interest for better oats the C. R. I. & P. R'y has consented to co-operate with the College running an Oat Special Train which will stop at Klemme on March 17th at 10:35 a. m. for a 30 minute lecture. All farmers especially should attend.

Linoleum 2 yds wide at Wellemeyer's.

Fred Musfeld is a new Times subscriber.

J. F. Hartfelder was at Garner Monday.

Mrs. Muehlmeier and daughter were Garner visitors Monday.

The Schlichting brothers returned from their Texas visit on Wednesday.

Miss Hulda Johnson left this Thursday for Mason City for a visit with her sister.

Mr. J. Baumgaertner of Garner, visited over Sunday with his son J E and family.

H. A. Sweigard of Garner, visited with his old time friends in Klemme and vicinity over Sunday.

Bloom keeps all kinds of good seed oats, barley, buckwheet, clover, timothy, rape and milet. Yours for business at the South Elevator. tf

A spring tonic that makes rich, red blood. Brings strength, health and happiness to the whole family. Nothing equals Hollister's rocky mountain tea as a spring regulator. 36c. G A Pabst & Co.

Mrs. Otto Wellmer and babie, Mrs. Fred Wellner and children of Sanborn, Minn. visited their brother Wm. Prull and family the first of the week in Germantown.

At the school election on Monday the following were elected on the school board: J. W Waterman and J. Terhufen for full term and Wm. Fuller to fill vacancy.

Wallace Pavey, J. W. Scott's best man in the blacksmith shop, has been laid up the past week. A piece of steel penetrated his eye which has been very painful to him. Dr. Zinn assisted him and he is now getting along nicely. Better wear specks hereafter Wallace.

Sunday evening several inches of snow fell and Monday everybody was busy shoveling snow, Tuesday and Tuesday night we again had snow and an old time blizzard which blockaded all the road and our business places were banked up with snow drifts close to 12 inches of snow fell.

KILLS WOULD BE SLAYER.

A merciless murderer is appendicitis with many victims. But Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendicitis, curing constipation, biliousness, chills, malaria, headache and indigestion. 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

The program and basket social at the Klemme Opera House on Friday evening of last week was largely attended. A nice program was rendered and the baskets sold brought a good price which was for the benefit of the Opera House Co. Auctioneers Wm. Lau and E. G. Ell were there with the goods. in fact one would take them to be old timers at the business.

IT SAVED HIS LEG.

All though I'd lose my leg writes J. A. Swenson. Watertown Wis., Ten years of eczema that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well." Infallible for skin eruptions, eczema, salt rheum. boils, fever sores, burns, scalds, cuts and piles. 25c at. G. A. Pabst & Co.

Wall paper at Wellemeyer's.

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Dance at Opera House Friday night Mar 12th.

Remember the dance at Opera House. Friday night Mar. 12th.

Grant Henderson and family moved to Alta, Iowa where they will make their home.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
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WANTED—Dress making done at my residenc. Rates reasonable and work guaranteed. Call at my residence. Mrs. Langmann.

Don't wait until your blood is impoverished and you are sick and ailing but take Hollister's rocky mountain tea now. It will positively drive out all winter impurities. 35c, tea or tablets. G. A. Pabst & Co.

Wooley and Bally are the first ones from this town who bagged ducks this spring. We ourselves havn't seen these ducks but have their word for it. They usually tell the truth.

Farmers moving from farm to farm and town people moving from house to house has been the program this month. We ourselves had the pleasure of moving last week Saturday.

On Monday evening Mar. 8th a pleasant surprise was made at the residence of F. Gruetzmacher and family. The families who attended were: Carl Busch and family. J. Terhufen and family, Wes. Haefner and family and E. H. Lenz and family. A pleasant evening was spent.

THE LURID GLOW OF DOOM

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H M Adams of Henriette. Pa. His awful plight from eczeme had for five years defied al remedies and baffled the best doctors who aaid the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. But. writs his mother, seven bottlei of electric bitters completely cured him. For eruptios, eczema, salt rheum, sores and all blood eisord eas and rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c. Guaranteed by G A Pabst & Co.

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

J Jordan, Jefferson, Okla.
Albert Bock, Plymouth, Wis.
J Schwichtenberg, Goodell
Fred Knoke, Garner
Jacob Bock, Klemme
A. J. Schoenwetter, Garner

A SURPRISE.

On Tuesday evening Mar. 2nd eight families. neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Ahrenkiel, droped in on them a farewell surprise as they soon intend to move to their new home southeast of Klemme. At the midnight hour a fine supper was served. The ladies bringing well filled baskets. In a few words one of the gentlemen in behalf of those present presented Mr. and Mrs. Ahrenkiel with a beautiful rug which will undoubtedly remind them of their many friends they made in the six years that they lived in our midst.

AN IDEAL COUGH MEDICINE.

As an ideal cough medicine I regard Chamberlain's cough remedy in a class by itself, says Dr. R A Wiltshire of Gwynneville, Ind. I take great pleasure in testifying to the results of Chamberlain's cough medicine. In fact I know of no other preparation that meets so fully the expectations of the most exacting in cases of croup and coughs of children. As it contains no opium, chloroform or morphine it certainly makes a most safe pleasant and efficacious remedy for the ills it is intended. For sale by G. A. Pabst & Co.

German M. E. Church Items

Mrs. W. H. Miller of Burt, a sister of ye scribe, visited at the parsonage one day last week.

J. Griewe and Leonard Sampson each drew several loads of sawdust from Garner for the meat market.

Alvina Gethman and Bettie Bruene of Gladbrook, stoped off with Mrs. Wesselon their return trip from the convention.

Rev. Koerner and three of his delegates visited a number of families in Germantown and in Klemme on their homeward trip from the convention.

Herbert Stille returned from Kirksville, Mo. last week and is looking fine. He has nothing but words of praise for the infirmery and well he may.

Joe Woeste and Roy Timmons of Colesburg, spent Sunday with Wm. Kraus and family. The boys are attending college in Charles City. They also called on Wm. Sampson and family.

Rev. J. L. Panzlau of LaCrosse Wis. spent a week in Klemme and Germantown working in the interest of the Charles City College endowment fund. Some of our people responded with a liberal contribution.

The Klemme Womans Missionary Society will hold their monthly meeting Thursday afternoon at Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher and the 'Standard Bearers" on Eriday evening with Clara and Anna Griewe.

The district Sunday school and Epworth League convention held in Garner last week was favored with fine weather and the attendance was large. A number of good papers were read by different Sunday school workers, holding forth high ideas and urging on to more aggressive work. A steady advance in all lines of work is noticable and the importance of this work among the young is arresting the attention of parents and teachers more and more. Those who attended as delegates from Klemme and Germantown are: Wm. Bredlow, August Wenz, E. C. Beier, Erick Josten, G. Schoenwetter, Ella Schlei, Ida Schwichtenberg, Will Riemer, Mrs. Wessel and the writer. A goodly number were no delegates among them were Etna Suckow, Hulda and Esther Gruetzmacher. H. Griewe, Mr. and Mrs. Riemer, Wm. Kraus and wife, C. Bredlow and wife, Emil and Leonard Sampson, Mrs. Ludeke and daughters and son Elmer, Geo. Gruetzmachers and others. The address of Rev. Barber at the temperance mass meeting as well as in the convention, created much enthusiasm for temperance and law enforcement.

Citizens Caucus.

At the Citizens Caucus held on Monday, Mar. 8th the following were placed in nomination for the various offices to be filled:

For Mayor, F. Gruetzmacher.
For Clerk, A. G. Koerner.
For Assessor, A. C. Gibbs.
For Treasurer, F. H. Ridder.
For Councilmen for two years, J. H. Terhufen and H. C. Lau.
For Councilmen for one year to fill vacancy, F. Blank and G. W. Kinckhohn.

Remember the Gypsy Moth.

A Philadelphia scientist has discovered a new kind of flea, described as having no eyes and six teeth. Provided the society with the long name did not object, it might be suggested to the scientist, as in line with public policy, that he pull the flea's teeth before letting it go again.

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THE AMERICAN WOOLEN MILLS Co., Chicago, Illinois.
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¶ Mr. McNeil is no exception. Profits of from $300 to $1,000 an acre are of common occurrence in the Gulf Coast Country.

¶ Are you doing as well? Why shouldn't you? Raising fruit and vegetables in the Gulf Coast Country is simple—anyone can do it. A few acres will be all you need. You can buy it on easy terms and the first crop, if properly cared for, should more than pay for the land.

¶ The Gulf Coast Country is a delightful place in which to live. Mild, sunny winters; gulf-breeze-cooled summers.

¶ Investigate this proposition while the land is within your reach—next year it will cost more.

¶ On excursion days tourist sleepers run through from Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul, St. Louis and Kansas City to Brownsville, Tex.

Let me send you some further information about the big profits growers are making in the Gulf Coast Country. We have prepared this in attractive, printed form. Write for a free copy to-day.

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Backache, Pains in the Kidneys, Bloating, Etc., Overcome.

A nurse is expected to know what to do for common ailments, and women who suffer backache, constant languor, and other common symptoms of kidney complaint, should be grateful to Mrs. Minnie Turner, of E. B. St., Anadarko, Okla., for pointing out the way to find quick relief. Mrs. Turner used Doan's Kidney Pills for a run-down condition, backache, pains in the sides and kidneys, bloated limbs, etc. "The way they have built me up is simply marvelous," says Mrs. Turner, who is a nurse. "My health improved rapidly. Five boxes did so much for me I am telling everybody about it."

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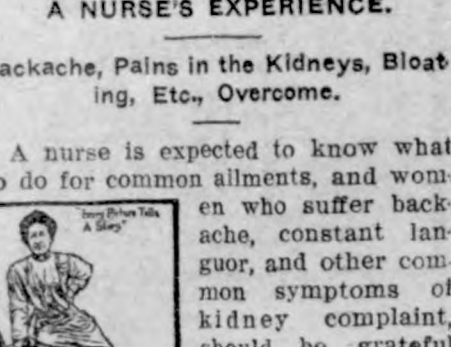

Wifie—I'll make you sorry you ever quarreled with me!

Hubby—What will you do? Go home to your mother, I suppose?

Wifie—No; I'll bring mother here!

Thanks to the Burglar.

The dark lantern flashed through the flat. Then came the gleam of a revolver.

"Hands up!" hissed the head of the family. "You're a burglar."

"Y-yes," gasped the intruder, as he faced the cold steel.

"What have you stolen?"

"Your wife's pug dog."

"H'm. Er—if that's all you may sneak out quietly."

"And your motherin-law's parrot."

"You don't say. Well, here is some loose change."

"And your daughter's phonograph."

"Good! Here's some more loose change."

"Also your son's punching bag."

"What! Great Scot, man, come out to the library and I'll open a special bottle."—Tit-Bits.

Might Look for Recovery.

The following was told of the patient of a well-known New York physician:

The patient, an elderly gentleman, became quite ill while the doctor was absent upon a vacation, the indisposition being the result of too frequent potations. A female nurse was at once engaged to care for him in his hotel.

A lady, residing in the same hotel, became aware of his illness, and interested herself to the extent of one morning inquiring concerning his condition of the chambermaid.

"Shure, ma'am," replied Maggie, "an' I think he do be getting along very well. The nurse was sittin' on his lap this mornin'!"

CONGENIAL WORK
And Strength to Perform It.

A person in good health is likely to have a genial disposition, ambition, and enjoy work.

On the other hand, if the digestive organs have been upset by wrong food, work becomes drudgery.

"Until recently," writes a Washington girl, "I was a railroad stenographer, which means full work every day.

"Like many other girls alone in a large city, I lived at a boarding house. For breakfast it was mush, greasy meat, soggy cakes, black coffee, etc.

"After a few months of this diet I used to feel sleepy and heavy in the mornings. My work seemed a terrible effort, and I thought the work was to blame—too arduous.

"At home I had heard my father speak of a young fellow who went long distances in the cold on Grape-Nuts and cream and nothing more for breakfast.

"I concluded if it would tide him over a morning's heavy work, it might help me, so on my way home one night I bought a package and next morning I had Grape-Nuts and milk for breakfast.

"I stuck to Grape-Nuts, and in less than two weeks I noticed improvement. I can't just tell how well I felt, but I remember I used to walk the 12 blocks to business and knew how good it was simply to live.

"As to my work—well, did you ever feel the delight of having congenial work and the strength to perform it? That's how I felt. I truly believe there's life and vigor in every grain of Grape-Nuts."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

JAMIESON IS OUT

HEPBURN'S SUCCESSOR GIVES UP HIS STATE JOB.

CONTEST IS AT AN END

Page County Man's Action Indicates That Hepburn Gives Up.

Des Moines.—Senator William D. Jamieson of Page county has tendered his resignation as state senator to take effect at once.

Some days ago he was in doubt about resigning now, as prominent persons in his district did not desire that the state should be put to the expense of a special election to choose a senator who could at best only sit in the senate about a week.

After consultation with leaders of both parties in his district and with the attorney-general, Senator Jamieson decided he would resign now, having reasonable assurance no special election would be called.

The senator's associates in the general assembly arranged for him a few bouquets, and incidentally permitted him to call up and have passed his bill, senate file 238, to authorize the railroad commission to give permission to railroads to make the short haul rate on competitive business. The Page senator spoke effectively on the bill and only one vote was recorded against it. He then clinched it with a motion to reconsider, which went to the table.

Senator Jamieson will go to Washington in about ten days to take his seat in congress at the opening of the special session to revise the tariff.

Richard B. Barrett Dies.

Richard B. Barrett, ex-state superintendent of public instruction, died at Methodist hospital, in Des Moines, from complications resulting from mastoid operations. Since the end of his term as state superintendent, Mr. Barrett completed the law course at Drake university, receiving his degree with the class of 1904, and going immediately to Ames, where he took the position of teacher of civics in the college, combining this with considerable work as a lecturer throughout the state.

He was brought to Des Moines some time ago for an operation, but his condition had advanced so far that the physicians gave little hope of his recovery, and a second operation took place, after which he sank rapidly.

Mr. Barrett was 48 years of age. He leaves a wife and several children. The body was taken to Ames where burial will take place.

State House Bill in Good Shape.

Representative John Sullivan of Polk county believes that the prospects for obtaining an appropriation for enlarged and improved state house grounds are brighter than they ever have been and that something will be done along this line before the legislature adjourns.

"The need of more room for the capitol and for larger and more commodious grounds is apparent to every member of the legislature," said Mr. Sullivan. "I find a sentiment in favor of this improvement not only among state house employes who realize how things are crowded, but amongst those legislators who live in the rural districts of the state. I am certain that the appropriations committee will set aside a sum sufficient to start the work of enlargement and improvement."

Put Plumbers Under the Medics.

State licenses for plumbers issued under the direction of doctors is the newest use for the secretary of the state board of health. Senator Clarkson introduced a bill in the senate providing for semi-annual examinations by a board composed of the secretary of the state board of health, the state chemist, two plumbers and a civil engineer, upon which licenses may be issued to plumbers. If the bill passes, good morals, sobriety, knowledge of hydraulices, gas fitting, ventilation, drainage and sanitation, will all enter into the fitness of a plumber and when you see a real, live licensed plumber you may know that he is about as fine as a college graduate, travel-trimmed and society polished, can be. Four years' experience and a good grade in the quizzes are the two requirements.

Farmers' Institutes to Get Cash.

The Arney bill to encourage farmers' institutes with $75 each if a proper showing was made was passed, as was also the Reaney bill providing for increased state aid to county fairs.

Mail Carriers to Ride.

John Sullivan's bill permitting mail carriers to ride on passes on street cars was also passed without serious opposition.

Board Asks Bids.

Bids on clothing and other supplies that will reach into many thousands of dollars are asked by the state board of control, which is completing its estimates of what the various state institutions need. The supplies asked are as various almost as the sands of the seashore. For instance, the estimate for the Anamosa reformatory ranges from 30,000 pounds of fresh beef, 12,000 pounds of pork, to twelve corsets for women and two pairs of baby shoes for a youngster who was born in the woman's department of the reformatory a few weeks ago. Iowa firms are always given the preference in letting contracts. The board spends about 40 percent of the appropriation given it for employes who resided in Iowa. All the coal comes from Iowa and whenever it is possible, Iowa bidders are favored. The estimates as computed are as follows: Anamosa, $14,214; Fort Madison, $17,310; Glenwood home for feeble minded, $28,849; Eldora industrial school, $15,700; Davenport orphans' home, $12,707; Council Bluffs school for deaf, $7,553; Clarinda hospital, $27,736; Cherokee hospital, $22,099; Oakdale sanitarium, $11,043; Knoxville inebriates' hospital, $7,785; Independence hospital, $39,774; Marshalltown soldiers' home, $33,208; Mitchellville, $8,878; Mount Pleasant hospital, $34,712; Vinton college for blind, $4,219. There will be other supplementary estimates which will increase the totals considerably.

Premiums for State Fair.

Premium totals to be paid out for all classes of exhibits at the big fair next fall, as announced by Secretary Simpson, reach a grand total of $56,672, or about $18,000 more than was paid out last fall. For races $15,500 in purses will be put up. Much of the additional money will be given for work in the important new departments of poultry, work of children, educational exhibit of farm crops and as prizes for stock judging and cooking by young men and women. These last will be paid with a scholarship at the state college at Ames. The total premiums for each class follow: Horses, $8,264; cattle, $12,192; swine, $3,323; sheep, $2,268; poultry, $1,832; agriculture, $2,973.50; pantry and kitchen, $568; apiary, $205; dairy products, $657; horticulture, $967; floriculture, $826; fine arts, $1,806; work of children, $1,290; Iowa state college scholarships, $1,000; educational exhibit of farm crops, $2,000; exhibits of products of agricultural college, $1,000; seed department, $15,500.

Does Good Work.

The majority of the graduates of the Knoxville inebriate hospital leave that institution cured of the drink habit, so reports to the state board of control indicate. Superintendent Miner reports on 65 cases of Knoxville graduates. Of the 365 cases, 38 have never returned to the drink habit; 54 have been greatly improved since they were released; 29 are drinking again, but not so bad as before they took the treatment; 30 began drinking as soon as they were released, and 8 are drinking worse than ever. Reduced to percentages, the figures show that 65 per cent of the inmates were cured; 18 per cent were benefitted; 9 per cent were drinking again but not badly; 9 per cent resumed liquor as soon as they could get it, and 2 per cent are drinking worse than ever.

Will Be Investigated.

Representative Brandes' movement now under way for an inevstigation of the charges of cruelty to patients in state hospitals for insane has resulted in a sentiment among some members of the general assembly that an investigation of affairs at the Fort Madison state penitentary should be taken up also before the adjournment of this session. Warden Sanders has expressed himself as welcoming a legislative investigation, and in view of this a resolution introduced might not be opposed.

Charges with reference to the conduct at the penitentiary are the opposite of those being investigated relative to the hospitals for insane. Instead of cruelty being alleged, leniency is said to prevail in too great an extent in treatment of criminals who have given much trouble to officers in the process of landing them behind the bars.

The committee investigating the hospitals for insane consists solely of members of the house of representatives, and whether the sentiment with reference to the penitentiary will take definite form in the same branch or will break out in the senate, which has no investigating committee, will not be determined until the members reconvene.

Polk Farmers Need Help.

Polk county farmers are among those who are urging State Labor Commissioner E. D. Brigham to put them in touch with men who are looking for farm jobs. One farmer from Mitchellville asked the state commissioner to send him two men if he could get them.

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right Starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

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"The artistic temperament. Who did her sister marry?"

"A coal heaver, and he loves her devotedly and never gives her a cross word."

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A Mad Rush.

Mexican—Big earthquake to-day.

American Tourist—Was there one? I didn't notice it.

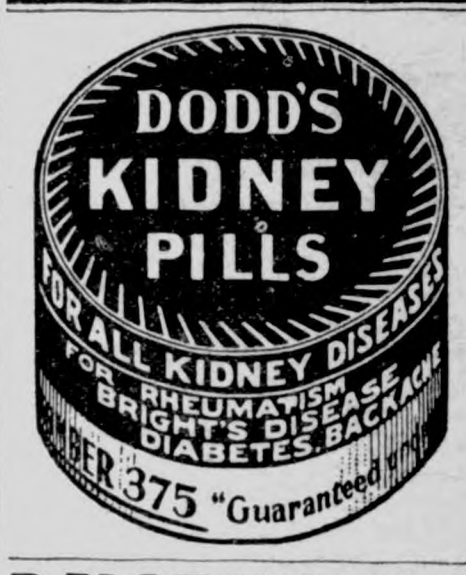
Mexican—Not you see zee people rush out from churches?

Tourist—Oh, yes, I saw that; but I thought maybe the contribution box was going 'round.—New York Weekly.

His Trouble.

Friend—Don't worry because your sweetheart has turned you down since you lost your money. There are as good fish in the sea as ever were caught.

Jilted One—Yes, but I've lost my bait.—Harper's Bazar.



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THROWN IN RIVER

CHOPPED UP BODY IN RIVER AT OTTUMWA.

LETTERS SHOW HER IDENTITY

Ross Disappeared Month Ago, and His Money Orders Were Found On Body.

Ottumwa.—Every evidence points to the belief that the floater found in the river here is the body of Peter Ross, an Italian formerly employed at Des Moines.

Indications unearthed by the police in their investigation of the crime are that Ross was murdered in Des Moines and his body floated down the river to Ottumwa.

It was first thought that the body was that of Fred Loerche, a brick mason, held up and robbed some days ago by three men. Later investigation by the coroner developed the fact that it was not Loerche but Ross.

Letters to Ross.

In his pockets were letters addressed to Peter Ross at Des Moines. A money order cashed at Des Moines postoffice shows that he sent money from here to his people in Italy.

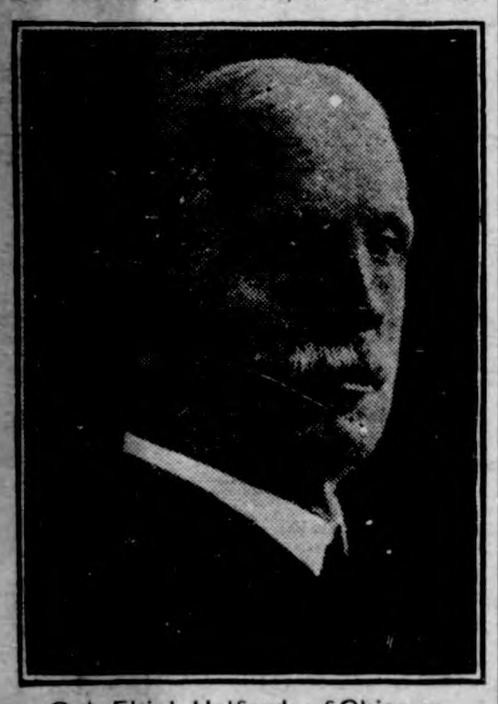
Receipts in his pockets show that he had at one time been in the employ of the Johns Coal company at Fort Des Moines. Communication with this firm developed the fact that Ross was formerly a workman there, but had not been at the mine since a month ago. No one knew his present whereabouts. It was said that Ross collected his money as usual on pay day but failed to show up for work on the following Monday morning.

Brutal Killing.

The murder is one of the most brutal committed in years. The head was nearly several by a razor, cut from one ear to the back of the head. The skull had been then split open with an ax. On different parts of the body numerous knife wounds were found, making his corpse a sieve. In addition to this several holes were found above his heart which the coroner believes were made by revolver shots.

Noted Editor Will Speak.

Des Moines.—Col. Elijah Halford of Chicago the noted editor is one of the speakers at the Iowa Conference of the Laymens Missionary Movement in Des Moines, March 23, 24 and 25. Col.



Col. Elijah Halford, of Chicago.

Halford founded the Chicago Inter-Ocean. The conference is expected to be the biggest meeting for men ever held in the middle west. Governor B. A. Carroll will preside at the banquet on the opening night.

Negro Sings in Bastile.

Des Moines.—For the first time since his incarceration in the Polk county jail. John Junken, the Ottumwa murderer, Sunday joined in religious services, singing with the Salvation Army jail workers. Heretofore he has not taken the slightest interest in the efforts of the workers, but Sunday he with the other prisoners took an active part in all the ceremonies. He appeared unusually light-hearted and spent the day smoking cigarettes, reading the newspaper accounts of his indictment, and singing. He did not have anything to say regarding the true bill returned against him by the Ottumwa grand jurors. He was not surprised at the report that County Attorney Cornell would insist and plead with the jury for the life sentence for him. He expected that the prosecutor would ask and insist upon this. He is pleased over the report that he will not be taken to Ottumwa for arraignment until his trial in April. Despite the assurances of the officers that no lynching would take place if he were taken to Ottumwa at once, Junken feels safer the farther he is from the town where the murder of Clara Rosen was committed. He would rather stay in Des Moines than be taken to Fort Madison, he stated, however.

Woman Commits Suicide.

Valley Junction.—After having made careful preparations for the perpetuation of her memory after death, and the distribution of her estate equally among her heirs, Mrs. C. Hogewoning, living with her son at 556 Fifth street, went to her home about noon, and after taking the contents of a two ounce bottle of carbolic acid, fired two revolver shots into her body. One of them penetrated the left breast just above the heart, the other taking effect in the forehead beween the eyes, passing out behind the left ear.

The shots were heard by Mrs. Morrissey, a woman living next door, but no investigation was made until the son, Peter Hogewoning, an employe of the Rock Island shops returned home shortly before 7 o'clock in the evening. Receiving no response to his summons, he forced the rear door and found his mother cold in death on the floor before the kitchen stove. Medical aid was immediately summoned, but the woman had evidently been dead for some hours.

A number of deeds were found wrapped neatly in a package and placed in an extra coat belonging to the son. Two pocketbooks containing the money drawn from the bank were also found there. The house was searched thoroughly for a communication which would impart some motive, but without avail.

A number of proofs of photographs were received by the son yesterday from the Hodge studio on East Locust street. It is evident that careful preparations had been made by the woman for ending her life. She purchased the carbolic acid at the same time she arranged for the photographs. The revolver she used was one given her by her son as a Christmas present.

Main Artery Through Iowa.

Mason City.—A prominent Milwaukee railroad official who was in this city gave out the information that this division of the road would be in the highway between the Pacific coast and the east and that at no distant day through transcontinental trains would be put on. Engineers have been quietly making a survey, riding with the engineers and in other ways examing the track, and they have discovered that by building a few miles of lines between Jackson Junction and West Union, connecting with the Turkey river division, a route could be established from Seattle to Chicago sixty miles shorter than any other the road might select. It, too, was found that this route has eliminated all the heavy grades of the system in the northwest and has thus bested the Minneapolis or the Sioux route.

The points in this part of the country on the trunk line would then be Aberdeen and Mitchell, S. D., Mason City, Jackson, West Union, Dubuque to Chicago.

May Mean a Rope for Jones.

Muscatine.—Before a crowd that thronged the court room of Muscatine county building, the trial of Harry Jones, charged with the murder of the Van Winkle family of Fairport, which promises to be one of the most sensational cases ever tried in eastern Iowa. On account of the great interest taken in the case it is believed that it will be at least several days before a jury can be secured. A special venire of fifty has already been drawn and attorneys believe that several more will be exhausted before the jury box is filled. When Jones was taken from the jail to the court house at least a thousand surrounded the jail. Feeling is strong against Jones, and in order to protect the prisoner eight deputies have been chosen as bodyguard. During the progress of the trial they are placed about the court room to quell any disturbance.

Whirled to His Death.

Oelwein.—Byron Skeels, a 16-year-old boy, was caught in a belt in the Chicago, Great Western shops here and torn to pieces. While his horrible screams rang through the shops his arms and legs were torn from his body. Fellow workmen stood petrified with horror and unable to turn a hand for his aid. Life was extinct before the machinery could be stopped. The accident happened just before the night shift came on duty. Part of the boy's clothing caught on the shaft and the boy was whirled about it, his body whipping the floor at every turn. His mother is frantic with grief.

Aged Circuit Rider Dies.

Clarion.—Rev. John D. Sands, pastor emeritus of the Congregational church at Belmond and veteran home missionary is dead. He celebrated last month his ninety-fourth birthday. In the early days of this section he rode from place to place preaching and organizing churches. Seven Congregational churches in Wright county were planted by him. He was a very learned man, being a Hebrew scholar and able to preach in French as well as English. He was widely known and highly respected.

DURING THE SHOPPING.

Maude—Men are getting so deceitful, you can't trust your best friend.

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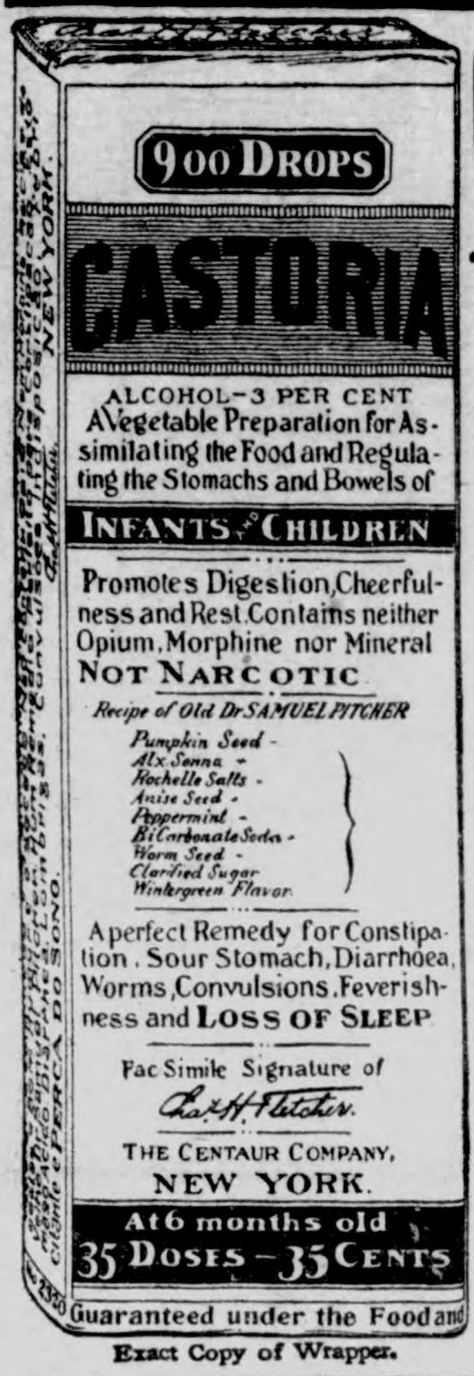

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"Ah, slipped on the ice, general?"

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O. D. Church has been having the lagrippe the last two weeks.

The heaviest snow for five years droped on this vicinity last week.

Henry Grosz was transacting business in Garner last Friday.

Perl Shaver of Rown, Iowa is visiting with her parents and friends of this vicinity.

C. M. Roath made a businness trip to the Center last week to doctor horses for L. G. Avery.

We are informed that J. T. Griggs and T. M. Hamilton butchered eight hogs one day last week.

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Tea Made of White Hair.

"This is white hair you are drinking," said the Chinese under secretary.

"White hair? Nonsense! It is delicious tea."

The under secretary laughed in his lilac brocade sleeve. "No, white hair," he insisted. "White hair, that is, in my language. For Pekoe means white hair. This tea is called Pekoe because its leaves were gathered so young that the downy hairs still grow [illegible]"

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A Life-Preserver.

The middle-aged, untrained woman suddenly left without means of support is one of the tragic facts of modern life. Every charitable agency knows and dreads her discouraged face. Every kind-hearted clergyman feels the burden of her story. Her relatives and friends grow weary of her, by virtue of their inability to help her. Each case presents its own pathetic difficulty, but the cases are so many that they cease to be recognized as individual, and the protest, "More useless women!" is made almost in the hearing of the crowd of applicants for "some respectable way of earning a living." Every mother of daughters is bound to do what she can to prevent her girls from joining this melancholy, straggling army of the unfit. Sending girls to college does not insure them against catastrophe 25 years after their graduation. The most effective protection is the ability to do well some manual work. There is a constant market for a high grade of manual work, reinforced by intelligence. The girl who is a skilled milliner, and who practices her art for her own amusement for 20 years, will be able to make a living from it, if she needs it at 40, says the Youth's Companion. Millinery, dressmaking, machine-stitching, typewriting, telegraphy, stenography, professional cooking, practical housekeeping for large establishments, fine laundering, designing, advertising, gardening, floriculture, upholstery—all these occupations and a thousand others may be taught our girls, and once learned they may prove veritable supports in time of need. When every girl, rich or poor, provides herself with some such trade as a sort of life-preserver, there will be fewer feminine casualties as the result of financial shipwrecks.

Some time ago the theory was started that the American people owe their indomitable spirit of enterprise to the ever changing atmospheric conditions of the United States, and since then many a tenderfoot has felt better, not to say happier, about his climatic discomforts. Willing we are to be bent and unbent by the rapid alternations of heat and cold, since this "tempering" improves the quality of the races on this soil. Storms and cyclones, bone-searching winds, hurricanes and gales, zero weather and tropic heat are all the same to a loyal American since he knows that weather makes him great. At least, Mr. Willis L. Moore, director of the weather bureau at Washington, says we should be grateful for, not cross at, all the varieties sweeping over this grand continent every day of life. Blessed be the invigorating fresh air!

For nine years Australia has been trying to choose a capital. Melbourne and Sydney, beautiful cities beautifully named, were both impossible, because the Commonwealth Act of 1900 provided that the capital should be in New South Wales, not less than 100 miles from Sydney. Whatever the merits of the places proposed, Dalgety, Tumut, and the place finally selected, Yass-Canberra, they all suffer from queer names. So there is a new problem before the Australian commonwealth, to choose for the capital a name which the world will take pleasure in saying and the poets will be able to sing. It is a fortunate thing for America that George Washington was not named Poggs or Snipkin.

It may interest the musical youth in this region to know that a mechanical piano has been introduced into York cottage for the benefit of the Prince of Wales' children, who like to grind out all the latest popular airs on the machine-played piano, but it does not prevent the children from being taught their notes on the real instrument and "practicing" so much every day. They also have a gramophone of large size, and both these inventions are a great source of delight to Princess Mary and her brothers.

Medical and legal associations in New York are among the latest advocates of a reform in the use of expert testimony. They urge that experts be more fairly treated by lawyers in the courtroom, that they be paid officers of the court and not hirelings of the client. The proposed change, if enforced by legislation, would do away with the unfair advantage lying with the richer litigant, and would relieve the expert of the temptation to testify rather in his employer's interests than in the interests of scientific truth.

SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. The young women met a Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented. Two men called. They proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett, one a friend of Elizabeth's father. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Fearing for the safety of some gems, Lady Edith left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his actions on board ship. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. At a supper, which was held on the rocks, Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party. Gabrielle witnessed a stormy scene between Lady Edith and Lord Wilfrid, jealousy being the cause. Mary Anne brought back Elizabeth's ring. Elise went sailing with Gordon Bennett. He tried to persuade her to return the jewels left in the girl's care by Lady Edith. At midnight Elise saw two men—one of them Gordon Bennett—attempting to force an entrance into their boathouse. She admitted to herself that she had nearly loved him and believed herself used as a tool. Mrs. Graham, sick, told Elise of her husband's love for another woman. Gordon Bennett and Blake returned with Mr. Graham's body. He had been murdered. Lord Wilfrid grew sulky. Lady Edith confided to Elise that Blake and Bennett were thieves.

CHAPTER XV.—Continued.

I uttered a smothered ejaculation.

"There is more to come," she said, "and I do not quite know how to tell you. To-night, when you are all here at the ball, these two men intend to force an entrance to your cottage. I know this to be true—in fact, they have already gone."

She paused abruptly and added in a tone of real solicitude:

"Have I hurt you so very much?"

"No," I hastened to reply; "no, of course not. Why should I be hurt? He is nothing to me. But you must prove it; you might be mistaken, you know."

My head was swimming with the sickening sensation often caused by swinging too long, and I scarcely knew what I said, but felt vaguely that I might in this way gain time, and that time was valuable.

"I will prove it," she said, catching up a wrap and handing it to me. "Would you believe me if you saw with your own eyes? Then come with me. You are quite safe—do not be afraid."

I was not afraid, but as I walked by her side through the quiet village and down the familiar little path to our cottage I wondered dimly why she had brought me there—why she had not selected one of the others.

"We have nothing valuable," I said, at last—"nothing. He knows that."

"You have my pearls," she returned; "but of course you have never mentioned them."

I stopped short, horror-struck. What had I not done, by my thoughtless gossiping?

"Oh, but I did!" I cried. "I did! I told him about the safe and what was in it."

"Ah!"

It was a short exclamation, pregnant with meaning. Then she turned quickly and took my hand in hers.

"Never mind," she whispered; "it will be all right. Don't worry."

I tried to say something, but she motioned me to be silent, for we were approaching the cottage now, and she stepped softly, as though fearing to disturb some one. At the corner of the house she paused, listened a moment, then beckoned me to come nearer and pointed toward the kitchen.

At the outer door leading into the cellar knelt two figures, men in evening clothes. I did not need the assistance of the moon, which just then emerged triumphant from behind a cloud, for I recognized them at once.

"No use," said Mr. Blake's even voice; "this door seems to be fastened by an iron bar inside. We must try the boathouse again. I suppose the servant is inside."

"Yes," replied Gordon Bennett; "I saw her a moment ago, when she passed the window. I hope we'll have luck with the boathouse this time."

We shrank into the corner of the house, and they passed so close we might have touched them. As they disappeared down the steps leading to the slip, my companion followed them, still holding my hand and drawing me after her.

"Look!" she whispered.

And I again saw the two men before the boathouse, just as I had seen them once before; saw them try the door, and even set their shoulders against it with an ineffectual effort to burst it open. Lady Edith's face appeared very white and haggard in the moonlight, and the light shawl she wore rose and fell swiftly with her quick breath.

"It holds!" she ejaculated. "The door holds!"

It seemed to be a staunch door, indeed, for, in spite of repeated efforts, it stood impregnable, until at last they ceased working over it and retired to the end of the slip, talking earnestly.

"They have given it up," she whispered, and her voice seemed to thrill exultantly. "See, they are going away. They are easily discouraged, are they not?"

It was quite true they were going away. We saw them step into their little boat and glide into the moonlit water toward the end of the island, which they must round in order to get home.

"You are safe for to-night," she said. "I am almost sorry I told you, for

They Passed So Close We Might Have Touched Them.

they will not return, and to-morrow they cannot. Let us go back to the hotel and forget it."

I shook my head and watched the little boat, now a mere speck on the sparkling water.

"I am not going back," I said dully. "I do not care to dance. I'm going home. Mary Anne is there, and I shall not be afraid. Will you tell the girls I did not feel well, and came home?"

"Poor child!" she said. "I understand. I knew you would not go back, and arranged with Wilfrid to bring the others home. He knows all about it, but he will not speak until I see him. I will stay with you."

Lady Edith was very gentle and very tactful when she went back into the cottage with me. She explained to Mary Anne that I had one of my headaches and wanted to go quietly to bed. She told her also to bring me a cup of hot tea, and when I resisted followed her into the hall, and I heard a low-voiced conversation, of which I distinguished only the concluding sentences.

"Very well," said Mary Anne, in a tone of sullen remonstrance that surprised me; "very well, I'll make the tea, but I'll give it to 'er meself, so I will. I'll have no 'and in—"

"That is quite enough," said Lady Edith, sharply. "You will make the tea and bring it here. I will come out and get and take it to Miss Elise; she is ill, and cannot have you lumbering about her room."

After all, it was Mary Anne who brought me the tea, pushing the bedroom door open and marching to my side with the manner of one determined to do or die. I drank it, and she went away again, without a glance at Lady Edith, who sat beside me, saying nothing indeed, but occasionally touching my forehead with fingers which were cold rather than cool and now and then trembled slightly. I knew that in spite of her admirable self-control the evening had been an exhausting one for her as well as for me.

After a while we heard Gabrielle and Elizabeth come home, and she met them in the hall, telling them I had fallen asleep at last, but had been quite prostrate with a sudden headache, and would no doubt be all right in the morning.

I heard them say good-night and come upstairs very softly in order not to disturb me. Then the lights went out, the house grew quiet, and I lay there alone with my secret—my two secrets, indeed, for I knew why Gordon Bennett looked at me so strangely, and knew also that he was unworthy a woman's love.

So I clinched my hands and fought my fight, and after a while the tumult in my brain ceased, for sleep is merciful and brings with it oblivion to exhausted nature.

CHAPTER XVI.

"Elise, wake up."

Gabrielle, looking unnaturally tall in her yellow kimono with long-legged storks and large chrysanthemums straggling indiscriminately across it, stood beside my bed—the lighted candle in her hand held at an angle which caused the grease to drip upon my face and materially assist in rousing me.

"What's the matter?" I demanded, sitting indignantly upright. "I'd only just gone to sleep."

"Hush—don't make a noise. There is some one in the house."

"What?"

I was wide enough awake now, and the events of the preceding evening flashed across my mind with unwelcome distinctness.

"At least, we think so. I heard a noise and waked Elizabeth, and we both listened. It was in the dining-room, and oh, Elise—"

"Lady Edith's pearls!" I finished in an awed whisper, adding as an afterthought: "Where is Elizabeth?"

"Gone to wake Mary Anne. Do get up and put on your wrapper; we might as well be prepared."

I have since asked Gabrielle if she thought it unconventional to receive burglars in a robe de nuit; at that time however, I did not question the motive of her command, but reached obediently for my slippers, and was enveloped in my pink kimono when Elizabeth appeared in her blue one.

Elizabeth was very pale and looked as though she had encountered a regiment of ghosts, as she collapsed in a crumpled heap on the foot of my bed.

"She wasn't there," she said, in a frightened whisper; "her bed had not been touched, and—oh, I'm afraid!"

We all were, for that matter, and huddled close together, listening intently. Mary Anne, a tower of strength in any emergency, had failed us in our hour of need, and we were weakly incompetent as well as alarmed.

We listened with strained attention and every sense alert, dreading the unknown, yet still more fearful of the silence which enveloped the house like a pall. We heard nothing, however, except the sound of the waves, usually soothing in its regularity, but to-night accompanied with an overpowering sense of loneliness and a realization of our helplessness and complete isolation.

But as the slow moments passed and nothing happened we grew gradually calmer, and even ventured to creep noiselessly into the hall and lean over the banisters, ready for instant flight back to my room at the first suspicion of a movement below, there to barricade the door and insure personal safety if possible. After we listened, and again nothing happened.

"Would you be afraid to go downstairs?" suggested Gabrielle, always the most valiant. "It seems all right."

We were afraid, and said so emphatically.

"Of course," said Elizabeth, after another period of silence, "we must have been mistaken about the noise. But, then, there's Mary Anne—what of her?"

Gabrielle sat flat upon the floor, mingled relief and dismay in her face.

"That's just it!" she exclaimed. "It was Mary Anne."

"What do you mean?"

"The noise—it was Mary Anne. Don't you see? She has been deceiving us about her son; he is still hiding about somewhere, and she goes out at night and meets him, so it is no wonder she was not in her room."

"Why, of course"—Elizabeth accepted the theory without question, while I maintained an uneasy silence. "I'm so relieved—but I'm sorry, too, to hate to think she has deceived us again."

Gabrielle snuffed the wick of the candle and rose to the occasion, which as she said afterward, she felt herself more than equal to Mary Anne, even though she might perhaps flinch from a masked burglar.

"Now, I'll tell you our best plan," she said, decidedly. "We'll go downstairs and see if she has left a door or window open (as, of course, she must), and then we will lock it and wait until we hear her coming, and then—"

"Well," I inquired, as she paused resolutely, "what then?"

"Why, then we'll confront her."

Gabrielle spoke firmly, and we felt as though the act of confronting her would be in the nature of the ancient ordeal of red-hot ploughshares.

"Let us go right down," she continued, "before she has a chance to come in. Both of you get candles and come on."

"I don't quite like it," demurred Elizabeth. "Suppose she brings a man with her? He might not object to three other murders if he thought necessary."

I got my candle in puzzled silence. Gabrielle's explanation was very plausible, and I fervently hoped it might prove to be true, but I had a momentary vision of the figures at the door of the boathouse, and my heart sank within me.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

FEARED HE WOULD "WALK."

Curious Reason for the Mutilation of a Corpse in Austria.

This curious bit of Dalmatian superstition turned up in a recent trial in Trieste: Antonia Logic, a widow, was accused of mutilating a corpse, and also with disturbing the repose of the dead, by severing the sinews in the foot of Mathe Duda, a deceased property owner, at Salona, near Spalato. In that locality exists a deeply rooted superstition that any evil-doer will, after death, be compelled to walk around eternally in the shape of a greatly distended spirit, to the terror and discomfort of himself and all householders. As Duda's daughter-in-law had reasons for fearing that he might become a "Bukodlak," as the Dalmatian vernacular has it, she employed the widow to cut the ligaments in the foot and thus prevent any ghostly promenadings later. Antonia, the widow, believed absolutely in the superstition and conscientiously earned her pay. The lower court discharged the prisoner because she had acted from motives of piety, but the court of appeal reversed the decision and sentenced her to three days' imprisonment for the treatment of a corpse.

Heat in Match's Flame.

The flame of an ordinary match has a much higher temperature than is generally known, and will melt cast iron or steel filings. Try it by striking a match and sprinkle the filings through the flame. Sputtering sparks like gunpowder will be the result of the melting metal.—Popular Mechanics.

The Sound of Thunder.

Spread out the thunder into its single tones, and it becomes a lullaby for children; pour it forth together in one quick peal, and the royal sound will remove the heavens.—Schiller.

WHAT WIFE SAYS "GOES."

But It Sometimes Is Bad for the Painting.

When a property-owner knows nothing about paint it is bad for the property-owner, and bad for the painter. It would not be so if the property-owner would always hire a skilled painter, and then really leave everything to him. But the house-owner so often fools himself on one or the other of these things.

The skilled painter in every community has some of the most incompetent competitors that ever vexed a conscientious workman or contractor, and the incompetents get jobs generally by working cheap. In the next place, when the skilled painter is hired, they do not leave everything to him, as so many property-owners boast they do.

They interfere most ignorantly and most fatally. They insist sometimes on using paint materials without investigating whether they are good or not. Or perhaps they insist on the painter's hurrying the work.

"I'm not going to have that painter's mess around my house a month," the wife says, and what wife says goes—at the cost of a lot of wasted painting money.

If the painter stays away a few days to allow the paint to thoroughly dry the owner says: "That painter's neglecting this work—guess he's side-tracking me for Jones' work. I won't stand it."

What chance does a painter have to do good work for a man who is continually nagging at him and otherwise handicapping him (without meaning it, of course)? A poor job is the inevitable result of such interference.

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Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth

Glidden Route Through Iowa.

Des Moines.—The Glidden tour, the premier automobile endurance test in America, does not include this city on its route. The tourists will enter Iowa at Clinton, go through Cedar Rapids and Boone and will leave the state at Council Bluffs. In Iowa they will follow the same roads as were used by the New York to Paris racers.

There is no doubt but what the route has been decided upon, although no announcement has been made. G. W. Smithson and H. B. Eubanks of the Studebaker company, have been making hotel arrangements for the tourists.

The race starts from Chicago on July 1 and that night will be spent at Dixon, Ill. The night of the second will be spent at Cedar Rapids and the third at Boone. The tourists will be in Omaha the night of the fourth and other stops are Grand Island, North Platte, Julesburg, Cheyenne and Denver.

Storm Ties up Central.

Marshalltown.—As a result of the heavy snowfall, especially north of this city, the Iowa Central railway has been practically tied up as far as the operation of trains anywhere near on schedule time was concerned. Trains out of here got a part of the trips covered and then tied up or returned as the opposite train on the run to take the place of late night and early morning trains. The night train on the Story City branch was abandoned altogether. The blockade was by far the worst of the entire winter. In some places drifts from four to six feet in depth were encountered and all engines were equipped with snow plows to assist in the work of "bucking."

Submit to Skin Grafting.

Clinton.—Owing to a recent accident, a skin-grafting operation was rendered necessary for the recovery of Sister Mary Evangeline of Our Lady of Angels seminary, a house of the order of Sisters of Charity. A number of members of the order submitted to the painful operation of having a quantity of cuticle removed in order that the skin might be supplied to their suffering companion. Sister Evangeline was engaged in working in the laundry department, and caught her hand in a mangle severely injuring the hand and arm, and rendering the operation necessary. She will recover the use of her arm.

Seed Oats Train Traverses State.

Dubuque.—This city was the starting point of the third oats special, which left to tell the farmers how to raise bigger oats. The train will traverse the state on the Illinois Central lines, taking a week for the trip from Dubuque to Sioux City. Half-hour stops are to be made at sixty-four stations during the week, with night lectures at Independence, Osage, Fort Dodge, Cherokee and LeMars.

Profs. P. G. Holden, M. L. Bowman, B. W. Crossley, A. E. Quaife, R E. Drennen, M. L. Wilson and H. E. Bell compose the lecture staff. Capt. J. F. Merry, general immigration agent of the Illinois Central lines, is aboard the train.

Next week the final train will be run over the Rock Island system.

Clinton Masons to Celebrate.

Clinton.—DeMolay consistory, A. A. S. R., will hold its third reunion in the magnificent new $120,000 cathedral here on May 18, 19, 20 and 21, when the spring reunion is announced. It is expected that an unusually large class of candidates will take the degrees, including the thirty-second. DeMolay consistory, established in 1869, is one of the oldest Masonic bodies west of the Mississippi river.

Scalded by "Live" Boiler.

Ottumwa.—John Snyder, a boiler maker employed in the Burlington shops, was severely scalded while engaged in repairing a "live" boiler. While he was busy at work upon it, a flue head blew out, deluging the unfortunate man with the scalding water and steam.

Cattle Thief in Pen.

Corning.—Harry Johnson, serving a five-year term at Anamosa for stealing two head of horses, is reported to have confessed that he is the man who threw Adams county cattlemen into a state of terror by a long series of cattle thefts.

Main Artery Through Iowa.

Mason City.—A prominent Milwaukee railroad official who was in this city gave out the information that this division of the road would be in the highway between the Pacific coast and the east and that at no distant day through transcontinental trains would be put on. Engineers have been quietly making a survey, riding with the engineers and in other ways examing the track, and they have discovered that by building a few miles of lines between Jackson Junction and West Union, connecting with the Turkey river division, a route could be established from Seattle to Chicago sixty miles shorter than any other the road might select. It, too, was found that this route has eliminated all the heavy grades of the system in the northwest and has thus bested the Minneapolis or the Sioux route.

The points in this part of the country on the trunk line would then be Aberdeen and Mitchell, S. D., Mason City, Jackson, West Union, Dubuque to Chicago.

Burns His Liquor License.

Pleasanton.—A unique meeting took place here to determine whether it was a benefit to the town to continue the sale of liquor at the local drug store.

The meeting was called by A. M. Hagg, proprietor of the place, and also owner of the largest general store in town. It was composed mostly of business men. Arguments were presented, both pro and con, and even an experienced temperance lecturer could have gained points.

After the flow of oratory had ceased a vote was taken, and all but three voted to discontinue the sale of liquor. Among the three dissenting votes was one cast by a minister.

When the matter was finally decided Mr. Hagg produced the government license and a match was applied to it. As the last of the paper disappeared in smoke a rousing cheer was given by those in favor of prohibition, but outside the building, where were gathered the antis, many groans disturbed the quiet night air.

Goes to Africa to Wed.

De Witt.—On Monday, March 15, Miss Charlotte Clany of Stanwood starts for the Soudan, Africa, as a missionary of the United Presbyterian church. Miss Claney has already spent nearly three years in the American mission in Egypt and returned home last May. Now she is about to return to the work, but will be located at Dolieb Hill, Soudan. She expects to sail on March 22 for Egypt and will be met at Alexandria by Dr. Thomas Lambie, to whom she will be married in that ancient city, and they will proceed up the Nile river to their destination. The mission in the Soudan has been established about four years, and has been purely pioneer work, under the direction and support of the United Presbyterian church. Miss Claney is a native of Iowa and a graduate of Monmouth, Ill., college, and is well fitted for the work to which she consecrates her life.

Put Ban on New Licenses.

Davenport.—Saloon licenses will be a thing of the past in Davenport after April 1, until the number of places has been reduced to the ratio of one for every 500 inhibitants. This is the ultimatum of the city council. The injunction proceedings started against a large number of local saloonkeepers by the civic federation have been called before Judge Bollinger. Decrees of injunction were issued against the defendants as there were no contests in the suit.

Duck Hunter Loses a Foot.

Marshalltown.—Lying behind a blind, waiting for a flock of ducks circling above him, may prove fatal to John Burns aged 18 years, of State Center. Burns and a companion had sighted some birds and while trying to get a shot Burns' gun was discharged, tearing away nearly all of his right foot. It is feared that the leg will have to be amputated and possibly that the boy may lose his life.

Noted Editor Will Speak.

Des Moines.—Col. Elijah Halford of Chicago the noted editor is one of the speakers at the Iowa Conference of the Laymens Missionary Movement in Des Moines, March 23, 24 and 25. Col. Halford founded the Chicago Inter-Ocean. The conference is expected to be the biggest meeting for men ever held in the middle west. Governor B. A. Carroll will preside at the banquet on the opening night.

County to Raise Seeds.

Correctionville.—The board of supervisors will conduct an experimental seed farm near here this year at the suggestion of A. E. Nelson. The board has voted $300 for the farm's maintenance. Ames' systems will be carried out in the new plan—education of the nearby farmers to the value of good seeds and the raising of good seed is the primary object of the new plan.

WHAT A FORMER OREGON FARMER THINKS OF WESTERN CANADA.

Albert Nelson left Benton Co., Oregon, in Sept., 1904, for the great Canadian prairies. To quote from his letter: "I was greatly surprised to find such an immense stretch of rich virgin prairie still almost unoccupied in the very heart of North America. The splendid crops of oats, wheat, barley, potatoes and hay I beheld in the settlements made me very eager for a piece of this rich soil, and I soon located in the Goose Lake country. We have here a great stretch of the rich, deep clay loam of the Saskatchewan—a soil heavy and hard to break, but particularly well adapted for the retention of moisture and production of the bright No. 1 hard wheat, and great crops of oats, barley, flax and potatoes. I had 60 bushels of oats, weighing 441 lb. to the bushel, per acre. Some of my neighbors had still greater yields. Wheat yielded from 20 to 30 bushels per acre. We have all done well here, and I could name many Americans who came here with means to go ahead, who have done big already. For homesteads one has to go further west, but the best prairie can be bought here for from $12.00 to $16.00 per acre. The climate is dry and healthy. This is the regular Saskatchewan fall weather—frosty nights, and bright, sunny days—ideal for threshing and hauling out of wheat. The trails are dusty, as thousands of wheat teams are moving towards the elevators.

"The sight of it makes one stop and wonder what it will be in a few years when the immense prairies get under cultivation. Heavy snowfall is the exception here. Snow generally falls in December and goes off in March. It sometimes gets very cold, but the Saskatchewan farmer does not fear the cold. Winter is his season of rest. The first or second crop he builds a comfortable house for himself, and warm stables for his horses. He need not, like some, be poking about in the mud all winter attending a few beasts for a livelihood."

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"I'm going to have some photographs taken, John," said the wife of his bosom the other morning. "Have you any preferences as to the position?"

"Well," rejoined the husband of his wife, "if you were to pose before the camera while in the act of sewing a button on my trousers it would make a picture that I could contemplate with pleasurable emotion."

Would Be Rise for Turkey.

Should the plan of Sir William Willcocks ever materialize—he proposes to irrigate the fertile plains of the Tigris and Euphrates rivers and make them as productive as they were when Babyon and Nineveh where at the height of their power—it is believed that Turkey would become one of the greatest cotton and grain countries in the world.

Economizing His Syllables.

"When I was in Mexico," said the commercial traveler, "I met an Italian who had the fashion of economizing on his words. Whenever he could he clipped them half in two. The result was often amusing.

"'How do you like the bull fights?' I asked him one day.

"'Me lika the bull fights,' he answered, 'but me no lika see bull suf.'"

Grammar.

Heine—"Und you svam to der intake crib? Dot vas a great foot!"

Jimmie—Ha, ha! You mean a great feat, Dutch.

Heine—A great feat? So you did it more as vonce?

Every Lady in the land should

COME

And See!

The new goods and the new styles for Spring. Have a look whether you wish to buy or not.

New Worsted Suitings

In the most stylish colors—Olive Brown, Elephant shad also in Wine, in Grey and Navy Blue.

Fancy Dress Ginghams

We bought early in December and thus secured first choice of patterns.

We also were lucky enough to BUY A DROP in the market and are thus able to offer regular 15c ginghams at

Pure Linen Suiting—tan color @

96 New Shirt Waists

Were bought direct from a factory and are excellent values—all sizes at

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New Petticoats by the Doze

Heatherbloom and Sateen at 95c to $3

New Belts New Rushings

New Neckwear New Oxfor

We Make Buttons

Trim your dress with cloth covered buttons. It's all the rage. Our BUTTON Machine makes all sizes, makes them to match your dress

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Where your Dollar does its duty.

MILLINERY

We have received the Largest Stock of

SPRING MILLINERY

and are ready for opening.

Also Hair Goods, best Corsets, Shirt Waists Belts. Collars, Silks, Velvets going at Cut Prices. Please call and see the new trimmed hats.

We have a first-class trimmer who is sure to please.

MRS. J. JOSTE

Which CREAM SEPARATOR is Cheapest?

Clean Skim
Easy Run
Long We

Several catalogues houses are offering "just as good" cream separators for sale at a lower price than the U. S. Cream Separator sells for. But before the unfortunate purchaser of one of these "mail order" separators gets through paying the repair bills he finds that **first cost** isn't the only difference. The "cheap" separators soon get out of fix because they are built of cheap material, and loosely put together. The cost of repairs alone in the first y two would pay the difference in price between one of them and a But more important still they **do not skim clean,** they waste cre **every** skimming.

U. S. CREAM SEPARATOR

have stood the test of time. Many of them have been in use for 10 or more, and have cost their owners next to nothing for repairs. are easy running, **skim cleaner** than **any others,** have a simple, to-wash bowl; enclosed, safety gearing and a convenient, low milk See a U. S. Separator for yourself—that's the best way. They are s

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C. H. MANN & Co.
H. MANN, Editor and Manager.

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Cattle	1.50 to 5.85

LOCAL NEWS

A tax ad for State Bank.

Change of ad for State Bank.

C. W. Stiehl was a Garner visitor Monday.

Mrs. Aug. Lau visited at Garner on Mon 'ay.

M. H. Thompson and wife returned from Wyomi.g, Iowa last week.

H Schroeder shipped his stock from the farm to Chicago last Sunday morning.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Geo. Schroeder and family moved to Garner the first of this week. We are sorry to see them leave this community.

If you'd be dubbed a handsome girl
And win a handsome Knight,
The secret here I do impart,
Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night
G A Pabst & Co.

Quite a number have responded to our statements with renewals on subscription We hope to here from the balance of the list soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Klingberg of Elkader, arrived last week Friday for a visit with H. Ihde and family. Mrs. Klingberg is a sister of Mrs Ihde.

E. G. Ell and son visited over Sunday with his brother-in-law and family at Buffalo Center. His wife who has been visiting there before returned with him.

The new "Wonder Lamp" incandescent 100 candle power, cannot explode, 6 hours for 1c. Burns common kerosene. THE lamp for churches, schools, halls and homes. Write or see J. D. G. Houghton, Agent, Goodell, Iowa or Klemme. 31-3

Ben Swalve, wife and son Ben who have been visiting at Freeport, Ill. and other points for a few weeks, returned Wednesday. Ben says that there is no snow there but plenty of mud, and that that part of the state has had but very little snow this winter.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 8, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

Pay your taxes with State Bank.

Monday we received more snow.

Miss Meyer visited with relatives at Garner the first of this week.

Mrs. H. Mann and daughter Lucile were Garner visitors Wednesday.

J. W. Scott transacted business at Vinton, Iowa. He returned Monday.

Elmer Abbey and James Ryan of Garner, attended the dance here last week Friday evening.

Mrs. J. Gruetzmrcher and daughters Hulda and Esther were Garner visitors Wednesday.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

FOR SALE—On team for sale. 6 years old, weight 2500. Enquire of J. T. Griggs, Goodell. Iowa.

Mrs. Geo. Holmes who has been visiting Lew Lewis and family, left for Dodge Center, Minn. last week Friday.

A. B. Sawyer, our county treasurer of Garner and W. P. Chambers of Cowith transacted business here Wednesday.

Chas. Zwald, brother-in-law of Chas. Ax arrived from the western states for a visit· He left this week for Washington.

Bloom keeps all kinds of good seed oats, barley, buckwheet, clover, timothy, rape and milet. Yours for business at the South Elevator. tf

A spring tonic that makes rich, red blood. Brings strength, health and happiness to the whole family. Nothing equals Hollister's rocky mountain tea as a spring regulator. 36c. G A Pabst & Co.

The dance at the Opera House on last week Friday evening was fairly well attended. The Griesemer and Shipley orchestra rendered excellent music.

Don't wait until your blood is impoverished and you are sick and ailing but take Hollister's rocky mountain tea now. It will positively drive out all winter impurities. 35c, tea or tablets. G. A. Pabst & Co.

A large gathering of young people had a party at the residence of Geo. Schroeder and family on Tuesday evening. It was an enjoyable affair.

Mr. E. J. Schaefer returned from Kirksville, Mo. on Tuesday of this week. He has a good healthy appearance and speaks very highly of the climate and the hospital.

John and Geo. Waterman received the sad news last week Saturday that their father who lives at Luzerne, Iowa, was dangerously ill. The two brothers and their sister Mrs. Chas. Behrens of Garner left for there on Saturday and Monday. Later—He died on Sunday afternoon.

The changes of ads this week and new ones are:
State Savings Bank
H. Lau & Son
Art Wellemeyer
Mrs. J. Josten
Rock Island System
Ell Bros.
G. A. Pabst & Co.

IT SAVED HIS LEG.

All though I'd lose my leg writes J. A. Swenson. Watertown Wis., Ten years of eczema that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well." Infallible for skin eruptions, eczema, salt rheum. boils, fever sores, burns, scalds, cuts and piles, 25c at. G. A. Pabst & Co.

German M. E. Church Items

Lurena Wessel was home over Sunday returning Monday evening.

Alvina Gethman returned to her home in Gladbrood Tuesday evening after spending two weeks in our burg.

Elnora Koerner of Charles City, arrived last week and is calling on her many relatives in Klemme and Germantown.

Clara Luedeke has gone to Charles City where she is attending to the household duties for an uncle for the time being.

Six new members were added to the Epworth League in Germantown last Sunday evening. The League is steadily growing.

Carl Albrecht returned from his southern trip last Saturday. He is looking well and evidently enjoyed his journey in the sunny south.

Geo. Schneider of Ft. Atkinson, Wis. has bee i visiting his relatives the Schaefer's in Garner and Germantown for several weeks returning the forepart of this week.

It is not very often that an editor of a newspaper takes a preachers place but Klemme can boast of such an editor. That is he occupies the preachers house—not his pulpit.

John Brade moved onto one of W. F. Stille's farms in German township last Saturday. He is well and favorabie known among our farmers, having lived on the Wellemeyer place several years.

Many of our readers will be pained to hear that Mrs. Wm. Schaper of Garner were obliged to take their daughter Gladys to the hospital in Iowa City last Saturday where she is to be operated for appendicitis.

A number of Germantown people received a card from their former neighbor Carl Wellemeyer last week. It brought them the glad tidings that a son came last Sunday to gladden their home.

Mrs. John Fluhrer and two boys of Charles City arrived on the afternoon freight Monday to visit her relatives, but a tele gram was awaiting her calling her home to the bedside of a sick child. F. C. Griewe took them to Garner just in time to reach the east bound passanger.

Rev. and Mrs Wm. Berg arrived Saturday from New Mexico where they had gone about 18 months ago and taken up a claim. Last fall Mrs. Berg was stricken with a paraletic stroke which lamed her one side. As soon as she was able to stand the trip they started north. They are staying with Mother Schwichtenberg at present.

It becomes our sad duty to chronicle the death of little Elden Benjamin Schuldt, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Schuldt who died Wednesday noon. Though he had been seized with occasionly sick spells during the last month, the little fellow was growing fast and was a strong child for his age. Shortly before he died he went into spasams and the end came fast. It is a hard blow for the parents to loose their child so unexpected, Only those who have passed through a similar experience know how lonely the home is without these little ones. Just four short months his little life gave hope, cheer and sunshine to this home, which is now all the sadder for his having lived in it and departed, but a new relation has been established to the home beyond the skies. The funeral services will be held Fridry noon.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

Colesburg, Iowa, Mar. 17, '09.
Dear Klemme Times Readers—

I have planned every day for a month to address myself to you and tonight I shall discharge the obligation. It was on Jan. 23rd that our car arrived at Greeley. This town is located probably 8 miles from where we live. The road over which we travel to Greeley is the well known Elk Bottom Road. I doubt whether there is a more picturesque wagon road in the state of Iowa. Elk Creek flows trough a flat bottom rouging in width from 100 to 500 feet. On either side of the valley there is an irregular range of high wooded hills The creek is very winding as is also the diriction of the valey and the course of the wagon trail. The roads wind along the foot of the hills, first on one side of the stream, then on the other. There are a great many bridges along the way for the creek is crossed and recrossed many times. There are many small houses along the way, some built of logs showing how long the country has been settled. These houses are all occupied by the socalled Elk-Creekers, the second or third generation of whom are being reared on the same soil. The sole stock-in-trade of most thiese natives consists of a double bladad ax, and a cross-cut saw. A near by spring furnishes water, the cow browses wenter and summer on the hill side.

A patch of corn among the stumps furnishes corn for the pig; fuel is within easy reach and a true Elker never has more than a 12 hour supply ahead. It is contrary to the code to work as long as there is money on hand. But the store-keeper limits the credit to $5 00 and there are many mouths to feed so our timber jack is busy most of the winter getting out fuel and barn frames for his more prospercus farmer friends upon the hills And to do them justice they know the woods. A good man will know every tree in his employer's timber.

But enough of this. In some later letter, I may tell you what my impressions are of this country as a farming region. I can say, without fear of contradiction, that the quality of the horses produced here is of a high order. A cousin of mine by marriage sold one for $250.00 a few days ago. A man about 2 miles north of Colesburg refused $1000.00 for 4 horses last week.

Colesburg is an inland town. It is one of the cheapest towns in God's creation to trade in. The barber taxed me 25c for a hair cut and shave both. Taxes are low and, merchants dont have to hustle for trade as they do in a western town. Mail addressed to Colesburg, Dyersville, Route 22 or New Vienna, Route will reach us. The mail sent via Dyersville. It seems a stage takes it to New Vienna from Dyersville. Then our mail carrier starts out from N. Vienna. So the latter place is our more correct address.

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THE AMERICAN WOOLEN MILLS Co, Chicago, Illinois.
Manufacturers of fine woolens and wholesale custom tailors.
As Eastern Decoration Day is near at hand, I will give special bargains on suits that are purchased of us before that time.
I will be please to show you a beautiful line of samples. A fit, a beauty and a long wearing suit Your profit, my pleasure.
ELMER LUDEKE
Klemme - - - Iowa

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All kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats. Canned goods and oysters in season. Highest cash price paid for hides. Home rendered pure lard a specialty.
We solicit your patronage.

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Dates made at either banks of Klemme.
Phone me at my expense.

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The only livery in town
Good rigs and careful drivers
Rates reasonable
Your patronage solicited
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The Tonsorial Artist
Will give you an easy shave or a new hair cut.
2nd door west of State Savings Bank
Call in.

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Have you read the wonderful stories of success in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas? Send for our pamphlet.

$30 to $35 will take you to principal points in the Southwest and return. Tickets sold first and third Tuesdays of each month.

When traveling to and from Colorado use the best! "The Rocky Mountain Limited."

Hundreds of people are going to California on the Golden State Limited. Why not you?

Mr. Jno. G. Farmer, D. P. A., Cedar Rapids, will gladly inform you about any trip you may consider taking. Remember, I sell the tickets.

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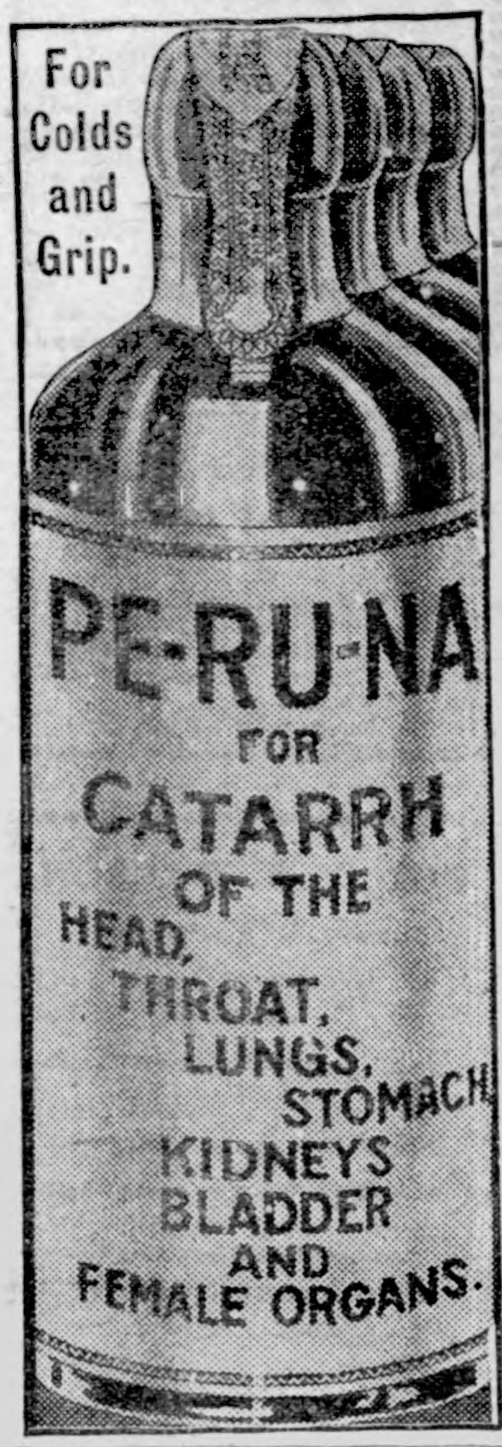

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Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

CONSOLING.

Artist—Yes, my art is my fortune.

Model (cheerily)—Never mind. Poverty is no crime.

A Distinction.

She—I suppose your uncle didn't fail to remember you in his will?

He—It was scarcely a remembrance—more like a faint recollection.

Modern Improvements Wanted.

Charon was indignant.

"That spirit wants the ferry equipped with the wireless system," he snorted.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

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Some men haven't sense enough to do the best they can.

A Safe and Sure Cough Cure.

Kemp's Balsam

Does not contain Opium, Morphine, or any other narcotic or habit-forming drug.

Nothing of a poisonous or harmful character enters into its composition.

This clean and pure cough cure cures coughs that cannot be cured by any other medicine.

It has saved thousands from consumption.

It has saved thousands of lives.

A 25c. bottle contains 40 doses.

At all druggists', 25c., 50c. and $1.

Don't accept anything else.

SINGLE BOARD BILL

WHIPPLE MEASURE INDORSED BY UPPER HOUSE.

REGENTS DISPENSED WITH

Representatives Who Formerly Opposed Plan Now Express Themselves For It.

Des Moines—With only nine opposing votes the Whipple bill, providing for a single board of educational control to handle the affairs of the three state educational institutions, passed the senate after a whole day had been spent in discussing it.

The bill was opposed by Senator De Wolf, Senator Moon, Senator Van Law and Senator Allen of Pocahontas. President H. H. Seerley of the state normal school at Cedar Falls sat with Senator De Wolf throughout the debate, and Senator Whipple referred often in his argument to the activity of the heads of the three state schools in their opposition to the bill

The bill as passed by the senate provides for a board of education for the three state institutions, comprising nine members, with an additional finance committee consisting of three men, one residing at Ames, one at Iowa City and one at Cedar Falls. This board shall assume the duties that now devolve upon the board of regents of the state university, the board of trustees of the agricultural school and the board of trustees of the state normal school. Among the objects of the bill are the prevention of duplication in the courses of study, decreasing the number of members of the educational boards from thirty-two to twelve, and bringing about better business management.

Prohibition Endorsed.

Prohibition as a part of the state constitution was endorsed by the house of the Iowa legislature, after a two days' fight. With a vote of 68 yeas and 37 nayes the house endorsed the Meredith resolution for an amendment to the constitution providing that no ale, wine or beer shall be made or sold in the state of Iowa as a beverage.

The house fought desperately for and against the drastic resolution which is part of the close of the thirty years' war for prohibition in the state.

Various amendments were offered to weaken, strengthen and kill it, but the resolution resisted all attacks and also the one made to send it back to committee where it would have been safely imprisoned for the remainder of the session.

Every inch of space on the floor and in the galleries was crowded and the spectators exceeded those at any time except inaugurations. There was the wildest demonstrations in years when the amendment was declared to have passed.

Meredith Expected to Pass.

A motion to rerefer the Meredith resolution to the house judiciary committee was lost by a vote of 57 to 42, after the most intensely interesting debate of the session.

Interest has already shifted from the house to the senate, where those who fear another period of turmoil with the prohibition question uppermost are confident the resolution will be killed.

Representative Marston made the motion to rerefer, which was supported with arguments by Representative Harding. Mr. Harding's support failed to materialize and he was left to struggle against the strong resubmission forces almost alone. At one point in the discussion Respresentative Sullivan came to his aid.

Strong speeches against burying the resolution in the judiciary committee were made by Meredith, Inman, Elliott, Johnson, Hanson and Boe.

Son Forced to Pay for Parents' Keep.

Frank Hollis of Hamilton county, who refused to pay for the support of his aged parents in the poorhouse, where they were for 140 weeks, was ordered to foot the bill by the supreme court in a decision handed down on the appeal taken from the decision of Chief Justice W. D. Evans, who was then on the bench in the Elevanth judicial district.

The county supported the aged people, but sued the two sons for $980, which was awarded. It was from this the son appealed. Chief Justice Evans' decision was declared by the supreme court to be without any error, at a session in which the chief justice did not participate.

Labels on Lard Are Not Needed.

The supreme court holds that a dealer need not put a separate label on every small package of lard sold over the counter, if the barrel from which the product was taken was properly labeled. The court so decided in a Polk county case in which the state appealed.

Won't Call Special Election.

Governor Carroll will not order a special election in the Seventh district to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Senator W. D. Jamieson, who became congressman from the Eighth district March 4. He has had the matter up with Attorney General Byers, who gives it as his opinion that the statute is not mandatory.

Governor Carroll has taken the matter up by correspondence and personal interviews with leading politicians in the district and there appears to be an overwhelming opinion that an election should not be called.

Assuming that the legislature will not adjourn until the second week in April it would be impossible for the person elected to serve more than ten days or two weeks, the law providing that at least ten days' notice shall be given before the holding of the election. The expense would perhaps amount to something like $2,000 and in view of the short time that the person elected would have to serve it is deemed advisable not to call the special election.

"Comma" Bill Passed.

After a delay of two weeks because of a comma, the senate passed the Peterson bill allowing the fathers of former soldiers, sailors and marines admittance to the state soldiers' home at Marshalltown. This bill was passed by the senate a few weeks ago, but the grammatical construction didn't suit Representative Carl Johnson. He made an amendment, inserting a comma. Senator Peterson objected to the amendment and the senate refused to concur. The house would not back down and a conference committee was appointed, consisting of three members of each house. Senator Peterson, as chairman of the conference committee, submitted the report, which inserted the comma and made another little grammatical change. The senate adopted the amendment and now the bill goes to the house for its concurrence.

New Road Bill Passed.

Compulsory use of the King road drag is the object of two bills which were prepared by the highways committees of the Iowa house and senate. The house bill is not as definite in its provisions as is the senate bill, and the latter is regarded as having the better chance for passage. The senate bill is a combination of the best points in the bill introduced by Senators Chapman, Bruce and Nichols. It provides that township trustees must compel the use of the King drag on the country roads and shall have the authority to contract with farmers for the work, paying fifty cents per mile for dragging. All of the roads on which travel is general must be dragged, according to the bill, and city councils are compelled to drag the roads leading into the cities.

Library Funds Cut.

Instead of an increase of $6,000 in the appropriation for the traveling library work of the state library department, the senate appropriations committee agreed to recommend an increase of $2,380, which will make a total appropriation of $10,000 for the work. The necessity of cutting down on the appropriation bills in general prompted the action of the committee and although the friends of the library are somewhat disappointed in failing to receive all they wanted, they are nevertheless glad that an increase in the allowance of the library department is to be made, and they expect to be able to show an increase in the efficiency of the traveling library that will in two years go far toward bringing about a further increase.

Hits Discrimination.

Striking at the big creamery companies, elevator concerns and buyers of poultry, who are accused of having put out of business hundreds of farmers' co-operative concerns during the last few years, the Cosson anti-discrimination bill was passed by the senate by a vote of 32 to 6. Opposition to the measure was offered by Senator Adams, who declared that such a law was useless and tended to a dangerous system of paternalism which is bad for the general welfare of the state. Senator Smith of Mitchell sided with Senator Adams against the bill, but after a thorough discussion of the measure and the addition of a few amendments to make the intent more clear, it received a majority vote.

Blow Aimed at Trusts By House.

Anti-trust legislation of the most radical type is sought in the Kull bill introduced into the house, in which corporations or persons dealing in lumber are restrained from combining to create a scale of prices. The bill makes all combinations of this sort of felony, either for one or two men in a town to combine, for larger districts.

THE BEST REMEDY

For Women—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Noah, Ky. — "I was passing through the Change of Life and suffered from

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If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

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Most wonderful grass of the century, yield[s] 5 to 10 tons of hay per acre and lots of pa[sture be]sides. It simply grows, grows, grows! ... and in 4 weeks it looks for the mower ... so on. Grows and flourishes everywhere ... farm in America. Cheap as dirt; luxuri[ant as the] bottom lands of Egypt. Big seed catalog ... Send 10c in stamps and receive sample of wonderful grass, also of Speltz, the cereal ... Barley, Oats, Clovers, Grasses, etc., etc. ... ing free. Or send 14c and we will add a ... farm seed novelty never seen by you before.
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Are you fully satisfied with your bank? ... sure your life and home, why not insure ... account? Deposits in this bank are ... the guaranty fund of the State of Ok[lahoma]
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These trees have been twice transplanted and twice root-pruned, gives them the large abundance of roots necessary to the life of the tree. They are backed by the fairest guarantee of any nursery in the U. S. and reputation of

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5 Acre Florida Celery Farms $7[5]
$10 down; $5 monthly, no interest. At Kalamazoo, Fla., near Sanford. Crops rotate all year round. Average yield, per acre, Sanford district: Celery, $600 to $1,500; Tomatoes, $600; String Beans, $300 to $1,000; Potatoes, $210. Grown for winter-spring markets of frozen north. Ideal climate. Our tract limited. Increased value certain within 60 days. Reserve now to secure to-day's price. Deduct 10% for cash. Secure for occupation or holding as investment. Perfect title. Reference: Union Savings Bank, Jacksonville, F[la.]
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REPORT SEA FIGHT

MEXICO HEARS SALVADOR AND NICARAGUA ARE AT WAR.

GUNBOATS IN A BATTLE

Diplomatic Relations Broken Off with Zelaya's Country by the United States After Recall of Envoy.

Mexico City.—Ships of Nicaragua and Salvador met in battle Tuesday and it is believed a second clash followed Thursday or Friday.

Three Nicaraguan gunboats, led by the Momotombo, attacked the Salvadoran gunboat Presidente. The latter by a lucky shot put the Momotombo out of action almost at the beginning of the engagement. The three Nicaraguans then withdrew. Later the Momotombo was repaired and went in pursuit of the Presidente.

No word having been received from the Mexican representative in Nicaragua it is thought the cable has been cut.

Washington.—Owing to the continued disturbed conditions in Nicaragua and President Zelaya's failure to make serious efforts looking to the settlement of the Emery claim the state department Friday, by withdrawing Mr. Gregory, the American charge at Managua, and ordering the legation placed in the hands of the consul, who will have no diplomatic capacity, practically broke off diplomatic relations with that country.

Affairs in Central America have been closely watched by the American and Mexican governments, both of which have now come to an understanding that the time has arrived when drastic measures should be enforced to insure peace in the Central American republics.

Ambassador La Barra of Mexico spent some time at the state department in conference with Assistant Secretary Wilson, and the determination was reached that if the American warships now in Nicaraguan waters and those to be sent there are not sufficient to impress President Zelaya that the treaty of peace entered into between the Central American republics is not to be lived up to more radical steps would be taken to accomplish that result. The impression was given that if need be intervention would be resorted to.

The governments of the United States and Mexico, it was stated, are in full accord as to the policy to be pursued toward Nicaragua, and are now anticipating Zelaya's further moves.

So far as could be ascertained no official information has been received here of a reported naval engagement between gunboats of Nicaragua and Salvador. As bearing on affairs in Nicaragua the following statement was obtained from official sources:

"Under telegraphic orders issued by the navy department an armored cruiser will remain upon the west coast of Nicaragua pending the arrival of the Yorktown, to take that and indefinitely, and the Dubuque and Tacoma are proceeding to cruise on the Atlantic coast of Nicaragua and the neighborhood of Honduras.

The situation at Managua is becoming such that the department has now ordered Mr. Gregory, the charge d'affaires, to return home upon leave of absence, to make a report to the department upon the situation, the legation remaining in charge of the consul, who will have no diplomatic capacity."

M'KINLEY DEATH COST $42,517.

Government Paid Dr. Mann $10,000 and Used $2,033 for Telegrams.

Washington. — After carefully guarding for more than seven years the facts as to the government's expenditures incident to the last illness and burial of President McKinley, the treasury officials Wednesday made a statement covering all of the items of expenditure under the appropriation of $65,000 for this purpose, made by Congress on July 1, 1902. Some of the items follow:

Dr. M. D. Mann, $10,000; Dr. H. Hunter, $6,000; Dr. C. McBurney, $5,000; Dr. Roswell Park, $5,000; Dr. C. Stockton, $1,500; Dr. E. G. Janeway, $500; Dr. H. C. Matzinger, $750; Drs. W. Johnston, E. W. Lee and H. R. Wylord, $500 each; Dr. N. W. Wilson, $50; Dr. G. McR. Hall and Dr. E. C. Mann, $200 each. Undertakers—Drugard & Koch, $2,104.15, and McCrea & Arnold, $223. Western Union Telegraph Company, $1,593.61; Postal Telegraph Cable Company, $440.27.

Bryan's Daughter Gets Divorce.

Lincoln, Neb.—Ruth Bryan-Leavitt, eldest daughter of William J. Bryan, was granted a divorce Tuesday from John H. Leavitt.

Mrs. Leavitt and her mother appeared in the court of Judge Cornish, and both alleged that Leavitt had not contributed to the support of his wife. There was no defense. Mrs. Leavitt was granted the custody of the two children.

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Could Feel It Constantly Gaining Ground as Time Passed.

Mrs. Frank Roseboom, 512 W. Washington St., Moscow, Idaho, says: "Kidney trouble was hereditary, and my parents spent hundreds of dollars trying to cure me. I was nervous, my eyesight had failed noticeably, my circulation was bad, sleep fitful, heart action irregular, and my back so weak and painful I could hardly stand it. There was also an irregularity of the kidney secretions and a cold always made the whole trouble worse. I could tell many other symptoms, too, but shall only add that Doan's Kidney Pills made me free of all of them."

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The Trouble.

A maidservant in the employ of a Brooklyn woman was left the other day in charge of the children while her mistress went for a long drive.

"Well, Mary," asked the lady, on her return, "how did the children behave during my absence? Nicely, I hope."

"Nicely, ma'am," Mary answered, "but at the end they fought terribly together."

"Fight! Mercy me! why did they fight?"

"To decide," said Mary, "which was behaving the best."—Harper's Weekly.

Wanted Longer Sermons.

It was a proud boast one clergyman made to two or three others who were having a quiet chat in his study the other night—namely, that he had actually on one occasion been asked to make his service, both prayers and sermon, a bit longer.

His brethren regarded him with superstitious awe, and one asked, feebly:

"Where on earth was that?"

"Well, boys," was the frank confession, "it was with a goal where I acted as chaplain for a short time. The poor beggars dreaded to leave the church for their cells."

Second Thought.

"It cannot be," sighed the maid. "I respect you highly, Mr. Hunter, but we are incompatible."

"Well, I suppose it cannot be helped," the young man replied, pocketing his chagrin and looking about for his hat. "But it defeats all my cherished hopes. I had planned a house, in which I fondly imagined we might be happy. It was to have had a pantry twice as large as the ordinary size, with a roomy closet in which to stow away the new cooking utensils, and things that a woman naturally buys when a peddler comes around."

"Stay, George," she said falteringly. "perhaps I have been too hasty. Give me a day or two to think it over. It is not impossible that—that—"

Easy.

Once there was an old woman who lived in a shoe. She had so many children that at first she didn't know what to do.

A friend of the family who happened to come along just then, however, made the following suggestions:

To put one of them in a factory.

To have a couple more operated on and otherwise fussed over by the doctors.

To put a couple of them in a coal mine.

To send one to a modern public school.

To bring up another on a pure food diet.

Which no sooner having been carried into effect than the old woman settled down to a life of ease and loneliness.—New York Herald.

DIDN'T REALIZE

How Injurious Coffee Really Was.

Many persons go on drinking coffee year after year without realizing that it is the cause of many obscure but persistent ailments.

The drug—caffeine—in coffee and tea, is very like uric acid and is often the cause of rheumatic attacks which, when coffee is used habitually, become chronic.

A Washington lady said, recently: "I am sixty-five and have had a good deal of experience with coffee. I consider it very injurious and the cause of many diseases. I am sure it causes decay of teeth in children.

"When I drank coffee I had sick spells and still did not realize that coffee could be so harmful, till about a year ago I had rheumatism in my arms and fingers, got so nervous I could not sleep, and was all run down.

"At last, after finding that medicines did me no good, I decided to quit coffee entirely and try Postum. After using it six months I fully recovered my health beyond all expectations, can sleep, sound and my rheumatism is all gone." "There's a Reason."

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CUTICURA CURED HIM.

Eczema Came on Legs and Ankles—Could Not Wear Shoes Because Of Bad Scaling and Itching.

"I have been successfully cured of dry eczema. I was inspecting the removal of noxious weeds from the edge of a river and was constantly in the dust from the weeds. At night I cleansed my limbs but felt a prickly sensation. I paid no attention to it for two years but I noticed a scum on my legs like fish scales. I did not attend to it until it came to be too itchy and sore and began getting two running sores. My ankles were all sore and scabby and I could not wear shoes. I had to use carpet and felt slippers for weeks. I got a cake of the Cuticura Soap and some Cuticura Ointment. In less than ten days I could put on my boots and in less than three weeks I was free from the confounded itching. Capt. George P. Bliss, Chief of Police, Morris, Manitoba, Mar. 20, 1907, and Sept. 24, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

A Tabloid Fable.

A man once collided with an opportunity.

"Why don't you look where you are going?" growled the man.

"Don't you recognize me?" asked the opportunity, pleasantly.

"No, and I don't care to. You have trodden on my corns," replied the man as he limped away.

Moral: Don't believe the people who say they have never had a chance. —New York Times.

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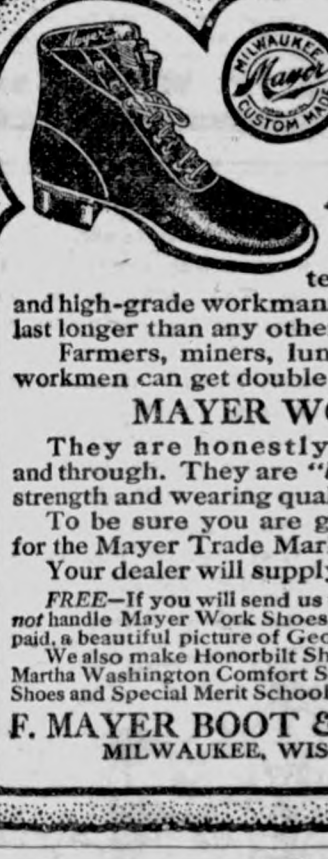

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"Your daughter has genius, Mr. Straighout."

"Nonsense! She can't sing, nor she can't play!"

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When grown old, as he sat one day caring for his leg and musing on the glorious past, a young man, a stranger visiting the family for a few days, approached him and inquired, sympathetically:

"Lame, general?"

"Yes, young man, I am lame."

"Been riding, sir?"

"No, sir," sternly and rebukingly, "I have not been riding."

"Ah, slipped on the ice, general?"

"No, sir!" with actual ferocity.

"Then, perhaps, sir, you have sprained your ankle?"

The old man slowly and carefully lifted his pet leg in both hands and tenderly set his foot upon the floor. Then he slowly rose from his seat and stood looking down with scornful pity at the unlucky youth. At last, in the sublimity of rage, he burst out:

"Go and read the history of your country, you puppy!"

How He Hunted Bear.

A New York Irishman was visiting a friend in the Adirondacks and was taken with a desire to go hunting. Borrowing a gun from his friend he set off alone in search of game. Some time after his host heard a distant report of a gun. A few minutes later he heard some one shouting. From a window he spied, in the distance, his friend, hot-footing it for home, and behind him a bear, gaining at every step. Nearly spent, the pursued reached the door just in time to cry out:

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"An' what's ancisters?"

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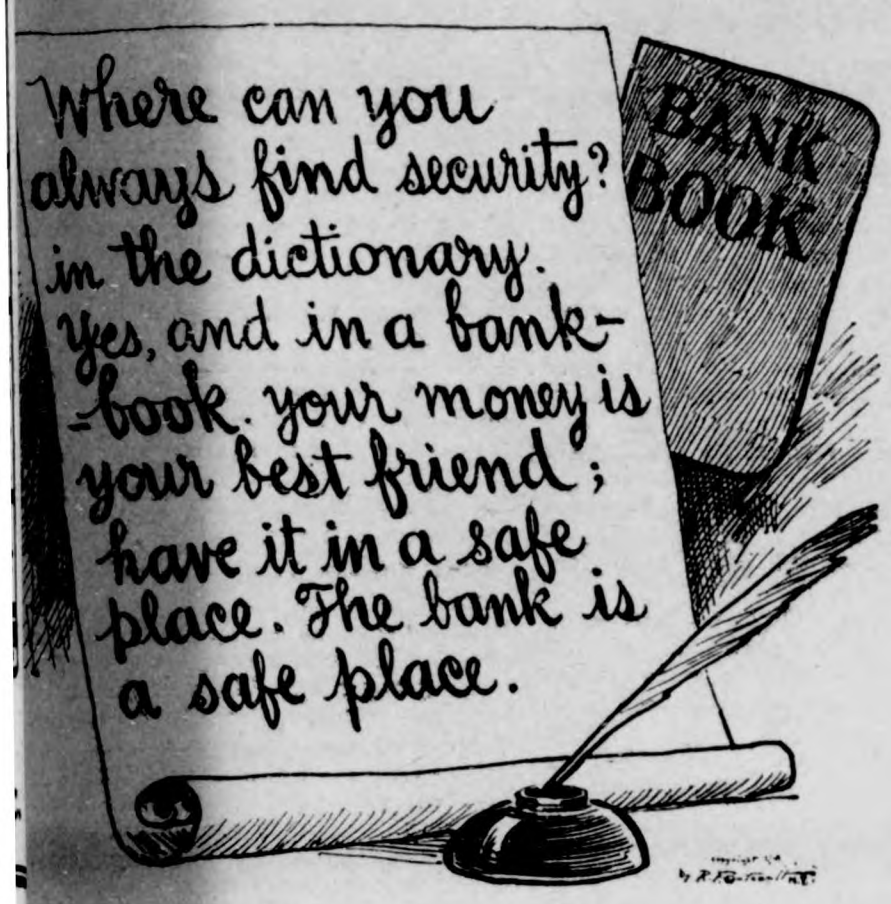

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WILL SPEND TIME IN KITCHEN.

Interview with Cook Led to Woman's Change of Heart.

"I had an interview with my cook to-day which has made me rather thoughtful," said a prominent club woman and philanthropist. "Some time ago I engaged a very capable woman as cook, but since I engaged her it has happened that I have been away from home a good deal, attending meetings of various organizations in which I am interested. My communications with the cook, therefore, have been confined to hurried conversations through speaking tube or messages transmitted through the housemaid. To-day, however, something she served not being to my liking, I thought it time to let her know I was the mistress of the house, and I went down stairs to interview her.

"'And who may you be?' she demanded, standing with arms akimbo as she eyed me from head to foot.

"'Why, I am the mistress of the house—the person who engaged you,' I replied, somewhat taken aback.

"'Oh, sure, so ye are, but I've never seen ye from that day to this and I'd forgot what ye looked like. Now, don't ye think, ma'am,' she continued, 'if ye want things run to suit ye ye'd better visit your kitchen a little oftener?'

"And I've come to the conclusion she was right," said the club woman. "I think it behooves me to resign a few of my public duties that I may spend more time in private life—in my kitchen."

HIS LUCK CHANGED BY TIME.

At Last Butcher Saw Where Hoodoo Was Leaving Him.

A butcher in a small way of business was in the habit of sending his son out with a small trap to deliver orders.

The lad was a careless driver, and one day he knocked down an old lady.

The inevitable lawsuit followed, and the butcher had to pay heavy damages.

Shortly after this the son was the cause of another accident which had a similar unfortunate result, and the drain on the butcher's resources brought him to the verge of ruin.

A few days after the second case had been settled, he was sitting in his shop thinking over his hard fate when a neighbor came rushing in breathless with the information that the butcher's wife had been run over by the careless driver of a private carriage and was lying in the hospital with a crushed leg.

"Thank goodness," exclaimed the butcher, as if greatly relieved; "my luck's changed at last!"

Apples for Advertising.

The Commercial club of North Yakima has decided on the plans for an active 1909 campaign for publicity. The governing board has issued an official call for six carloads of red apples to be sent out on a mission of advertising. The fruits are to be shipped to New York city, Chicago, Philadelphia, Washington, Boston and other large market centers and displayed in various ways, in order to show the possibilities of the country and open new markets for the fruits. Growers are to receive $2.50 a box for all apples accepted. It is estimated that the cars will contain 630 boxes each, and the first cost of getting the exhibit in shape for inspection will approximate $10,000.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

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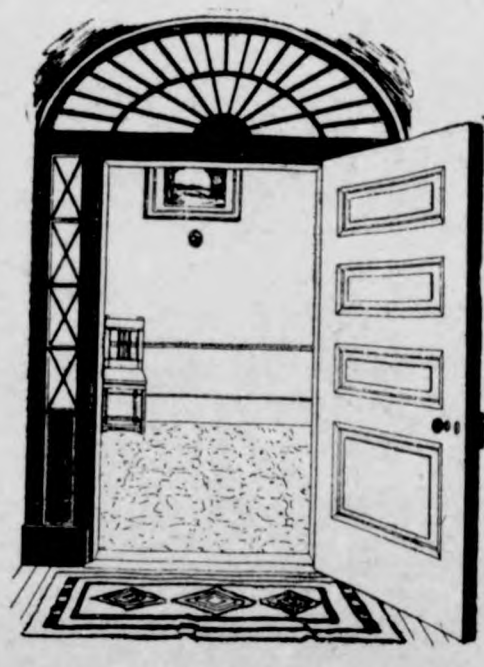

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JURY SAYS "GUILTY"

COOPERS CONVICTED FOR THE KILLING OF CARMACK.

SENTENCED TO TWENTY YEARS

Verdict Was Returned After Prolonged Struggle for Many Hours in Jury Room.

Nashville, Tenn.,—Guilty of murder in the second degree with twenty years imprisonment as the penalty was the verdict of the jury in the case against Colonel Duncan B. Cooper and his son Robin Cooper charged with the murder of former United States Senator E. W. Carmack.

The jury acquitted John D. Sharp, a co-defendant.

State Mistrial.

Immediately the defense moved to set aside the verdict because of the disagreement and asked the court to declare it a mistrial.

Judge Hart said he would listen to arguments on this motion later. He then fixed the defendants' bonds at $25,000 each, which amount was acceptable to both sides.

Verdict a Surprise.

The verdict, coming as it did upon the heels of Foreman Burke's declaration "that we are hoplessly tied up as to the Coopers" was a decided surprise.

The defendants took it coolly—almost without emotion. Mrs. Burch and Mrs. Wilson, the young daughters of Colonel Cooper, were brave and aside from tearful eyes, restrained their emotion gamely. Mrs. Burch sat with her arm around her brother Robin's shoulder and Mrs. Wilson was at her father's right. The suspense for the two young women had been heart-rending, and any verdict, however, unfavorable, was a relief.

Jurors Hurry Away.

The jurors looked tired and disheveled and when the court remarked: "I thank you, gentlemen, for your patience and devotion to the state and dismiss you to your homes and your personal avocations," the entire twelve sprang from their seats as one man and hurriedly left the court room. The defendants and their counsel remained to complete the bond preliminaries and motions for a new trial.

Missouri Fights Railroads.

Jefferson City, Mo.—Bills backed by Governor Hadley and Attorney General Mayor and intended to meet the threatened move of the railroads to restore the 3-cent passenger fare rate were the most important of a large number of measures presented to the legislature on the last day for the introduction of bills. There were three administration railroad bills introduced. One gives the railroad commissioners of the state power to regulate passenger rates, which power will be extended to the public utilities commission if such a body is created. Another bill seeks to prevent railroads from owning and operating coal mines in competition with persons or firms not connected with railroads as the third would, if passed, prevent railroads from making discriminating rates at terminal points in order to meet competition from roads with shorter lines.

Deadly Fight on a Train.

Clarendon, Texas.—An unidentified man is dead and Floyd Autrey, of Fort Worth is dying as the results of a three-cornered fight with revolvers on a Fort Worth & Denver train near Giles, Texas. That Autrey and his cousin, Fred Garrett, of Fort Worth, killed a third participant in the fight and threw the body out of a coach window is indicated by the finding of a body near Estelline bridge later by the police.

Fire in a Penitentiary.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Fire in the laundry house of the Western Pennsylvania penitentiary partially destroyed the building and valuable contents. On the verge of a panic 650 prisoners half the population of the penitentiary were marshaled together in the dining room and marched to their cells A general alarm sent a force of armed guards to the walls and no attempts to escape were made.

Kills Friend Who Stole His Wife.

Fort Worth, Texas.—Fred Morris, in jail here, admits that he deliberately shot and killed Otto H. Meyer, his former friend. He declares that Meyer knew his death sentence had been pronounced and that he unflinchingly accepted his fate. The shooting followed a confession written and signed by Meyer, that he had won the love of Mrs Morris.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth

Dates Named for Camps.

Des Moines.—Four miniature armies will camp on Iowa soil next summer, in the encampment of the four regiments of the state, in July and August. The places of holding the camps have not been determined, but they will be in the territory of the different regiments. Three troops from Fort Des Moines, a platoon of artillery, a signal corps from the regular army, and a detail of officers from the staff college will be added to each Iowa regiment. The dates of the encampments of the regiments have been set as follows: Fifty-third infantry, July 21; Fifty-fifth infantry, August 5; Fifty-sixth infantry, August 18.

Get Away With Nearly $5,000.

Shenandoah.—The First National bank of Imogene, a small town in Page county about eight miles from here, was burglarized and nearly all the cash on hand amounting to about $5,000 secured. The burglars made good their escape, the robbery not being discovered until morning when a section hand on his way to work gave the alarm. The bank is capitalized for $25,000 and according to the last statement had deposits of about $150,000. Most of this, however, is kept here, F. H. Reed, president of the Imogene concern, being also president of one of the leading local banks. The bank vault and safe were literally demolished. None of the bank books or valuable papers were destroyed.

Maybray Gang Are Indicted.

Council Bluffs.—The grand jury of the district court of this (Pottawattamie) county have returned ten indictments in the wholesale swindling cases. The announcement was made that each of the indictments is against J. C. Maybray and others, but the names of none of the others were made public, it being intimated that some of them are not yet under arrest. Conspiracy and larceny is charged in each indictment. The complaining witnesses in the ten cases are Samuel Suton of Cass Lake, Minn.; Joseph P. Walker, Denver; J Hemelbracht, Bancroft, Neb.; W. H. Bedford, Blockow, Mo.; Dr. C. C. Vanderbeck, St. Louis.

Pasteur Institute Cures.

Iowa City.—The Pasteur institute, which was this year established in connection with the bacteriological department of the college of medicine of the state university, has effected its second postive cure. Miss Hertzler of Burlington took a treatment of twenty days and has been cured. Dr. Albert, in charge of the institute, made an analysis of the dog's brain and found that the animal who had bitten her was afflicted with rabies. Mr. Schuster of Des Moines was released after a three weeks' treatment. It was found that in his case the dog which bit him had hydrophobia.

S. U. I. Recruits to Camp.

Iowa City.—Lieutenant Weeks, who is in command of the university military companies, has announced the date of the spring encampment as May 29 to June 1. The student soldiers will leave the university early Saturday morning, and return Tuesday afternoon. The date has been made later this year than previous because of the cold and rainy weather which has hitherto interferred.

Dows Citizens Work for Interurban.

Dows.—The citizens of Dows have subscribed over $1,000 of the $4,000 necessary to run the preliminary survey for an interurban from Mason City to Fort Dodge via Dows. Woolstock is anxious to secure the road and is willing to contribute liberally, but in running the line via Woolstock the promoters would cut off Webster City, an important point on the line.

Farmers Organize Co-Operative Co.

St. Anthony.—Articles of incorporation were filed by the St. Anthony Grain and Stock company, which will deal in dairy products, live stock, merchandise, machinery, agricultural implements and building material. The company is capitalized at $10,000.

Sues the City for $2,000.

Waterloo.—Because the low-hanging bough of a tree on LaFayette street inflicted an injury to his eye while he was driving a hack in the early morning of Dec. 17, S. W. Rich has brought suit for $2,000 damages against the city.

New Line Into Sioux City.

Sioux City.—Preliminary steps for the opening of an interurban railway line between Sioux City and Hartington, Neb., have been taken by Sioux City and Nebraska business men. A conference at which the project was launched was held in the office of W. L. Frost, president of the Sioux City Real Estate association. The meeting was attended by C. T. Johnson Peter Askin and Ben McClary of Martinsburg and Messrs. Burgel, Lynde and Morton of Hartington, and James F. Toy. C. F. Lytle, George C. Call, R. J. Andrews, J. A. Blondell, J. A. Dean, C. A. Kneedler, J. M. Lynch and J. N. Wood of Sioux City. The line is intended to enter a strip of rich farming country twenty miles wide, and will enter Sioux City paralleling the Burlington Short line from Waterbury, Neb. From this point it will work north on almost a direct line to Hartington. The plan is receiving favorable mention among local commercial interests.

Five Want Mayor's Job.

Mason City.—There are now in the field five candidates for the office of mayor. The issues are as varied as the personality of the candidates. A. F. Shotts promises the city a business administration. He heads the republican ticket. A. H. Cummings heads the equal taxation ticket and promises a reform in taxation, and the return to the city of the salary paid to the mayor. F. A. Kirschman leads with the peoples' ticket and is making a strong bid for the labor vote and says the people should rule. W. H. Nutting comes under the head of the Independent ticket and is after the labor vote also on promises of cheaper living. H. H. Harbaugh, who entered the race recently, wants equal taxation and cheaper gas and light. He promises to clean up the police force and renovate the city of vice. He is against saloons and is called the churches' candidate.

Edwin P. Fitch Returns.

Council Bluffs.—Edwin P. Fitch of this city, secretary of the State Insurance company of Iowa, who disappeared last October and was found by the American consul at Naples, has arrived in New York City. Fitch left his home in Council Bluffs last August for a vacation trip in Europe. He telegraphed his relatives from Paris six weeks later that he had gone to London to be operated on for appendicitis. An unsuccessful search for him in London hospitals was made by the state department. When found in Naples in February he said he had been very ill and had only a faint recollection of traveling in various countries on the continent.

Fire Sweeps Town.

Cambridge.—Fire destroyed the hotel operated by J. B. Green, A. M. Mason's jewelry store and a barber shop and nearly all the business places on the east side of the main street Nothing was saved from the jewelry store or barber shop and very little from the hotel. The guests in the hotel had ample warning and all escaped without injury. The fire originated in the barber shop from an unknown cause. The loss is partially covered by insurance. It was just three years ago that fire destroyed several business houses on the west side of the street.

Refund to Ottumwa.

Ottumwa.—The contributors to the fund to pay Pinkerton detectives for ferreting out recent crimes in Ottumwa which aided in securing the confession of John Junken, will receive a portion of their contributions back, as the expense of the secret service men only reach $359. A total of $1,107 was contributed and the committee in charge decided to return to each contributor his pro rata share of the balance.

Five Thousand for His Eye.

Marshalltown.—Five thousand dollars for the loss of an eye, which he had appraised at a value of $50,000, is the amount John A. Welter, a deaf mute of this city, will receive from the Great Western railway. Judgment in that amount was entered against the railroad company in the district court here, and Welter dismissed the case. The compromise was reached following an offer of the railroad company to settle.

Gored to Death by Bull.

Winterset.—Sands Austin, living about three miles northwest of Barney, in this county, was killed by an angry bull. He was found terribly crushed and in a dying condition. He was conscious when found, but lived only about twenty minutes. He was 87 years of age, a native of New York state and an old resident of Madison county.

Aged Pastor Resigns Charge.

Nora Springs.—After nearly fifty years of active ministry, the Rev. D. J. Mason, formerly Congregational pastor here but now of Forest City, resigned a week ago and Sunday preached his farewell sermon to his congregation. Age and poor health are the reasons for his retirement.

NEW TARIFF BILL IS INTRODUCED IN HOUSE

Measure Would Increase Country's Revenues from Customs to $300,000,000 a Year---Inheritance Tax Planned---Coffee on Free List

Washington. — The ways and means committee of the house has begun consideration of the tariff bill which was introduced Wednesday. The measure as it now stands would increase the country's revenues from customs to $300,000,000 a year.

The senate committee on finance also began informal consideration of the measure. The probabilities are that the house committee will have only one sitting on the bill, that the measure will be reported to the house immediately after it convenes to-day and the debates will begin next Monday.

The measure, which was introduced by Sereno Payne, chairman of the committee, chairman of the ways and means committee provides for an inheritance tax; increased internal revenue tax on cigarettes; a $40,000,000 issue of Panama canal bonds; an increased issue of $150,000,000 in treasury certificates, and the imposition of duties on a maximum and minimum basis. Coffee, hides and iron ore are on the free list; boots and shoes, leather goods, steel and iron products, lumber, wool shoddy, and waste, and the cheaper grades of third-class wool are materially reduced. Tea is taxed eight cents a pound. The internal revenue tax on beer and whisky is not disturbed. Thirty thousand copies will be printed.

No Duty on Coffee.

While there is no duty imposed upon coffee, tea is taxed eight cents when imported from the country where it is produced, and nine cents when from other than the producing country. The internal revenue tax on cigarettes is materially increased, while the tax on beer and whisky is undisturbed. A cut of 50 per cent. is made in the steel and lumber schedules. Hides, tallow, cottonseed oil, and works of art more than 20 years old are placed on the free list.

The tariff on boots and shoes is reduced 10 per cent. and on other leather manufactures in proportion. The pottery schedule remains about the same, but the duties on window and plate glass of the smaller sizes are increased, while the duties on the larger sizes are reduced. The tariff on wool of the first and second class, used principally in clothing, is not disturbed, but on wool of the third class, known as carpet wool, it is reduced on the cheaper grades.

Duty on Agricultural Products.

Agricultural products schedule: Barley, from 30 cents per bushel to 15 cents; barley malt from 45 cents to 25 cents; cabbages from 3 to 2 cents each; bacon and hams from 5 cents per pound to 4 cents; fresh meat from 2 cents to 1½ cents per pound; lard from 2 cents to 1½ cents; tallow from ¾ of 1 cent per pound to the free list; wool grease from ½ of 1 cent to ¼ of 1 cent; dextrin, burnt starch, and so forth from 2 cents to 1½ cents per pound; peas, green, from 40 cents per bushel to 30 cents per bushel; all starch, except potato starch, from 1½ cents to 1 cent per pound; sugar, refined, is reduced from 1 95/100 cents to 1 90/100 cents per pound."

Reduction for Wool.

A five cent reduction is made in the duties on shoddy and waste, while wool tops are assessed six cents a pound more than the duty on scoured wool, which is unchanged. The recommendations for placing wood pulp on the free list and reducing the duties on print paper, with certain restrictions, made by the Mann committee of the house, are incorporated in the bill.

The duty on refined sugar is reduced 5.100 of a cent a pound and on dextrin half a cent a pound. A reduction of half a cent a pound is also made in the duty on starch, with the exception of potato starch. Zinc in ore is assessed one cent per pound for the zinc contained. The tariff on pig iron is reduced from $4 to $2.50 per ton.

Where Increases Are Made.

The principal increases are made in the duties on lemons, cocoa and substitutes for coffee, coal-tar, dyes, gloves, and coated papers and lithographic prints.

As was expected, the new tariff bill is made on a maximum and minimum basis, with the provision that the maximum rates are not to go into effect until 60 days after the passage of the bill. Reciprocity provisions are contained in the paragraphs assessing duties on bituminous coal and coke and agricultural implements, by which these articles are given entry free of duty when imported from countries which permit the free importation of these articles from America.

The inheritance tax provision of the bill is similar to the New York state law. It provides a tax of five per cent. on all inheritances over $500 that are collateral inheritances or in which strangers are the legatees. In case of direct inheritance the taxes prescribed are: On $10,000 to $100,000 one per cent.; on $100,000 to $500,000 two per cent., and on those over $500,000, three per cent. It is estimated that $20,000,000 annually will be derived from this tax.

Ends Foreign Trade Agreements.

The maximum and minimum provision of the bill does away with the necessity of continuing the foreign trade agreements. The abrogation of these is provided for in a section which authorizes the president to issue notices of the termination of these agreements within ten days after the bill goes into effect. The French agreement would therefore terminate immediately, while the German agreement would remain in force for six months.

A provision in the bill is designed to meet the conditions resulting from the patent laws of Great Britain which requires that patentees must manufacture their articles in Great Britain. This provision applies the same rules to patents taken out in this country by aliens as applied to Americans in the country of the alien. Drawback privileges are extended by the bill and the method of valuation on articles upon which the tariff imposes an ad valorem duty is broadened for the purpose of preventing the practice of undervaluation.

Payne Explains Bill.

The following explanation of the form of the bill was made by Mr. Payne:

"The new tariff bill is a minimum and maximum tariff bill. The minimum rates of duty are contained in the first section, and the free list for the minimum rates is in the second section of the bill. The third section contains the maximum rates, which are generally equal to the minimum rates and 20 per cent. in addition thereto and the articles on the free list, in the transfer to the third section, bear a duty of 20 per cent. ad valorem as a maximum rate. The maximum rate does not go into effect in any event until 60 days after the passage of the act. By the fourth section the minimum rates are applied to all good terms by way of tariff as that given to any other nation and the maximum rates are applied to those countries which discriminate against the trade of the United States or fail to give the United States tariff rates as favorable as those given any other nation. This section is self acting, making it the duty of the executive to collect the duties, whether minimum or maximum, in accordance with the terms of the bill, leaving it open to the courts to decide upon the legality of the action.

"One problem that confronted the committee was the question of revenue. The business of all commercial nations has been depressed for nearly two years, and thus has affected our commerce and greatly reduced our revenues, so that we have a large deficit, but the revenues under the present law are improving from month to month, as business conditions are becoming better."

Changes by Payne Bill.

The statement gives the rates in the present law, the Dingley tariff and shows the changes that the Payne bill proposes. The abstract of the bill continues:

"The committee have transferred some articles from the free list to the dutiable, and have increased duties on others for the sole purpose of increasing the revenue. Most of these articles on which duties have been increased are luxuries which have been increased as follows:

"Perfumeries and toilet articles from 50 to 60 per centum ad valorem; fancy soap, from 15 to 20 cents per pound; chicory root, raw, not dried, from one cent to 2½ cents per pound; roasted from 2½ cents to five cents per pound.

"Cocoa, crude, transferred from the free list to the dutiable, at four cents per pound; prepared or manufactured increased two cents on each classification except that valued above 35 cents per pound, which remains the same. Ten per centum ad valorem is also added to the duties assessed on that valued between 15 and 35 cents per pound. Powdered cocoa from five to nine cents per pound.

"There Is Some One In Here, I Know It."

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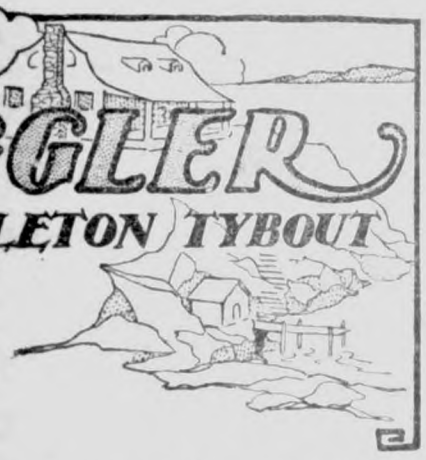

SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. The young women met a Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented. Two men called. They proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett, one a friend of Elizabeth's father. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Fearing for the safety of some gems, Lady Edith left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his actions on board ship. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. At a supper, which was held on the rocks, Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party. Gabrielle witnessed a stormy scene between Lady Edith and Lord Wilfrid, jealousy being the cause. Mary Anne brought back Elizabeth's ring. Elise went sailing with Gordon Bennett. He tried to persuade her to return the jewels left in the girl's care by Lady Edith. At midnight Elise saw two men—one of them Gordon Bennett—attempting to force an entrance into their boathouse. She admitted to herself that she had nearly loved him and believed herself used as a tool. Mrs. Graham, sick, told Elise of her husband's love for another woman. Gordon Bennett and Blake returned with Mr. Graham's body. He had been murdered. Lord Wilfrid grew sulky. Lady Edith confided to Elise that Blake and Bennett were thieves. Lady Edith led her to where they were trying to break in. The girls were awakened late at night by a noise in the cottage.

CHAPTER XVI.—Continued.

"Get your watch," advised Gabrielle, "and your pins and things. I've got all mine in this chamois bag, except the gold beads; they wouldn't go, so I'll just carry them. I'm not afraid, but I would rather have my things with me, somehow."

I collected my small store of valuables, and we formed a procession of three and ventured downstairs, walking softly, as though afraid to disturb some one.

With every step our confidence returned. We tried the front door and found it closed and bolted; the windows in the hall and living room were securely fastened; the dining room also appeared impregnable; and when we found the door to the safe tightly closed, I was beyond measure relieved, and almost ready to laugh at my suspicions.

In the kitchen we found the cellar door open, and debated whether we should lock it and thus prevent Mary Anne's return, or wait and greet her in disapproving array.

"Let us listen," suggested Gabrielle, and sat down upon the top step to carry out her suggestion.

Then occurred the accident to which I referred in the very beginning. She held her gold beads in her hand, and somehow managed to break the catch and away they went. We could hear them rolling down into the cellar step by step, and Gabrielle was at first motionless with surprise, then as usual prepared for immediate action.

"I'm going after them," she announced, literally rising to the occasion.

"Down there?" shuddered Elizabeth. "Oh, no! Wait till morning."

"I spent every cent of Cousin Lucy's check on those beads," said Gabrielle, folding her kimono about her and preparing to descend, "and I'm going to pick them up right away. Wait till morning, indeed! You might suppose they were pebbles."

We sighed apprehensively, but prepared to follow our intrepid friend, feeling that we must share whatever fate was in store for her, as well as help collect her property. So we went carefully down the steps, holding our candles well before us.

Those miserable beads had rolled to the most remote places, of course, and we got so interested in looking for them we almost forgot to be afraid.

Suddenly, however, Elizabeth gave a stifled scream, which was more of a gasp, after all, and shrank back against the wall.

"There is some one in here," she whispered. "I know it."

"How do you know?"

Gabrielle tried to speak boldly, but the hand which held the candle shook until a little shower of melted wax fell upon the floor.

"I was feeling—under the steps,"—Elizabeth found articulation difficult—"when I touched hair—human hair."

We gazed at one another in abject terror, unable for the moment to speak or move; then Elizabeth, whose nerves were completely unstrung, swayed suddenly as though she were going to faint.

"I'm afraid," she gasped—"awfully afraid. It was hair, and—oh, dear! what shall we do?"

She began to sob in a hopeless kind of way, in which I felt much inclined to join, when I heard a suppressed exclamation, followed by a scrambling sound and the simultaneous flash of two dark lanterns, as a man advanced from the back of the cellar, while another appeared from beneath the steps.

Instinctively we drew close together, and when we afterward compared notes found we had each tried to scream but could not.

"Don't be frightened," said a voice which sounded strangely familiar; "it's only us, Blake and I."

The girls stared with mingled relief and amazement, but I looked the other way, for I felt a curious sensation of personal disgrace, and as though I could not bear to meet their eyes.

"But," said Elizabeth, at last—"but—"

"It is odd, isn't it?" said Mr. Bennett, with a laugh he tried hard to make natural. "I'm—I'm most awfully sorry you happened to come down. We did not want you to know anything about it."

He paused abruptly, conscious that he was floundering badly, and turned to his companion.

"Tell them, Blake," he commanded. "This thing has got to be explained, and, after all, it's your business, not mine."

"Yes," said Gabrielle, in her most high and mighty voice; "it does seem to need explaining."

I admired her very much just then, for it is not every woman who can look dignified and imposing when enveloped in a kimono, with a spluttering candle in her hand, and a dearth of stiff petticoats to sustain her moral backbone.

Mr. Blake cast an anxious glance toward the recess from which he had emerged.

"One moment," he said, then disappeared into the darkness, whence we plainly heard a subdued whispering.

"Are there more of you?" demanded Gabrielle, but with rather a forlorn quaver in her voice instead of the note of stern interrogation she had intended.

"It's all right," said Gordon Bennett. "On my honor, Miss Gabrielle, it's all right."

"Your honor!"

I had not intended to speak; the words escaped before I was aware of it. He turned and looked at me steadily, and again I involuntarily averted my eyes.

"On my honor," he repeated.

"Now," said Mr. Blake, returning; "if you will kindly come upstairs, I am ready to explain, but I fear I must cause you some pain, or at least a shock."

We went up to the living room, Elizabeth and I very conscious of our dishabille and inclined to shrink into dark corners, Gabrielle stalking majestically on in front with disgust and disapproval written in capital letters across her back, and indignation hanging from her shoulder blades.

"Well?" she said, coldly, after a moment's silence.

"First," said Mr. Blake, with a note of calm authority in his voice, "I must ask you to listen to my story without interruptions, and to accept for the time being any statements I may make. Later I shall be in a position to prove them."

"I hope so," murmured Gabrielle, plainly unimpressed.

Mr. Blake handed her a chair with the same careful courtesy which had hitherto marked his intercourse with us, and waited until she was seated before saying anything more. Gabrielle sat rigidly upright, but suddenly remembered that her feet, incased in bedroom slippers, were minus stockings, and therefore drew them quickly under the folds of her kimono, which hasty act was rather refreshing, since it proved her but mortal, after all.

"I do not suppose," he began, in the calm, level tone so irritating when one's excitement is at fever heat, "you will believe me when I say that Mrs. Bundy's emeralds are in your safe. Please don't take the trouble to deny it, for I know I am speaking the truth.

"Also, I wish to say that they were placed there by the woman you have received and entertained as Lady Campbell, but who is in reality a notorious character and badly wanted by the police."

"I don't believe it."

It was Elizabeth who spoke, and her words were freighted with sincere conviction.

"I did not expect you to. It is true, nevertheless. This woman is known as Nell Simms, and her career has been marvelous. For some years she was—well, associated with a famous criminal named James Kilroy, who gave the police a long, hard chase before his capture. He had many strings to his bow, not the least among them the smuggling of diamonds and other articles none too honestly acquired; since his arrest this woman has directed the business. She is clever—wonderfully clever."

There was sincere, if unwilling, admiration in his tone, and he paused thoughtfully before resuming his story.

"It has been my business this summer to look up this matter of smuggling, and I have followed the history of this woman as closely as I could. After the arrest of her chosen companion she married the man you know as Lord Wilfrid Campbell, who is a well-known thief and a member of the small and select band of smugglers, but who is far from being as clever as she. He is also the son of your servant, Mary Anne Brown."

Across my mind rushed the recollection of the conversation I had overheard in the cellar, and the memory of the man's voice, certain inflections of which had haunted me with their familiarity. For some reason I looked across at Gordon Bennett, only to find him watching me intently, an anxious expression in his blue eyes, where relief was mingled with sympathy. I wondered if he knew what I had been thinking, and immediately looked away again.

"The son of your servant," continued Mr. Blake's even voice, "and a dangerous character—wanted for murder in Montreal. These people, young ladies, have used you for their own purposes. This cottage you live in belongs to them, and you were put here as a buffer to avert suspicion. Your servant was sent here to watch you and drug you when necessary; your boathouse was used to conceal their boats, and your cellar to store their goods. A passage at the back—hidden by the empty dry goods box—leads into the boathouse. With the man's mother as your servant and under their control, it was easy for them to carry on whatever operations they chose, and to baffle the secret service. But your safety, even your lives, were in danger."

He paused as though there was more to come which he hardly knew how to say, but Gabrielle interrupted him, starting from her chair and standing tall and erect before him.

"And do you expect us to believe this extraordinary story?" she inquired slowly.

"It is true."

"It is not true. We know there are jewels in that safe. Lady Edith put them there after the robbery at the hotel, because she was afraid of losing them. But they are pearls, not emeralds, and to-morrow I will ask her to show them to you."

"I do not wish to see them."

"I do not know, Mr. Blake, what you were doing in our cellar to-night. It seems a very strange place for a guest, but no doubt you can offer some satisfactory explanation of your intentions. We are waiting for it; your unwarrantable attack upon our friends hardly seems sufficient reason for your presence here at this hour."

Mr. Blake looked at his watch, then replied very calmly.

"Your friends," he said, with a slight emphasis, "will return here to-night. We are waiting for them. We are sorry, as Mr. Bennett has already said, that you discovered us, for we meant to conduct the thing quietly."

"It is impossible," said Gabrielle. "I—we—why, I know you must be mistaken."

"You can see for yourself," he returned. "I must ask you to allow me to put out the lights."

"I will not do it."

"But, Miss Gabrielle, you really must," interrupted Gordon Bennett quickly. "So much depends upon it! If we are wrong, we will apologize in sackcloth and ashes. Tell her it is the only thing to do, Miss Elizabeth."

We finaly agreed, and hid behind the portiere at the dining room door, feeling wretchedly guilty ourselves, as well as disloyal to our absent friends

I do not know how long we stood there in the dark, but it seemed an age, as I distinctly felt the thumping of my heart and listened with strained attention for a sound from the surrounding darkness.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Milo a Staple in Dry States.

The newest pioneering crop is milo. It is a sort of corn which has made itself staple in the drier uplands of Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Kansas and Oklahoma. This territory takes a varying annual rainfall of 17 to 25 inches. Last year it was found to mature in points in Colorado 6,000 feet above the sea level, and in South Dakota it had ripened just as the first frost occurred. Its roots penetrate from three to four feet after the moisture. In appearance the seeds head out, not like an ear of maize, with a covering of husk, but very much like that of broom corn, with a bunch of loosely-grown seeds around the head of the stalk. It can be harvested by machinery, is easily thrashed, and yields from 30 to 55 bushels an acre. Its main use is for the feeding of live stock. As such, it adds another mainstay to the strength of farms in regions of small rainfall.—Wall Street Journal.

Married and Single.

There is no denying that engaged lovers stand on one platform and married lovers on another. Previous to marriage so little is said about money. There are discussions, there are wranglings, but they are done by proxy, by the lawyers. Once married, however, the principals must talk of money matters between thmselves; its management, its disbursement.—London Lady.

Women as Fakir Victims.

Women are especially warned that there are many fake curios in Europe and other places, and women who are traveling are considered fair prey as a general thing. In most places there any persons who can be relied upon to give true information in regard to these things, and women should trust to their judgment.

DOUBTED TALES OF SCIENTIST.

Scotsman's Summing Up of Character of Man of Learning.

Sir Archibald Geikie, the distinguished geologist, who will probably succeed Lord Rayleigh as president of the Royal society, tells a good story in his capital book of "Scottish Reminiscences."

"I was quite sure you had been in our neighborhood," a friend said to Sir Archibald. "I met the old farmer of G——, who had a strange tale to tell me.

"'Dod, Mr. Caithcart,' he began, 'I ran across the queerest body the other day. As I was coming by the head of the cleugh I thocht I heard a wheen tinkers quarrelin', but when I lookit down there was a wee stoot man. Whiles he was chappin the rocks wi' a hammer, whiles he was writin' in a book, whiles fetchin' with the thorns and misca'in them for a' that was bad. When he cam up frae the burn, him and me had a large confab. Dod! he tell't me a' about the stanes, and hoo they showed that Scotland was ance like Greenland, smoored in ice. A very entertainin' body, Mr. Caithcart, but—an awful', awful' lecar."—Tit-Bits.

She Earned It.

Mabel liked candy. However, she was not allowed nearly as much as she would like. One day her father told her that she could have three pieces if she would kiss a visitor who was coming to dinner. As soon as the front door was opened she rushed up and implanted the kiss with much gusto, and then turned to her father.

"Now, papa, give me the candy for kissing her."

Other Men's Wives.

"What a pretty party this is," she said, as she looked around the beautiful room at the pretty women sitting on the long divans against the wall. "And these are your wives? Aren't they sweet? Isn't it lovely?"

"Yes," he admitted, "but you ought to have been at our party last month when we had a lot of other fellows' wives. It was a whole lot lovelier."

Cure That Cold To-Day.

Nearly all druggists and dealers now have in stock Lane's Pleasant Tablets (laxative), for Colds and Grip, and they will break up a cold quicker than any other remedy. A trial will convince you, as it has thousands of others. Avoid suffering and save doctors' bills by ordering to-day. 25 cents a box. Sample free. Address Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y.

And It Was Overruled.

Judge Hoar and Gen. Butler were opponents in a case of a new trial. Gen. Butler quoted: "Eye for eye, skin for skin, tooth for tooth, yea, all that a man hath, will be give for his life." To which Judge Hoar replied: "Yes, the devil quoted that once before in a motion for a new trial."

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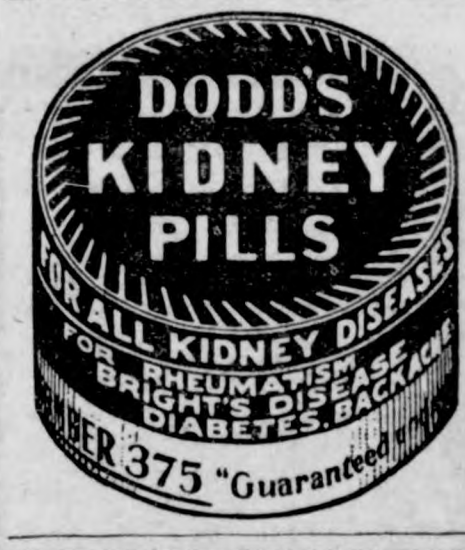

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KLEMME, IOWA

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Several catalogues houses are offering "just as good" cream separators for sale at a lower price than the U. S. Cream Separator sells for. But before the unfortunate purchaser of one of these "mail order" separators gets through paying the repair bills he finds that **first cost** isn't the only difference. The "cheap" separators soon get out of fix because they are built of cheap material, and loosely put together. The cost of repairs alone in the first year or two would pay the difference in price between one of them and a U. S. But more important still they **do not skim clean**, they **waste cream at every** skimming.

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Renew on the Klemme Times.

KLEMME WOMEN ARE AFTER SHEATH GOWNS

Local Merchants Fail to Make Them Believe That They are Not the Thing.

"Sheath gowns, and sheath gowns only."

That was the ultimatum delivered by a party of Klemme women in the city today doing their spring shopping. They brought pictures of the famous fashion from Paris and would accept nothing but the real article with the real sheath.

It was in vain that the local venders of fashionable attire for women told them that the sheath gowns are not now all the rage, that they are in fact back numbers, and that American women have not taken kindly to the style

It could'nt be true, they said for this picture was from a real Paris paper and told how those gowns are all the rage now. So they went back to Klemme without sheath gowns, but determined to make the trip to Paris if necessary to secure them.–From the Mason City Times-Herald, Tuesday, Mar. 23.

Avery Center.

W. M. Shaver has invested in a very fine driving horse.

Phil Behringer has invested in a new manure spreader.

George Binken of Grundy Center is visiting at Frank Ufkens.

Vera Cook wears a long smile all on account of the arrival of a little son.

J. W. Griggs and W. L. Sherwood were Meservey callers one day last week.

John Heginger's little girl has been very sick but is improving at this writing.

Fred Wilkins and Frank Ufken atttended the combination sale at Meservey.

J. F. Griggs and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hamilton were Garner callers, last Wednesday.

Anthony Shaver accompanied by his sisters atterded a dance at Arthur Bishels last Wednesday Eve.

The Avery Center Orchestra are going to give an entertainment at the Center school house Saturday eve.

J F Hartfelder and family and Phil Behringer and family called at the W. L. Sherwood home Wednesday eve.

Miss Maud Griggs returned home Tuesday from Hartley Iowa where she has finished a very successful term of school.

NEAR DEATH IN BIG POND

It was a thrilling experience to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. "For years a severe lung trouble gave me intense suffering" she writes, and several times nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Dr. King's new discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years. Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond, Pa. It works wonders in coughs and colds, sore lungs, hemorrhages, lagrippe, asthma croup, whooping cough and all bronchial affections. 50c and $1.00 Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G A Pabst & Co.

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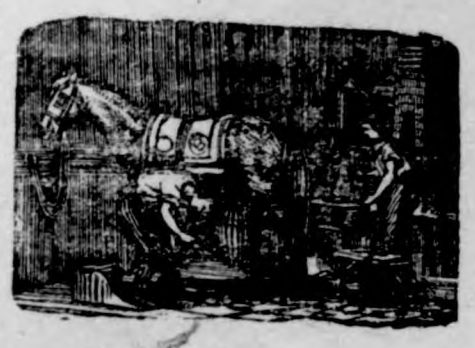

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LOCAL NEWS

New ad for State Savings.

H. Barz was at Garner on Tuesday.

Miss Dora Lau visited at Garner last week Saturday.

H Lewis has been helping out in this office over a ruse of work.

Aug. Ridder and Fred Musfeld were Garner callers on Wednesday.

Miss Aggie Blank visited with her sister Mrs. Wm. F. Lau and the Schroeder family on Monday.

The Kirkwood restaurant is now stocked up with new goods. They solicit a share of your patronage.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

If you'd be dubbed a handsome girl
And win a handsome Knight,
The secret here I do impart,
Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night
G A Pabst & Co.

The following were at Garner today: Mrs. Arnold and her daughter Amanda, Mrs. H. Lau and Mrs. Al. Koerner and children, the Yohn sisters and the Suckow sisters.

The funeral of little Elden B. Schuldt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wes. J. Schuldt was largely attended at the German M. E. church last week Friday. The Times wishes to express their sympathy to the bereaved parents.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 7 6 x 8, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

Ell Bros. who handle the Cyphers Incubators and Brooders are doing a land office business in the way of hatching chickens these days. They have three machines in operation now and one hatch came off last week which was displayed in their show window which was a pertty sight to see. They have a good machine and are agents for the same and they have sold quite a number of them this Spring Anyone who may be interested, they will gladly wait upon you or send you a catalog.

Read the Savings ad of the State Bank.

R. Nesbit of Garner, was a Klemme visitor Monday.

Howard Yohn is visiting at Charles City and Greene, Iowa.

Wm. F. Lau and family of Garner, visited in Klemme over Sunday.

John Bock, Jr. and wife were at Garner between trains Wednesday.

Ed Lenz left for Forest City Monday last. He also visited at Mason City

J. F. Hartfelder returned from Chicago Tuesday where he has been shipping stock.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

Mrs. H. L Schuldt visited her sister Mrs M. E. Peck and family at Garner the first of this week.

Thos. Monaghen and family will now be residents of Garner. They moved from Goodell on Tuesday.

Read Mrs. J. Josten's millinery opening ad. which will be on April 1-2 3. She has a veay nice line to select from.

Jim Pavey and his uncle arrived from Garrison last week for a few days visit with Wallace. They returned Saturday.

There will be a dime social at the home of M. Elder's on next Tuesday, Mar. 30, 1909. Everybody is cordially invited.

Bloom keeps all kinds of good seed oats, barley, buckwheet, clover, timothy, rape and milet. Yours for business at the South Elevator. tf

A spring tonic that makes rich, red blood. Brings strength, health and happiness to the whole family. Nothing equals Hollister's rocky mountain tea as a spring regulator. 36c. G A Pabst & Co.

Don't wait until your blood is impoverished and you are sick and ailing but take Hollister's rocky mountain tea now. It will positively drive out all winter impurities. 35c, tea or tablets. G. A. Pabst & Co.

I have some good improved farms in Southern Minnesota I will trade for a good business, General Merchandise or hardware preferred. Write Box 18, Danvers. Minn.

This month of March certainly has been a bad one. The snow that fell is staying right by us and more or less are effected with bad colds. We are anxiously waiting for spring weather.

Joe Hamilton informed us that he wished to resign from the office of Vic-Pres, in the noted Avery Center Orchestra. He says that Frank Ufken has had more experience in orchestras and would be the fit man to hold such a prominent office.

It is rumored that there will be a town election on Monday, Mar. 29th. There was no notice published as heretofore to this effect. Some of the candidates who are working the hardest will probably inform the voters as to where and from what time this election will take place.

IT SAVED HIS LEG

All though I'd lose my leg writes J. A. Swenson. Watertown Wis., Ten years of eczema that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well." Infallible for skin eruptions, eczema, salt rheum, boils, fever sores, burns, scalds, cuts and piles, 25c at. G. A. Pabst & Co.

S. H. Day was sight seeing at Garner on Monday.

Clair Pollock drove down from Garner on Wednesday.

More or less are affected with LaGrippe these days.

Another change of ad for the State Bank this week.

Mrs. M. Haskin has been on the sick roll the past week.

J. Gruetzmacher transacted business at Garner Monday.

J. J. Wilson of Mesevey was seen on our streets Monday.

Mrs. H. Griewe and daughter Miss Clara were Garner visitors Monday.

Sunday was the first day of Spring and it has felt spring like ever since.

Observe the Wellemeyer New Clothing ad. this week. Over $1,000 worth of new clothing.

Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher and Grandma Gruetzmacher, visited relatives at Garner last week Saturday.

Geo. Radloff of Clayton county visited with H. Ihde and family last week. He is a cousin of the Ihde brothers.

Mrs. E. P. Dow and daughters visited here the first of the week with relatives and friends, returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Schneider of Garner, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher and family the first of this week.

Chris. Hansen and wife returned last week from Ft. Dodge where they have been visiting with their son in-laws. They also visited at other points.

During our winter months the Rock Island R'y has met with a great deal of difficulty in making their regular runs and on regular time through here on account of the snow and blizzards this winter, but the latest addition has been added and that is in the way of a three wheeled hand car which is manipulated by our experienced strong man Geo. Wessels who has been breaking the wind for freight trains, leading them only a few rails ahead which has been a great advantage in making time. The other evening Geo. was leading the fright in from the north with the fright close upon him caused by the suction of the three wheeled hand car. The only thing Geo could do was to pump for dear life to keep clear from the train. Geo. says that he had a very narrow escape and that he has resigned his position in breaking the roads for the Rock Island System.

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

John Newberger,	Ventura
F. Griesemer,	Garner
Wm. Monaghen,	Goodell
Fred Bock,	Klemme
D. D. Ross	Garnrr
W. S. Glanville	Goodell
Jno. Heginger,	Goodell
Aug. Kropp,	Garner
H. A. Josten,	Klemme
M. H. Crissman,	Olin, Iowa

THE LURID GLOW OF DOOM

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H M Adams of Henriette. Pa. His awful plight from eczeme had for five years defied al remedies and baffled the best doctors who aaid the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. But. writs his mother, seven bottles of electric bitters completely cured him. For eruptios, eczema, salt rheum, sores and all blood diseases and rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c. Guaranteed by G A Pabst & Co.

German M. E. Church Items

W. C. A. Gast and family were Klemme visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Ridder was quite sick for a few days last week.

Spring is here, but spring weather has failed to appear.

Emil Sampson attended services in Germantown last Sunday.

Mrs. H. Griewe and daughter Clara were Garner callers Monday.

The Klemme League will give a missionary program next Sunday evening.

Wm. Kraus and family called on father and mother Kraus Sunday afternoon.

A young man of Mason City was a visitor at the W. J. Schmidt home last Sunday.

Camilla Neff came home from Charles City Saturday afternoon returning Monday evening.

W. F. Lau and family spent Sunday with their kin folks. There is no place like Klemme, they say.

Ida Schwichtenberg is staying with her grandmother for the time being, helping take care of her aunt.

Mr. Georg of Lake Mills, Wis. arrived Sunday morning to see his aged mother who has been poorly of late.

Aug. Nuehring is keeping things straight on the H. C. Wichman farm this week while the latter is on a visit to Clayton county.

Mr. and Mrs. John Newberger had four of their children christened Monday naming them Walter Roy; Christine Mae; Ruth Matilda and John Mitchell.

Rev. Wm. Berg departed last Friday evening for West Grove, Davis Co., Iowa where he has taken a pastoral charge. His wife will remain with her mother in Klemme indefinitaly.

The funeral of little Elden B. Schuldt was largely attended last Friday both in the house and in the church. It was plainly noticable that all were desirous to express their sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Schuldt in their bereavement.

We read Carl Wellemeyer's letter in last week's issue with much interest. The romantic scenery which so impressed him is near the home of our childhood. We have passed up and down "Elk bottom" more than a hundred times on foot, horse back or by team There among the hills and valleys we used to pasture the cattle in early days, go fishing and bathing in the creek, hunt coons in the fall, rabbits and squirrels in winter and make maple sugar in early spring We suppose by this time Carl has tried one of those double bitted axes and we are curious to know how many cords of wood he cut the first day. Miss Muffat is wondering what Carl said when he drove down one of those steep hills with a heavy load. We are all interested in our old friends you see.

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PROSAIC ENDING OF DREAM.

Nevertheless, Editor Believes It Portends Some Good Luck.

The dream of an unknown Kansas editor:

She was dressed in green, and a serpent of old gold and with red eyes encircled her arm. Her hair was very black and loose. Her eyes, black and deep, seemed to search me through as she held my hand in hers and looked up from the palm she had been reading.

"Your death will come suddenly," she said.

"Will it be a railroad collision or a hotel fire?" we inquired.

"I cannot say," she said, "but it will be so sudden as to be painless."

Just then we awoke, because somebody was punching us in the ribs and saying: "Get on your side of the bed and let me have my share of the quilts."

But we have been thinking about it since, and we believe somebody is going to pay his subscription in advance. —Kansas City Journal.

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Bobby rushed out to meet his father the other night as he was returning from work and said, breathlessly:

"Oh, papa, I won't have to study nearly so hard at school any more."

Now, Bobby had been doing far from well, and his father was pleased to hear of the new interest, hoping for better things.

"How's that, my son?" said he.

"Oh, I got put back a class."—The Housekeeper.

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WIN HARD BATTLE

BULK SALES BILL FINALLY PASSED BY THE IOWA SENATE.

PROVOKES LONG DISCUSSION

Prevents Merchants From Disposing of Stock Without Notifying Creditors.

Des Moines.—By a vote of 29 to 12 the Iowa senate passed the De Wolf bulk sales bill after a substitute offered by the author for the original had been amended. The discussion of the measure occupied almost all of the morning. The substitute offered by Senator De Wolf eliminated the provision in the former bill which would have compelled a dealer to notify all of his creditors five days previous to making a sale of his stock of goods or any part of the stock, in bulk, except in the general course of trade.

Had Some Opposition.

Opposition developed to this measure on the part of Senators Francis and Adams and the latter declared that the bill as framed would prevent a general merchant from disposing of his line of boots and shoes or his stock of tobacco, or any particular line he might decide to quit carrying as a part of his general stock. Senator Balkema, who is a merchant, took the same view and opposed the bill on that ground. The senate adopted an amendment by Senator Adams by which the reference to any part of a merchant's stock is omitted from the bill, and as it was adopted the measure provides that five days' notice must be given of the sale of a stock of goods in bulk. The substitute eliminates also the necessity of notifying each creditor and provides that a bill of sale shall be filed of record by the transferrer and shall remain on file for five days before the money concerned in the sale changes hands.

Saloon Bills Passed by Senate.

Defining the duties of sheriffs.

Defining the duties of county attorneys.

Defining the duties of the attorney general.

Providing for the removal of officers for neglect of duty.

Prohibiting the sale of liquors and narcotics to inebriates or former inmates of institutions for the cure of liquor or drug habits.

Providing for numbered reports of sales of liquors by druggists, and for returns by each dealer to the county auditor.

Prohibiting the drinking of liquors on trains or street cars.

Prohibiting the establishing of a saloon within three hundred feet of a public library.

Prohibiting saloon keepers from serving lunches.

Limiting the number of saloons in cities to not more than one for each 1,000 of population.

Prohibiting any person convicted of selling liquor unlawfully from engaging in the saloon business within five years after the conviction.

Prohibiting breweries from engaging in the retail saloon business.

Prohibiting stockholders in brewing companies from signing the bonds of saloon keepers.

Pending Passage by Senate.

Gilliland bill raising saloon bond from $3,000 to $5,000.

Chapman bill to prevent sale of liquor by druggists except on doctor's prescriptions.

Gets After Big Corporations.

Against opposition from the telegraph and telephone companies the house of representatives passed the Tilton bill extending the time in which an injured party must put in a claim for damages against either to six months instead of sixty days as at present. The bill applies only to cases of error in transmission of a message or to unnnecessary delays.

Nine "Lifers" Learn Their Fate.

The senate pardons committee report, adverse to clemency for nine of the eleven convicts who asked for parole, was adopted by the senate. This leaves but two cases not disposed of. Some of those whose applications were rejected will probably appeal to the parole board and governor soon.

Governor is 49 Years Old.

Governor B. F. Carroll is 49 years old. He celebrated the event by working with the executive council in catching up for lost time because of the inauguration. The governor is an Iowan by birth and the 49 years of his career have been spent almost entirely in Davis county and Des Moines.

Chiropractic Examiners.

A third bill by Representative Miller, creating a board of chiropractic examiners and recognizing chiropractic doctors was considered and three practitioners of this school were heard.

Free Teachers from Exams.

School teachers will be given relief from frequent examinations by a bill prepared by Senator Adams, and graduates of high schools and colleges are given recognition without examination for a limited period of time. Persons holding first grade certificates and who can give proof of successful teaching for five years shall have their certificates renewed for life. Applicants whose examinations entitle them to a third grade certificate shall receive the same for one year, at the end of which successful teaching shall be sufficient warrant of a renewal for one year. Applicants who have completed four years of a high school course or its equivalent are under this bill entitled to a third grade certificate for one year. Upon proof of successful teaching for that period the applicant may receive a second grade certificate for two years without further examination. Upon proof of thirty-six weeks of successful teaching the applicant may receive a first grade certificate for life upon passing the examination in such studies as are required for a first grade certificate and were not included in the requirements for graduation. College graduates may be given a second grade certificate and secure a first grade certificate by the same process outlined for high school graduates.

Oregon Plan Killed.

Senator Moon held the support of the democratic minority in the senate for his Oregon plan bills. He made a speech for the bills and was followed by Senator De Wolf. Both explained the working of the Oregon law as to the election of United States senators and asked that the senate vote to adopt the same plan in Iowa. On the roll call the Moon bills received just what had been conceded them—the democratic vote. The republicans voted for Senator Peterson's motion to approve the report of the committee on elections recommending indefinite postponement of the bills. Senator Smith of Burlington and Senator White of the Iowa-Johnson county district were the democrats absent, and Senators Smith of Mitchell, Bruce and Seeley were the three republicans not in attendance .This is the first strictly party measure to be voted upon in the Iowa senate during the present legislative session.

Organized Labor Wins.

Members of organized labor rejoiced when the senate passed the Dowell bill which provides for air brakes on all double truck street cars and gives the companies until January 1, 1912, to finish the equipping of the last one-third of the cars now in service. All cars purchased subsequent to the passage of the bill by the lower house must have air brakes. The bill was introduced at the request of the street car employes' union.

Senator Ream introduced another measure that is of interest to organized labor. It provides that all road engines on railways shall be equipped with headlights powerful enough to allow the engineer to distinguish objects 1,200 feet in advance of the locomotive. It was referred to the committee on railroads.

Control Board Waiting.

The members of the board of control and the heads of the state institutions under the management of the board have adopted a waiting game. Though their methods have been criticised by members of the legislature and stories of mismanagement and even of cruelty have been told, they are not disposed to make any answer until an official investigation is made and they are officially asked to defend themselves. The head of every state institution under the board is attending the quarterly meetings, but none of these men has a word to say about the legislative investigation.

Can't Sell Beer Even if Papa Agrees.

The Iowa supreme court gave the liquor laws another new twist which will add to the troubles of the registered pharmacists. In a Polk county case, that of Sharp against Davis, the defendant resisted an injunction on the ground that in selling liquor to a minor he had the written consent of the boy's father. The court, in a decision by Judge Evans, holds that this is no protection to the permit holder.

State Will be Redistricted.

The senate has adopted the house bill for a committee to redistrict Iowa as to judges and report a bill within a week, after full and fair investigation of the work done by all the courts of the state. The purpose is to kill off the bill relating to pay of shorthand reporters. The senate also passed the bill increasing the annual allowance of the state board of health by $3,100, makin git $9,000 a year.

Manufacture Serum.

The Wilson bill providing for the establishment of a laboratory to manufacture hog cholera serum for free use of farmers was passed. It carries $8,000 and the plant is to be located at or near Des Moines in charge of the state veterinarian.

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Brookfield, Mo.—Mrs. Sarah Lousignont, 207 S. Market St.
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Kewaskum, Wis.—Mrs. Carl Dahlke.

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Worcester, Mass.—Mrs. Dosylva Coté, 117 Southgate Street.
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Atwater Station, O.—Mrs. Anton Muelhaupt.
Cincinnati, Ohio.—Mrs. E. H. Maddocks, 2135 Gilbert Avenue.
Mogadore, Ohio.—Mrs. Lee Manges, Box 131.
Dewittville, N.Y.—Mrs. A. A. Giles.
Johnstown, N.Y.—Mrs. Homer N. Seaman, 108 E. Main Street.
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Detroit, Mich.—Mrs. Frieda Rosenau, 544 Meldrum Avenue, *German.*

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Mozier, Ills.—Mrs. Mary Ball.
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Melbourne, Iowa.—Mrs. Clara Watermann, R. F. D. No. 1.
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Lewiston, Maine.—Mrs. Henry Cloutier, 56 Oxford Street.
Minneapolis, Minn.—Mrs. John G. Moldan, 2115 Second Street, N.
Shamrock, Mo.—Josie Ham, R. F. D. No. 1; Box 22.
Marlton, N.J.—Mrs. Geo. Jordy, Route No. 3, Box 40.
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Coffeeville, Miss.—Mrs. S. J. Jones.
Cincinnati, Ohio.—Mrs. Flora Ahr, 1362 Ernst Street.
Cleveland, Ohio.—Miss Lizzie Steiger, 5510 Fleet Avenue, S.E.
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Dyersburg, Tenn.—Mrs. Lue Hilliard, R.R. 1.
Hayfield, Va.—Mrs. Mayme Windle.

Irregularity.
Herrin, Ill.—Mrs. Chas. Folkel.
Winchester, Ind.—Mrs. May Deal.
Dyer, Ind.—Mrs. Wm. Oberloh, R. F. D. No. 1.
Baltimore, Md.—Mrs. W. S. Ford, 1938 Lansdowne Street.
Roxbury, Mass.—Mrs. Francis Merkle, 13 Field Street.
Clarksdale, Mo.—Miss Anna Wallace.
Guysville, Ohio.—Mrs. Ella Michael, R.F.D. 3.
Dayton, Ohio.—Mrs. Ida Hale, Box 25, National Military Home.
Lebanon, Pa.—Mrs. Harry L. Rittle, 233 Lehman Street.
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Detroit, Mich.—Mrs. Louise Jung, 332 Chestnut St.

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Vincennes, Ind.—Mrs. Syl. B. Jerauld, 508 N. Tenth Street.
Gardiner, Maine.—Mrs. S. A. Williams, R. F. D. No. 14; Box 39.
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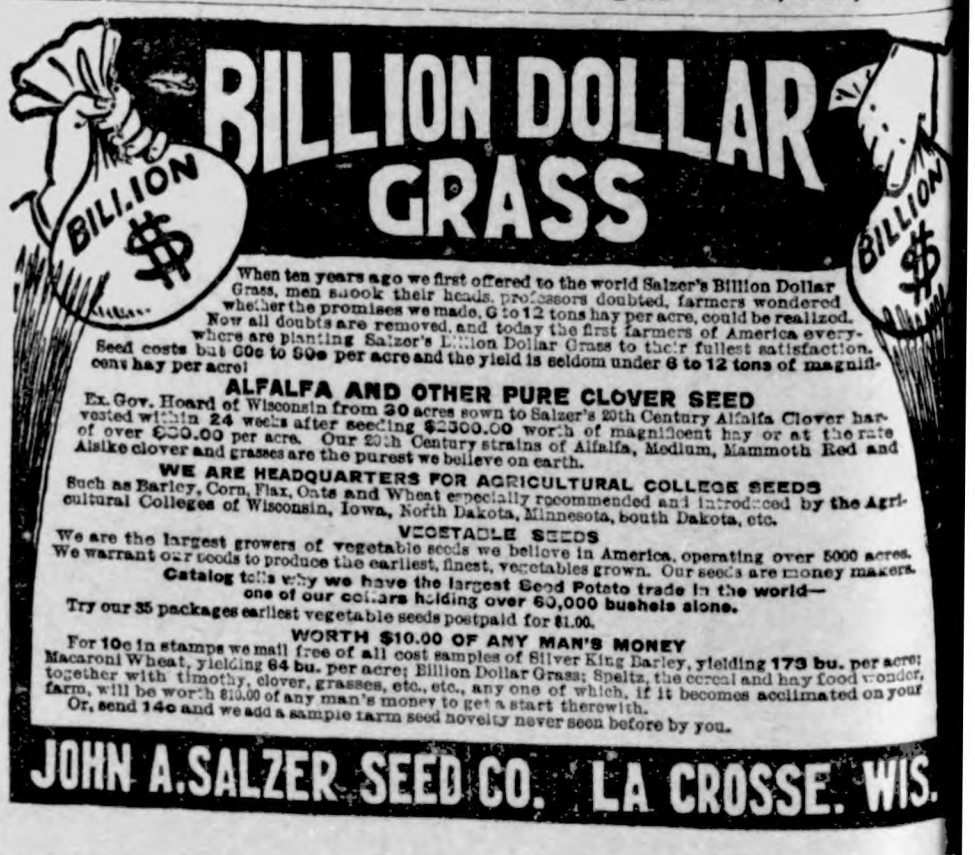

TAFT MESSAGE SETS A RECORD

PRESIDENT SENDS TARIFF VIEWS TO CONGRESS.

IS SHORTEST DOCUMENT

Adheres to Revision Pledge with Treatise of Less Than 400 Words—Conditions Changed, He Says.

Washington. — When President Taft's personal messenger arrived at the capitol Tuesday, supposedly with the executive message on the tariff question, groans went up from both houses of congress. The congressmen, seeing no evidence of a message, drew the quick conclusion that the president hadn't written it yet and that it was to be postponed for another day.

They knew the message was to be short, but they were thunderstruck when the messenger pulled it out of his vest pocket and laid it before the clerks. It was less than 400 words in length, thus setting a new record for short messages. The messenger had memorized it on the way over from the White House, but owing to the amendment to the old house rules, he was not allowed to recite it, so the clerk read it there.

"Get busy," wa sthe theme of the abbreviated document, the president simply telling congress that conditions in the past 12 years had so changed that a revision of the present tariff duties was an absolute necessity. He further called attention to the fact that in the republican convention at Chicago last June, the party had promised to revise the tariff if elected and this must be done.

As President Roosevelt's messages were usually long and as the former occupant of the White House had engaged in a small war with congress, there was a general expression of satisfaction.

Following is the message:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives: I have convened the congress in this extra session in order to enable it to give immediate consideration to the revision of the Dingley tariff act. Conditions affecting production, manufacture and business generally have so changed in the last 12 years as to require a readjustment and revision of the import duties imposed by that act. More than this, the present tariff act, with the other sources of government revenue, does not furnish income enough to pay the authorized expenditures. By July 1st, next, the excess of expenses over receipts for the current fiscal year will equal $100,000,000.

"The successful party in the late election is pledged to a revision of the tariff. The country, and the business community, especially, expect it. The prospect of a change in the rates of import duties always causes a suspension or halt in business because of the uncertainty as to the changes to be made and their effect. It is therefore of the highest importance that the new bill should be agreed upon and passed with as much speed as possible consistent with its due and thorough consideration. For these reasons I have deemed the present to be an extraordinary occasion within the meaning of the constitution, justifying and requiring the calling of an extra session.

"In my inaugural address, I stated in a summary way the principles upon which, in my judgment, the revision of the tariff should proceed, and indicated at least one new source of revenue that might be properly resorted to in order to avoid a future deficit. It is not necessary for me to repeat what I then said.

"I venture to suggest that the vital business interests of the country require that the attention of the congress in this session be chiefly devoted to the consideration of the new tariff bill, and that the less time given to other subjects of legislation in this session, the better for the country.

(Signed) "WILLIAM H. TAFT.

"The White House, March 16, 1909."

BOY OUT OF WORK A SUICIDE.

Leaves a Pathetic Note for Little Girl, His Only Friend.

Indianapolis, Ind., Mar. 16.—Guthrie Powers, 19 years old, killed himself in his room by drinking carbolic acid late yesterday. He could not find work. He and the little daughter of the housekeeper were fast friends, and Guthrie left for the child the following note:

"My Dear Little Verna: I am sorry I cannot look into your dear, sweet face again. Honey, good-by. There is no place on earth for me. You are my dearest and only friend. What is life without friends or home?"

The youth left his home six weeks ago, after a quarrel with his stepfather.

PREVENTING PAINT TROUBLES.

It's easy enough to recognize the symptoms of poor paint, after it has been on awhile—after its inherent tendency to crack and peel and scale and blister, etc., has developed into trouble. You know these paint "diseases" usually indicate adulteration or substitution in the paint materials. And you know the only remedy is repainting.

A little knowledge of paint and painting requirements, and how to made sure of the purity and quality of materials, would prevent all trouble, and save the big extra expense of re-painting; just as a proper knowledge of simple health-laws, and observance of them, prevents sickness.

A complete painting guide, including a book of color schemes, specifications for all kinds of painting work, and an instrument for detecting adulteration in paint materials, with directions for using it, can be had free by writing National Lead Co., 1902 Trinity Bldg., New York, and asking for Houseowner's Painting Outfit No. 49.

A very simple guide in the purchase of white lead (the only sure and safe paint material) is the famous "Dutch Boy Painter" trademark; that trademark is an absolute guarantee of purity and quality.

Bank Balance and Independence.

Business women have evolved the idea of saving, and the thrifty incentive was not inspired by their brothers, but rather envelops the girl with pendence which evolves th. girl with $300 or $400 to her credit and spurs her on to add more and more to the reserve.

Breaking the News Gently.

A good example of the extremely courteous in public correspondence was the notice sent to Charles James Fox that he was no longer a member of the government of George the Third. It read thus: "His gracious majesty has been pleased to issue a new commission, in which your name does not appear."

Fiery Courtesy.

In a Canadian town a few days ago a dry goods firm was burned out in the morning. In the afternoon a competing firm inserted the following advertisement in a local paper:

"We desire to extend our sympathy to our respected competitors in their loss by fire and to express the hope that their affairs may soon be so adjusted as to enable them to continue business without undue loss of time."

She Had Tested the Oyster.

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"It is most as good as my little girlie."

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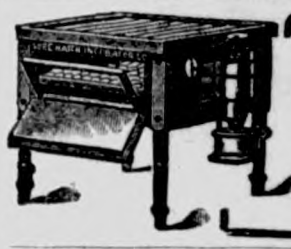

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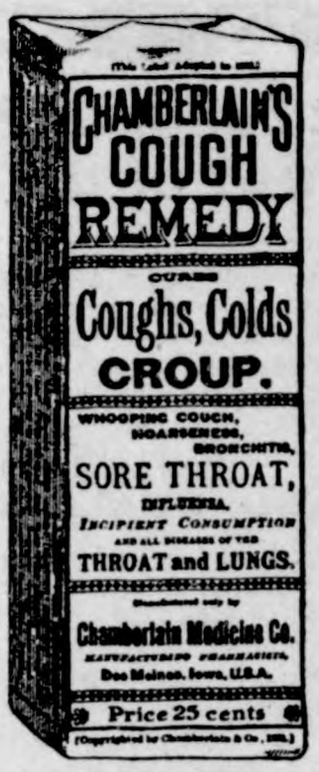

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"Yes, young man, I am lame."

"Been riding, sir?"

"No, sir," sternly and rebukingly, "I have not been riding."

"Ah, slipped on the ice, general?"

"No, sir!" with actual ferocity.

"Then, perhaps, sir, you have sprained your ankle?"

The old man slowly and carefully lifted his pet leg in both hands and tenderly set his foot upon the floor. Then he slowly rose from his seat and stood looking down with scornful pity at the unlucky youth. At last, in the sublimity of rage, he burst out:

"Go and read the history of your country, you puppy!"

How He Hunted Bear.

A New York Irishman was visiting a friend in the Adirondacks and was taken with a desire to go hunting. Borrowing a gun from his friend he set off alone in search of game. Some time after his host heard a distant report of a gun. A few minutes later he heard some one shouting. From a window he spied, in the distance, his friend, hot-footing it for home, and behind him a bear, gaining at every step. Nearly spent, the pursued reached the door just in time to cry out:

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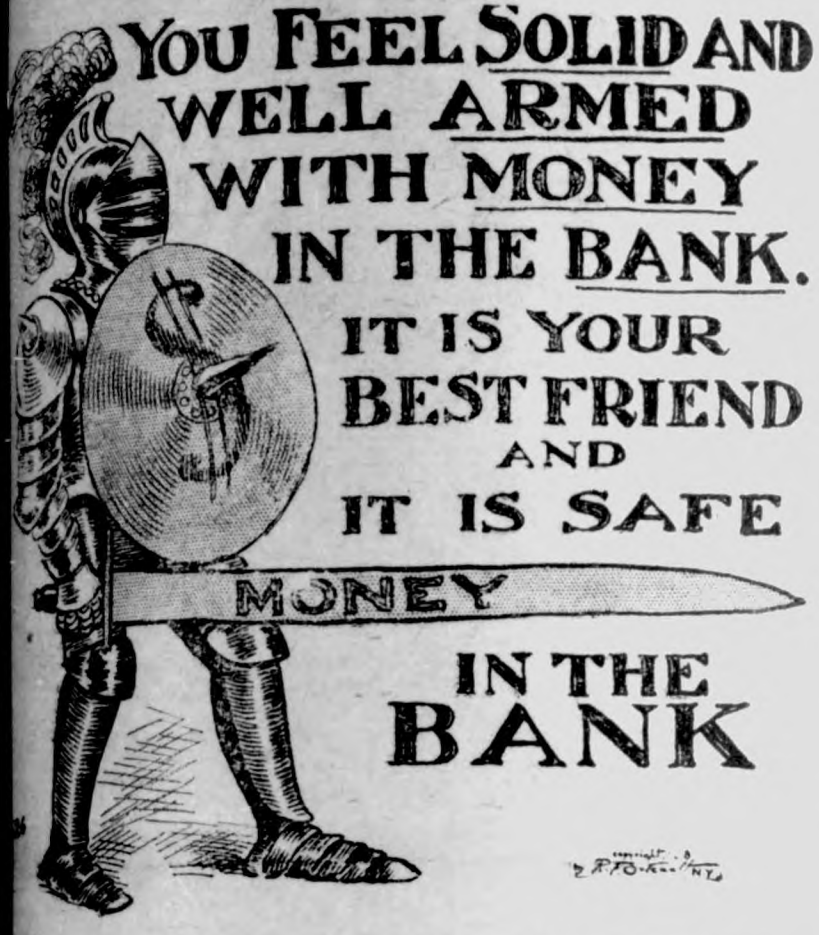

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There is a very general notion that when the United States government gives a man a patent for an invention by this very act the patentee is in possession of exclusive and inalienable rights to his invention for a term of years. Now this is the very thing that does not necessarily exist, and the very thing that patentees, investors and the public would like to have established. Most patents are exploited by others than inventors, and the money for the purpose is largely supplied by those with little knowledge of the laws. It has happened time and time again that the governmental patent has proved worthless. Iti used to be that it was litle more than prima facie evidence to be used in litigation. Of recent years there has been some improvement in the laws and practice, but at present there is no governmental guaranty behind the papers issued to any inventor.

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REDS ON WARPATH

DESPERATE BATTLE BETWEEN WHITES AND INDIANS.

AT HICKORY GROVE, OKLAHOMA

Snake Tribe Had Been Buying Rifles and Bullets For Months, and Will Fight.

Oklahoma City, March 28.—Five companies of military have been ordered out to the scene of the Indian battle at Hickory Ground.

Two officers dead, another fatally wounded, four companies of militia on the way and armed men from sev- places gathering for battle. These are the results of an attempt of five officers to arrest Chief Harjo, head of the Snake clan of Creek Indians at Hickory Ground.

The dead:

Herman Odom, Checktoh, son of the sheriff of McIntosh county.

Edw. Daum, city marshal of Checktoh.

Badly wounded:

Frank Swift of Muskogee.

Frank Jones and William Carr, other members of the gang, escaped and carried Swift with them. When they reached Pierce, the alarm was given.

Armed Men on Scene.

More than a hundred armed men from various nearby settlements are already on the way to the scene and four companies of militia are on their way.

When the officers approached Harjo's cabin they were fired upon by at least twenty persons.

Odom and Daum fell dead and Swift was seriously injured. Jones ran a few yards and hid himself in a clump of trees until the Indians disappeared. Then he and Carr returned to the bodies of their com anions. Finding them dead they hurried to Pierce. A dispatch from Checktoh says the Snake Indians have been purchasing rifles and ammunition for a month and that they are supplied with powder and lead enough to last them two days.

Creditors Take Calkins Syndicate.

Sacramento, Cal.—All property of the Calkins syndicate, including the publishing plant in San Francisco, the Sacramento Union, Fresno Herald, and several small papers throughout the state, has been taken over by creditors. All of the property of the syndicate is to be disposed of. The statement is made by creditors that there are $150,000 debts on the San Francisco plant.

Felt That Death Was Near.

Manitowoc, Wis.—Upon registering at the Wisconsin Hotel, at Two Rivers, Julius Goergenson, a retired Range Line farmer had a premonition that death was near, and before retiring deposited $250 with the proprietor with instructions to use the money for burial should he die. Goergenson was found dead in his room. Death was pronounced due to heart failure.

Roller Skating Hits Saloons.

Wausau, Wis.—According to Chief of Police Thomas Malone, the roller skating craze has developed into an effective antidote to intemperance. Its attracting power is decidedly stronger for young men than saloons, hence a majority of the youths who used to frequent barrooms before the sport came into vogue can now be found at the rinks.

Rockefeller Honors a Toiler.

Tarrytown, N. Y.—Michael J. Murphy, employed as a blacksmith by John D. Rockefeller on his estate, was buried Thursday. During the funeral, at Mr. Rockefeller's request, all work on the Rockefeller property ceased and the employes attended in a body. Mr. Rockefeller and the other members of his family sent flowers.

Put in Grave as Tower Falls.

San Diego, Cal.—Just at the moment that the body of Henry Timken, the millionaire carriage manufacturer of Ohio and St. Louis, was being lowered into the grave at a local cemetery, a 180-foot tower on the eight story block under construction for Mr. Timken crashed to the ground, injuring two persons slightly.

Death in Cisco, Texas, Fire.

Cisco, Texas.—Fire destroyed the opera house, the merchandise store of Mayhew & Co. and the residence of L. E. Childs. Bert Strickland was killed by a falling wall. Firemen Henry Benham, J. B. Patterson and William McGuire were injured seriously. The loss is estimated at $100,000.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth

In Jail For Forgery.

Des Moines.—Driven to desperation by a lack of money with which to buy food, clothing and other necessities of life, Charles Brady, a contractor and a cripple, says that he committed many forgeries and collected thousands of dollars before he was caught.

His downfall came as he attempted to secure $450 from the Central State bank on a forged note and was arrested by Constable Charles Temple. He was taken to the county jail.

The exact amount of the forgeries are unknown, but Brady himself says they will run between $3,000 and $4,000. Officers think it will reach a greater sum.

Brady appeared at the bank and negotiated for a large loan, but the bankers would agree only on a sum not to exceed $500. Before he could get the money, they said he must secure the signature of some property holder as a surety. He left the bank and returned later on with the signature of a prominent business man. When he showed it to the officers they became suspicious and found that it had been forged.

While one of the officers held the attention of Brady, J. D. Whisenand, the vice-president slipped up stairs to the office of Justice Zell Roe, the justice of the peace filed an information charging him with forgery. Constable Charles Temple immediately arrested the man in the bank.

Two Killed by Train.

De Witt.—Ross Vickery, a 17-year-old boy of this place, and Mrs. F. C. Gearhart, aged 59, of Lyons, Ia., were run down and instantly killed by a fast train at the Chicago & Northwestern station here. Mrs. Gearhart had gone to the station, having in charge her daughter. In a few minutes Mrs. Gearhart missed her daughter and started to search for her. She called to her assistance young Vickery, who happened to be passing. They were crossing the double track looking for Mrs. Page and either did not observe the approaching train or did not realize how near it was to them and were both struck and instantly killed. The train was a fast east bound one that does not stop at this station. Ross Vickery was the son of N. J. Vickery of this city.

May Try Junken at Keosauqua.

Keosauqua.—There is considerable talk of bringing John Junken here for trial. It is not improbable, as Keosauqua is in the same circuit as Ottumwa. Keosauqua is a quiet, peaceful old town, slumbering in the great bend of the Des Moines river, and it would be a rude awakening of its citizens if Junken were brought here. This place is distinguished for the great lawyers that have emanated from here, such as Hon. George D. Wright, Judge C. C. Nourse, Judge H. C. Caldwell, and others This is the home of Judge Robert Sloan and he is practicing at the bar now. W. M. Walker is another brilliant and able lawyer practicing here. The same old court house stands on the hill that heard all of these men plead, and the same jail is still used.

Iowa's Youngest Sheriff.

Clinton.—Clinton had the honor of a visit of the youngest sheriff in the state of Iowa. This official hails from Cedar county and is just 26 years of age. Sheriff Piett came to the city on official business and after the fashion of emissaries of the law on business bent, repaired at once to the police station. There it was learned that the visitor was the youngest sheriff in the state. His father held a county office in Cedar county for four terms.

Clue to Assailant.

Ottumwa.—Three letters in the hands of C. M. Johnston may lead to the capture of the man whom Mrs. Johnston alleges assaulted her on the morning of Feb. 15. The contents of the letters the Johnstons refuse to make known, but state that they will turn them over to the postal authorities with a view to apprehending the fiend whom Mrs. Johnston claims was her attacker.

Married in His Own Church.

Greenfield.—The marriage of Rev. Frank McCallon, pastor of the Christian church of Greenfield, to Miss Maude Brown of Orient was solemnized in the groom's church in the presence of 300 invited guests. A wedding supper followed, served in the church by the ladies and was followed by a public reception.

Romance of Fleet's Cruise.

Clinton.—A pretty romance, which grew out of the "around-the-world" cruise of the American battleship fleet, has its culmination here, when Miss Gertrude Ellis, daughter of George Ellis of Los Angeles, neice of Garrett E. Lamb, a millionaire lumberman of this city, was united in marriage with Lieut. Clyde Stanley McDowell of the battleship Georgia of the United States navy. The couple met at San Diego over a year ago when the battleship was anchored there, preparatory to its trip around the world. A friendship quickly sprang up between the couple, which ripened into love, and their engagement was announced recently. Miss Ellis traveled half way across the continent, upon the arrival of the fleet from its 24,000 mile cruise; and Lieutenant McDowell, who is said to be the youngest lieutenant in the American navy, came to Clinton to take his bride east. The nuptial ceremony, one of the most notable society events of the year in the fashionable circles of Clinton, the "city of millionaires," took place at noon. Bishop McDowell of Evanston, Ill., officiating. Lieutenant Morgan of the Louisiana officiated as best man.

Used Gun as Cane; One Dead.

Waterloo.—Ray Ferry of Laporte City is dead and Arthur Kane seriously injured in a hunting accident. Both were crossing a stream and Ferry was using his gun as a cane and had the muzzle under the water when it was accidentally discharged. The gun burst and Ferry was killed and Kine was badly injured.

Thomas Lawler a Former Iowan.

Marshalltown.—It is not generally known that the new attorney general for the department of the interior, Thomas Lawler of Los Angeles, Calif., is a former Iowa boy, but such is the case. Lawler was reared in this city, and is a son of William Lawler, who moved from this city to California twenty years ago. Young Lawler is now a man of 35 and for several years has been prominent as an attorney at Los Angeles.

Expensive Wreck at Dexter.

Dexter.—East bound meat express on the Rock Island went in the ditch here and traffic was completely tied up for ten hours. Sixteen cars of meat were entirely demolished. The cars, after leaving the rails, followed the track for a quarter of a mile and piled up when the switch was struck. The engine staid on the track.

Loses Life in Round House.

Perry.—Thomas Horrigan, one of the oldest men in the service of the Milwaukee road here was almost instantly killed while at work as a sweeper in the round house. An engine was being moved out of the house and Horrigan was caught between the cylinder and door post and crushed to death. He was 70 years old and had been in the employ of the Milwaukee here for more than thirty years.

Bank Robbers are Foiled.

Melvin.—Aroused by the explosions of four charges of dynamite in the First National bank here, citizens armed with shotguns routed robbers who had attempted unsuccessfully to break into the vault. The bandits escaped on a hand car which was found later near Hartley.

Fort Dodge New Postoffice.

Fort Dodge.—Postmaster Robertson is in receipt of a communication from the department relative to the vacation of the present post office building in preparation for the new $130,000 structure authorized by congress. Work on razing the old building will be started within six weeks.

National Convention Called.

Davenport.—William R. Benkert, national chairman of the United Christian party, the unique political organization which has run a candidate for president in several national campaigns, and which was founded in Davenport and has its national headquarters here, has issued a call for the next national convention of the party "in the Watch Tower in Rock Island, Ill., May 1, 1909, to confer with one another concerning the will and kingdom of God in earth, in behalf of humanity, as the assembly led by His Spirit and governed by His command of love, may we see and act upon."

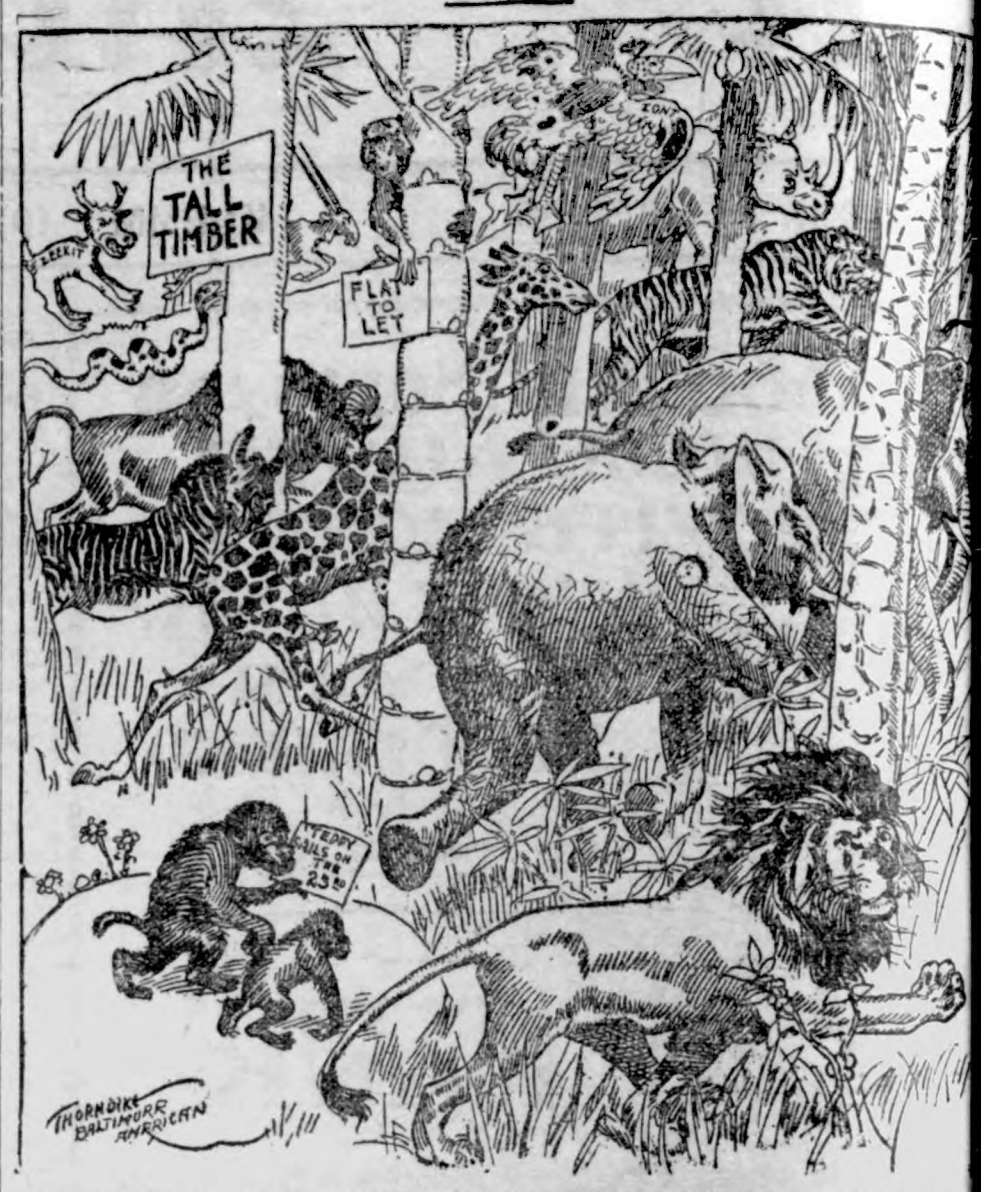
Breaks Up Game of Poker.

Stuart.—While riding down in the branch train from Guthrie Center to Stuart last evening, C. B. Hughes, county attorney of Guthrie county, sat near a quartette of commercial men who were playing poker. Mr. Hughes remained an interested spectator of the game from Guthrie Center to Menlo, where he had the four arrested. They were fined $5 and costs.

Prevent's Mother's Suicide.

Carbon.—Mrs. Jack Burris was saved from hanging herself in the garret by her little son, who, hearing a strange noise, investigated and cut her down before she strangled. She had hung herself because her other son had been sent to the penitentiary for five years by Judge Evans for keeping a house of ill fame. The woman will recover.

MOVING DAY IN THE JUNGLE.



OFFER BINGHAM BIG BRIBE

GOTHAM POLICE COMMISSIONER COULD HAVE $600,000 YEARLY.

Declares His Job Would Be a Gold Mine to a Dishonest Man.

New York. — A dishonest man holding the position of police commissioner in New York city easily might become a millionaire in a few months, so great are the opportunities for illicit gains, according to a statement by Commissioner Bingham.

During Mr. Bingham's first year in the office, he said, a single bribe of $600,000 a year was offered him if he would protect certain criminal interests. "Compliance with the conditions of the offer," he added, "would have been entirely of a negative matter—all they wanted was to be let alone."

Commissioner Bingham was worked up over the refusal of the city aldermen to vote him an appropriation of $100,000 for a secret service to investigate "Black Hand" crimes and other matters.

"This job of police commissioner," he said, "for example, would be a regular gold mine to a dishonest official. If it were put up at auction to the highest bidder, a man could well afford to pay $1,000,000 for a year's opportunity to accept what the criminal classes would be only too glad to offer him."

Then he referred to the $600,000 bribe offer which he had received when he first took up the office. "The offer was of course carefully guarded," he said. "It came from a suave gentleman, who knew how to handle words to perfection and was able to make his hearer understand what was meant without laying himself open to any unpleasant after effects.

"I listened until I understood what the fellow was about. Then I gave him such a talking to that he will never forget his visit here as long as he lives. I have not heard from him since."

Commissioner Bingham declined to give the name of the man who had made the offer, nor would he say what interests had sought protection.

GET CLOSE TO SOUTH POLE.

British Navy Officer and His Party Within 111 Miles.

London.—Lieut. E. H. Shackleton of the British navy, commander of the Antarctic expedition, which returned on the barkentine Nimrod to Invercargill, New Zealand, although he did not achieve his object, succeeded in getting within 111 miles of the pole.

The Nimrod expedition left England in July, 1907, and after reaching the ice fields and making the most elaborate preparations, the main expedition started on a sledge journey which occupied 126 days and traversed 1,708 miles southwards. The explorers reached latitude 88.23 and longitude 162 east, which was estimated as 111 miles from the pole.

MINISTER SLAYS PREACHER.

Lebanon, Mo.—In a quarrel over the entirely mundane question of the efficiency of a telephone service, Rev. M. D. Johnson shot and killed Rev. Solomon O'Dell at the village of Russ.

Both the participants in the fight are ministers of Lebanon. Johnson is a Free Will Baptist, while Mr. O'Dell was a Cumberland Presbyterian. In matters spiritual the two men had always been on perfectly agreeable terms and in their personal life they were friendly.

MRS. LORILLARD A SUICIDE.

Kills Herself with Gas Following Washington Society Dinner.

Washington.—Weary of the gay whirl of society and face to face as she believed with years of physical suffering, Mrs. Pierre Lorillard, Jr., aged 49, wife of the tobacco magnate, committed suicide by asphyxiation at her home near the fashionable Dupont circle in this city Thursday.

The death was made more dramatic by occurring only a few hours after Mr. and Mrs. Lorillard had been the guests of Mrs. Townsend, on Massachusetts avenue, at a dinner given in honor of Lady Paget. She had joined freely in the social festivities of the evening at the Townsend home, where had gathered the Brazilian ambassador and Mme. Nabuco, the Danish minister and Countess Moltke, the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Meyer, Senator and Mrs. Lodge, Senator and Mrs. Aldrich, Senator Root, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Endicot of Boston, Lady Clifford of England, Col and Mrs. Colin Campbell, Col. and Mrs. McCawley, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore, Hon. Maude Pauncefote, Commodore Rodgers, Rear Admiral Cowles and Capt. Archibald Butt, military aide of the president.

SOLONS NEAR FIGHT OVER TARIFF

Fordney of Michigan Clashes with Byrd of Mississippi.

Washington.—The monotony of the tariff debate in the house of representatives was relieved for a time Friday by a clash between Messrs. Fordney of Michigan and Byrd of Mississippi which came near ending in blows.

Mr. Fordney had been making an exhaustive discussion of the lumber schedule when he was interrupted by the Mississippian who insisted that the lumber manufacturers of which Mr. Fordney was one, were in a trust. Mr. Fordney peremptorily denied the statement and said that Mr. Byrd didn't know a d—n thing about it."

The Mississippi member made a move toward Mr. Fordney and was in the act of removing his coat when some of his Democratic colleagues took hold of him. Later it developed that the incident grew out of a misunderstanding and both men made mutual explanations and apologies.

KILL THREE AND WOUND FIVE

Oklahoma Deputy Sheriffs in Battle with Negroes and Indians.

Guthrie, Okla. — On the scene of the famous Creek Indian uprising of last year at Hickory settlement, two negroes were killed, five wounded and 40 captured in a battle between 20 deputy sheriffs and 100 negroes and seven Indians. The fighting began late Wednesday afternoon and continued with interruptions until ten o'clock Thursday.

Five deputies went from Henrietta, 18 miles north to the negro settlement to arrest cattle thieves thought to be concealed in the house of one of the negroes. They were met at the outer edge of the camp by a party of armed negroes and fired upon. A few hours after the first clash, a larger posse, heavily armed, reached the settlement. About 300 shots were fired in the last encounter, when the two negroes were killed and Deputy Sheriff Fowler was wounded.

Discovers Germ of Trachoma.

Berlin.—Prof. Richard Greeff of the Berlin university eye hospital announces the discovery of the germ of trachoma.

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. The young women met a Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented. Two men called. They proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett, one a friend of Elizabeth's father. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Fearing for the safety of some gems, Lady Edith left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his actions on board ship. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. At a supper, which was held on the rocks, Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party. Gabrielle witnessed a stormy scene between Lady Edith and Lord Wilfrid, jealousy being the cause. Mary Anne brought back Elizabeth's ring. Elise went sailing with Gordon Bennett. He tried to persuade her to return the jewels left in the girl's care by Lady Edith. At midnight Elise saw two men—one of them Gordon Bennett—attempting to force an entrance into their boathouse. She admitted to herself that she had nearly loved him and believed herself used as a tool. Mrs. Graham, sick, told Elise of her husband's love for another woman. Gordon Bennett and Blake returned with Mr. Graham's body. He had been murdered. Lord Wilfrid grew sulky. Lady Edith confided to Elise that Blake and Bennett were thieves. Lady Edith led her to where they were trying to break in. The girls were awakened late at night by a noise in the cottage. They found Blake and Bennett awaiting Lady Edith, who, they told the girls, was Nell Simms, a notorious crook, and Lord Wilfrid, a smuggler, wanted for murder. They refused to believe. Blake proved to be a government officer.

CHAPTER XVI.—Continued.

At last it came. A stealthy step, a subdued rustle of skirts, a whispered word of caution, and we were aware that some one had entered the dining room and stood so near the shielding portiere that it moved slightly. We could hear a low voice command some one to go to the foot of the stairs and listen for movements above. Then silence again, and a whisper from Mary Anne that everything was quiet.

A faint light appeared through the opening of the portiere, and, parting it still further, we saw two figures: One a man, on his knees at the door of the safe, while the other, a woman, held the lantern.

The man sprang to his feet with an oath, but his arms were seized by two men in uniform, who in terms more forceful than polite admonished him to keep quiet and make no trouble.

And the woman—Lady Edith? She stood erect, with head flung back and flashing eyes. A scarlet spot flamed in her cheeks, glowing brilliantly at first, then fading to marble whiteness as she looked at the array against her. For a moment she said nothing; then, turning to Mr. Blake, she spoke in an even, mechanical voice.

"I congratulate you upon the success of your coup."

He came nearer and held out his hand authoritatively.

"I will relieve you of that box," he said.

"I will not give it to you."

"I should regret to use force with a woman."

But we could bear no more, and with one accord pushed aside the curtain and entered the room.

"It isn't true!" cried Elizabeth, rushing to her side. "Say it isn't true, and we will believe you."

"Even now, in the face of everything, would you believe me?"

"Yes," I said; "we would indeed. It is your word against theirs—why should we not believe you? Only say it is not true. The box is yours, but why did you get it this way? You took only to tell us you wanted it."

"You hear?" she said, standing tall and erect, her eyes on a level with Mr. Blake's as she looked at him, ignoring his outstretched hand. "My word against yours, and they believe me!"

"I should regret to use force," he repeated. "The box, if you please."

"Stop!" said Gabrielle quickly. "Lady Edith, may I take the box? Thank you. Surely it is a simple matter for you to satisfy this man. Let him open it and prove him wrong once for all, and then neither you nor I need ever see him again."

She unwrapped the first layer of paper, then paused uncertainly.

"Tell me they are yours," she said in a queer, choked voice—"your mother's pearls—and I will believe you. Only look at me and tell me so."

The great brown eyes looked into Gabrielle's clear hazel ones steadily for a minute perhaps, then faltered; the long lashes drooped upon her cheek, and she turned aside, speechless—self-confessed a thief.

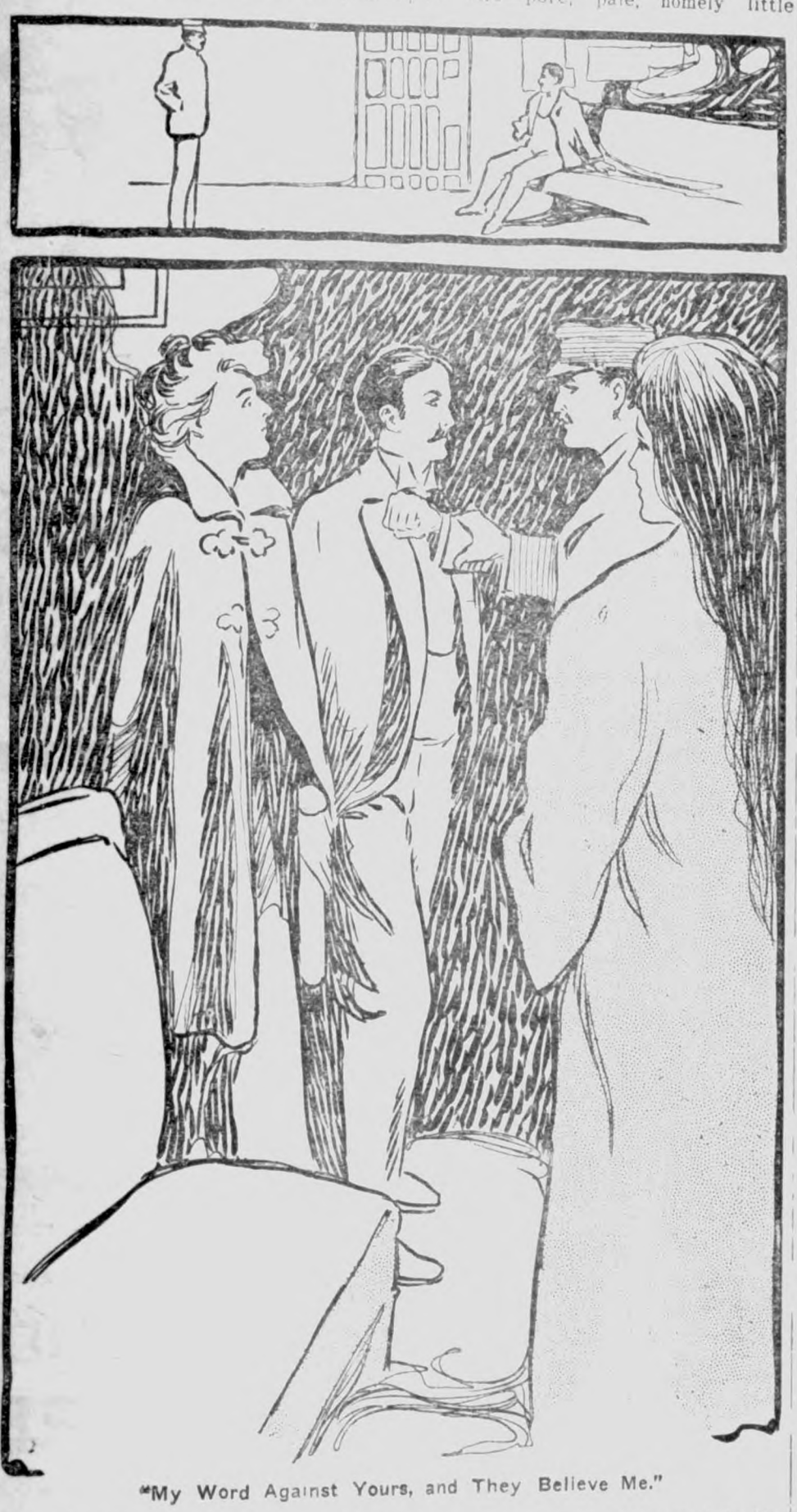
Gabrielle, with a sigh which was almost a sob, handed the box to Mr. Blake. He bowed gravely, removed the cover, and Mrs. Bundy's famous emeralds glittered in their bed of jeweler's cotton. As long as I live I shall hate emeralds, for they can but recall that most painful scene, bringing vividly before me the averted face, and bent golden head, of our once loved friend.

"Surely," said Gordon Bennett, "there is no use in prolonging this scene."

"None whatever," agreed Mr. Blake, making a sign to the officers who held the man I even now think of as Lord Wilfrid.

"I arrest you," said the officer, "for the murder of Harry Graham."

Something flashed in the light, and we heard a sharp click, accompanied



"My Word Against Yours, and They Believe Me."

by a suppressed scream from Mary Anne.

"Not that!" she cried. "Oh, good Lord! not that! Don't put the 'andcuffs on 'im."

"Be quiet," her son said. "Don't you see the game is up?"

She did not heed him, but stood before the officers with raised hand and a certain dignity of carriage which commanded attention in spite of her gingham apron and round red face.

"Aye," she said; "the murder of Mr. Graham. 'E done it—'e struck the blow—but why? Ask the woman beside 'im, 'er with the soft 'ands and the yellow 'air. Ask 'er why he done it. Ain't she 'is wife? Ain't 'e lived and breathed and worked fur 'er ever sence the evil day he fust seen 'er—the day 'e come to me and told me 'e was agoing to take up a trade and live honest and respectable? Wot did she do fur 'im? She smiled on 'im and she coaxed 'im, with 'er sweet voice and pretty ways; she said she couldn't live wi'out 'im, and more, too. And she told 'im 'ow rich she was, and 'ow easy she made 'er money—takin' whatever she laid 'er 'ands on, and smuggling jools and sich acrost the border to 'er friends in the states. Wot did she marry 'im fur? She didn't love him—"

The man made a sudden motion, but the officer laid a restraining hand upon his arm, and Mary Anne continued, pouring out the words in a steady stream which admitted of no interruption.

"She wanted somebody to do 'er dirty work, that's why she married 'im, and tired enough of 'im she got, fur all the gold key she gave 'im an' the cuff button which I thought I'd die when I seen it in yer 'ands, Miss Elise. Was there a stormy night she didn't send 'im out on the ocean wi' a boat-load fur the other side, carin' not a bit whether 'e ever come back or not? Did she care fur anything but 'erself?

"Don't I know 'ow fur years, ever sence she fust seen 'im, she's made that pore dead man work fur 'er? An honest man 'e was, too, at fust, with a wife and child, but wot did she care? 'E was crazy about 'er, and once I heard 'im say 'e'd foller 'er to purgatory and wuss, and 'e left 'is wife and child whenever she called 'im, which she did wi' a lock o' 'air and some fool verse. She liked 'im, too—liked 'is fine figger and 'andsome face, and when he come around she 'ad smiles and to spare, with nothing left fur Willy but black looks and sharp words. Oh, I know!"

"Will some one stop the woman?" said Mr. Blake helplessly; but Mary Anne had more to say, and went close to her daughter-in-law, addressing her directly.

"When you sent fur 'im this summer," she said, "and 'e come as usual, you didn't like it because he brought 'is wife—pore, pale, homely little thing—so you was extra sweet to 'im nights when you met in the boat-'ouse and he sailed you out on the sea, you two alone, and my boy here left behind, eatin' 'is 'eart out with love and jealousy. And you made a plan, you two, so's you could be together alwiz fur you thought you couldn't live apart, you said. So 'e was to leave 'is wife fur good and all and go abroad, and you was to join 'im there, fust lettin' the police in Montreal know how they could git Willy—git 'im fur something 'e done because you told 'im to. But you wanted to close up the bizness 'ere fust, you said, and git the emeralds safely landed, so's you would be sure of the money they'd bring. And Willy wasn't to git a cent, fur you needed it yerself, but 'e thought 'e had 'em, fur you give 'im a box jest like it one night, and started 'im and Mr. Graham off fur the other shore. You never thought, though, when you two was talkin' in the boat-house jest before they sailed, that me and Willy was in the passageway listenin' to you. We 'eard jest 'ow Mr. Graham was to land 'im with the empty box, and sail away immediate, leavin' 'im caught hard and fast. Well you knowed 'e would never peach on you."

She paused and swallowed convulsively.

"So Willy went out in the boat alone with Mr. Graham, and with 'is 'eart black wi' rage and passion. And 'e struck the man meanin' to stun 'im, per'aps. But 'e killed 'im—'e killed im. And I say now, and God in 'eaven knows I'm right, that this woman murdered 'Arry Graham, not my boy—not my boy."

"Officer," said Mr. Blake's quiet voice, "remove the prisoners."

"Good-by," Edith said very gently. "You would have believed me, and I thank you. I—I am glad to have known you. Please forget me, and—good-by."

"And this," Blake said to Gabrielle, "explains our presence in your cellar to-night. I hope you are convinced I spoke the truth."

"Go away," she said in a smothered voice—"go away, and never, never, let me see your face again."

"What have we done?" he inquired, turning to his friend with a puzzled air.

Elizabeth now had the floor, and the mantle of dignity descended upon her.

"I think," she remarked frigidly, "we need not trouble you to stay any longer. We are quite accustomed to being alone—we prefer to be alone."

Gordon Bennett turned helplessly to me, but it was now my turn to be haughty and unappeased. Even under the circumstances, I could not let the others distance me.

"I do not think there is anything more to say, Mr. Bennett," I returned loftily. "I quite agree with my friends."

"It seems," he remarked, turning to Mr. Blake, "as though we might as well go home."

When they reached the door, however, he returned and stood before me, hat in hand, and a very determined aspect about the chin.

"I want to tell you," he said, "that I found the scarf-pin on the slip. It was a sleeve button dropped by the man you call Lord Wilfrid, and the clue Mr. Blake was looking for. I had promised him not to admit to any one where I got it—therefore I lied, as you know. He had it set as a pin, and wished to try the effect on the woman. You know how she gave herself away when she saw it, for you also were watching her. The gold key is the badge of this particular band of smugglers, and they all wear it in various ways. Your servant, Mary Anne, was more sinned against than sinning, and will be allowed to go free. I know you would wish this."

He paused suggestively. I made no reply. "I think that is all," he concluded, "except to say that if I can at any time be of service to you, or if, for any reason, you want to see me, I hope you will let me know. Until then I shall be careful not to intrude."

The hall door slammed with some emphasis, and again we listened to steps crossing the veranda. Then, simultaneously and without restraint, we began to cry, while Mary Anne in the kitchen sobbed heavily.

This did us all good, and when at last we opened the windows and looked out, the ocean sparkled and glittered in the morning sun and the whole world smiled at us just as it had so often done before.

At the point of the island a small, dark object moved swiftly along; we recognized the government boat, and watched it with swimming eyes and trembling lips until it made the turn and disappeared.

Gabrielle pointed to the foam in its wake with a hand that shook slightly.

"There goes Lady Edith," she said; and we looked out over the empty ocean in silence.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Just Enough Crust.

"Enough pie crust for two pies and a little pan of dough," was an order overheard at an uptown bakery in the vicinity of many apartment houses. On inquiry it was ascertained that was not so unusual as it appeared.

"You see," said the clerk, "lots of young housekeepers don't know how to make either pie crust or bread. By buying unbaked bread they can tear it off in pieces and make 'baptist cakes' for breakfast without a bit of trouble and their husbands think them wonderful cooks. As to the pie crust, that's easier still. They perhaps have had some home-made mincemeat sent to them and all they have to do is to roll out the crust, line the pie plate, fill in the mincemeat, put another piece over the top and bake it. It's really no trick at all and still one has the feeling of eating a real home-made pie. Oh, we're used to all sorts of queer tricks in this business, I can tell you, for every woman likes to make herself out to be a good housekeeper if she can. An she generally can if she's ingenious."—N. Y. Sun.

A Clean Slate.

A well-known doctor upon reaching home after a two days' absence noticed that his slate was perfectly clean, whereupon he asked the servant girl, "Has nobody called during my two days' absence? I left this slate out for callers to write their names on, and it is perfectly clean."

"Oh, yes, sir," replied the servant, cheerfully. "A lot of folk has come. An' the slate got so full o' names that only this morning I had to rub them off to make room for more."

45 to 50 Bu. of Wheat Per Acre

have been grown on farm lands in

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160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

Much less would be satisfactory. The general average is above twenty bushels.

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Per Salzer's catalog page 129.

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Are you fully satisfied with your bank? You insure your life and home, why not insure your bank account? Deposits in this bank are insured by the guaranty fund of the State of Oklahoma.

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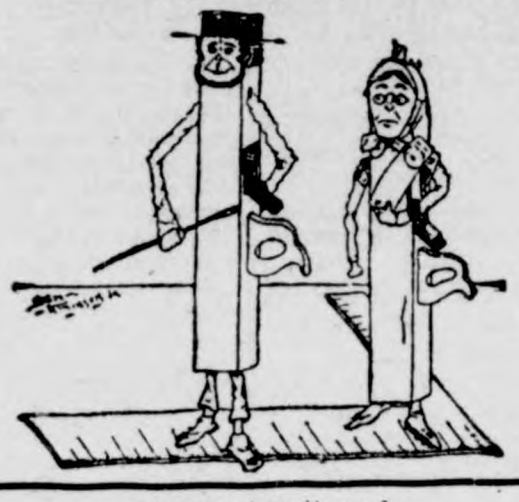

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in connection where you can get your work done promptly.

We solicit a share of your patronage.

Yours for business,

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KLEMME, IOWA

HELLO THERE

Where are you going? I'm going to H. Lau & Son. They handle all kinds of farm implements, Port Huron threshers also the Aultman & Taylor machinery, the 20 Century and Appleton manure spreader, McKinnon and Clinton wagons, Anchor and Velie buggies, Ohio and Kingman cultivators, stirring and gang plows, the open mould board sulky plows the lightest draft, Towers cultivators, Imperial and Challenge wind mills, hog fencing, barb wire, smooth wire gates, pumps and piping of all kinds, feed mills and the international gas engines from 1 to 40 H. P., Milwaukee mowers, binders, Dane bay loaders and buckers, nails and fence staples, wind mills and pump repairing on short notice, the sharpless cream separator the best made today, the Crack a-jack line of samples for tailor made suits.

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Clean Skimming
Easy Running
Long Wearing
U.S.

Several catalogues houses are offering "just as good" cream separators for sale at a lower price than the U. S. Cream Separator sells for. But before the unfortunate purchaser of one of these "mail order" separators gets through paying the repair bills he finds that **first cost** isn't the only difference. The "cheap" separators soon get out of fix because they are built of cheap material, and loosely put together. The cost of repairs alone in the first year or two would pay the difference in price between one of them and a U. S. But more important still they **do not skim clean,** they **waste cream at every skimming.**

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have stood the test of time. Many of them have been in use for 10 years or more, and have cost their owners next to nothing for repairs. They are easy running, **skim cleaner** than **any others,** have a simple, easy-to-wash bowl; enclosed, safety gearing and a convenient, low milk tank. See a U. S. Separator for yourself—that's the best way. They are sold by

ELL BROS. Klemme, Ia.

Renew on the Klemme Times.

UP BEFORE THE BAR

N H Brown an attorney of Pittsfield, Vt. writes: We have used Dr. King's new life pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be withou them. For chills constipation, biliousness or sick headache they work wonders, 25c at G A Pabst & Co.

Avery Center.

Jay T. Griggs sold a team last week.

J. F. Hartfelder was buying stock around Thornton Thursday.

Anthony Shaver took in the dance at Theo. Jahnke's Wednesday eve.

J. W. Griggs is kept busy these days shooting wild geese around the park.

Harry Behringer while unloading a shot gun in the house accidently shot a hole threw the wall.

We understand there is a new Doctor in the Center but haven't learned his name at this writing.

O. D. Church says that he has three of the best cows in Avery township. He churned 1261 lbs. during the month of March. He says he can't make money any faster than milking cows like these. He ships all his butter to a Chicago firm and gets the best price that is to be had. These cows give such a large flow of milk that he has to milk them three times a day.

RHEUMATISM

More than nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles due to cold or damp or chronic rheumatism. In such cases no internal treatment is required. The free application of Chamberlain's liniment is all that is needed and it is certain to give quick relief. Give it a trial and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain and soreness. The medicines usually given internally for rhenmatism are poisonous or very strong medicines. The are worse than usual in cases of chronic and muscular rheumatism. For sale by G A Pabst & Co.

Gladstone's Opinion of the King.

H. W. Lucy, dean of the house of commons reporters, who has known every prominent politician for the last quarter of a century, continues his reminiscences in the Cornhill Magazine. He gives the following as Mr. Gladstone's characteristic summary of King Edward, given apparently about 1887:

"A shrewd man, a keen observer, full of tact, always educating himself without deliberately sitting down to learn a lesson; rarely opening a book, but keeping himself au courant with whatever is going on in the world, and when the time comes for him to take his part in public business doing it thoroughly."

The Highwayman's Prayer.

Tom L Johnson was criticising, at a holiday banquet, a grasping corporation.

"They are too transparent," he said, "in asking for the passage of this bill. In fact, they remind me vividly of the continental highwayman who, laying his bludgeon and revolver beside him, knelt down on the road in front of a wayside shrine and prayed:

"'I do not ask thee, O Madonna, for money—only send this way an automobile with full pockets.'"

Only One Death in Family in 50 Years.

This was a notable day in the affairs of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Kulp of this city, for it was just 50 years since they were married. To-day's event was attended by the six children and 11 grandchildren, their families and other relatives. There has been but one death in this family, that of a grandchild, which occurred 26 years ago.—Lock Haven Correspondence, Philadelphia Press.

Mortal Offense.

"I'm going to beat your block off!"

"What for?"

"You offended my wife."

"But, my dear sir, I merely refused to elope with her as she wanted me to."

"I know it. And here's where you get trimmed."—Cleveland Leader.

APRIL 11, 1909 IS

EASTER SUNDAY

The day that marks the formal opening of Spring. It is that that we put on our "best bib and tucker" and march forth wearing our new hat and patent leather slippers, not to mention the Easter necktie.

Your Easter Hat is here

It is a "Lampher Hat" which means

the hat which is "Always Right."

Come try it on and wear it away.

The Lanpher Hat

The Lanpher Hat

A Half Thousand

Faster Neckties in our show cases. We want every man and boy in our territory to wear a new tie on Easter Sunday.

Come Today
The Picking is Good

Arthur Wellemeyer.

Where your Dollar does its duty.

RESTAURANT
AND
LUNCH ROOM

We have a fresh and complete line of Candies, Nuts, Tobacco, Cigars, lunch counter Canned Goods, Soft Drinks and Fruits.

We have fresh home made bakery goods every day. Meals and Lunches served at all hours. We can also accommodate you with lodging. We solicit a share of your patronage.

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GRAND EASTER OPENING

APRIL 1-2-3,

THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

We will have the Largest and Finest Display of Easter and Spring Milliuery ever shown The newest creations in Pattern Hats, Trimmed Hats. Childrens Headwear. The latest in Hair Rools also the best Ladies Corsets A fine line of latest Ladies Shirt Waists, Collars, Rushes and Belts.

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Corn	50 to 54c
Oats	45 to 49c
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Barley	55 to60 c
Hay	3 00 to 6.00
Hogs	5.00 to 5.90
Cattle	1.50 to 5.85

LOCAL NEWS

Change of ad. for State Savings Bank.

Ed. Lenz left for Sioux Falls, S. Dak. on Tuesday.

We call the readers attention to Wellemeyer's Easter Sunday ad.

Emil Haes commenced work on the cement plant at Mason City.

Jake Bachman of Goodell, is doing some mason work in the Elder hotel.

Chas. Gibbs made a business trip to Chicago and Plano, Ill. returning Monday of this week.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Mrs. J. W. Waterman, daughter Mable and Miss Becker visited with Chas. Behrens and family at Garner Tuesday.

Read the new Restaurant and Lunch Room ad. in this issue oppcsite local page of A. Kirkwood & Son. They solicit a share of your patronage.

The party who pickpocketed a horse collar from H. Lau & Son is known and was seen in the act. The cheapest way out of it is to pay for the collar.

Permanently relieves constipation and indigestion. Regulates the bowels, builds up waste tissue. Makes pure blood. You grow strong, healthy and robust Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea the safest, nicest Spring tonic 35 cents. G. A. Pabst & Co.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets. Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

The hunting season for geese and ducks has been very poor this spring. The late snow we had kept the ponds froze and the game is taking a different route. What game is seen here is flying beyond gun reach. A gattling gun is the only weapon that would face them, still it is great sport to sit upon a cake of ice and anxiously waiting for the game to appear. Try it, we have had the experience.

Do not forget to read State Bank ad.

Luke Wessels is a new Times subscriber.

The snow is gradually going away and the roads are terribly muddy.

Vick Carlson who is confined to his bed with sickness, is at present somewhat better.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

H. L. Suckow and his brother-in-law Mr. Breuer. left for Waseca, Minn. today, Thursday.

Miller and James Lunn moved to Mandan, N. Dak. where they have gone to grow up with the country on their claims.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Baumgaertner of Garner are visiting with their son J. Baumgaertner and family and other acquaintances.

Mr. J. Turgasen and Miss Anna Turgasen of Richland Center, Wis. are visiting with their brother L. O. Turgasen and family.

Geo Wessels took sick suddenly Tuesday and is now confined to his bed with lung fever. We hope that it will not be a serious case.

Bloom keeps all kinds of good seed oats, barley, buckwheet, clover, timothy, rape and milet. Yours for business at the South Elevator. tf

Thos. Elder and family moved up from Goodell last week and are occupying the hotel. We understand that they will open up for business before long.

I have some good improved farms in Southern Minnesota I will trade for a good business, General Merchandise or hardware preferred. Write Box 18, Danvers. Minn.

A few have responded to our statements which we recently sent out to be paid by April 1st. We expect to hear from the balance by the 15th of April. We have payments to meet and expect to hear from you.

At the town election on Monday, Mar. 29th the following town officers were elected:

Mayor, F. Gruetzmacher.
Clerk, N. L. Palmer.
Treasurer, F. H. Ridder.
Assessor, Fred Henschen.
Councilman two years, H. C. Lau, J. Terhufen.
Councilman one year, T. Blank A. G. Koerner.

Dr. W. F Missman has decided to locate with us again. He will be remembered as having been left in care of Dr. Zinn's practice last summer and is well known among many of our people. The doctor is a graduate of the State University at Iowa City, whose medical school is headed by the noted surgeon Dr. J. R. Guthrie of Dubuque Since graduating the doctor has had much experience in hospital work and general practice and make a worthy addition to the countys medical members.

SWEPT OVER NIAGRA

The terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings growing ripples and faster current. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—dropsy, diabetes or brights disease. Take Flectric bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. After long suffering from weak kidneys and back one $1 00 bottle wholly cured me, writes J R Blackenship of Belk, Tenn. Only 50 at G A Pabst & Co.

It is up to you to read the State Savings Bank ad

Henry Ihde and his uncle Mr. Klinkenberg were at Garner Monday.

Mrs. H. Griewe and daughter Miss Clara were Garner visitors Tuesday.

If anyone has cattle that they wish pastured this season, call on Aug. Lau.

Mrs. A L. Spooner arrived from Iowa Falls today for a few days visit with relatives.

Rev. Koerner arrived from Reinbeck, Iowa on Monday for a few days visit with relatives.

Mr. Fred Haupt left for Belmond Monday evening for a few days visit with his sister Mrs. Kenefick.

Miss Anna Schuldt visited with her aunt Mrs. M. E. Peck and family at Garner Saturday last week.

Mrs. Gittie M. Sweigard arrived from Goodell Wednesday for a few days visit with her brother Al White and wife on the farm.

Aug. Lau is helping his son H. C. in the elevator and other business matters while H. C. Lau's helper Vick Carlson is on the sick list.

Mart Bachman sold two car loads of cattle to Aug. Lau last week Saturday. Mart went along with the stock to Chicago Sunday morning.

Builds up your whole body. Regulates the bowels. clears the blood, aids digestion, makes you well from head to feet. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do, greatest spring regulator. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. G. A. Pabst & Co.

The writer of the church locals being absent for more than a week, returned too late to find locals for this week.

It became our duty to spend a few days in Giard, Watson, Monona and vicinity in the interest of Charles City College. In this work we were successful beyond expectation. From there we went to Dubuque to be present Sunday at the dedication of the new Sunday school rooms which have been added to the German M. E. Church. An elaborrte program had been arranged for an all day meeting to which all former pastors had been invited but we were the only one who put in an appearance. It was a rare treat to us tc spend a few days among this congregation whose pastor we had been four years, namely from 1892 to 1896. For Monday evening they had arranged a grand banquet for which about 229 plates were covered. It was a great jubilee. Music and speech making extended to a late hour. Morally, Dubuque has becc me a different city since the saloon business has been brought under control. Every saloon was closed on Sunday and the day seemed hallowed with a peaceful spirit, such as we had never known in Dubuque in former days. It is the result of a combined effort of protestant and Catholics of which Arch Bishop Keene was the central figure. We were told the bishop invited the city council and the ministers to his residence and there the council was informed what the better class of citizens demanded of them. Later a great mass meeting was held and a law inforcement league was formed. This was the beginning of better days for Dubuque.

DR. W. F. MISSMAN, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon,
Klemme, Iowa.
Office in the Shafer building.
Prompt attention given to night calls.

Aug. Lau bought a car load of nice cattle of the Arnold brothers last week and shipped them last week Wednesday. Mr. Lau went in with them.

C. C. Suckow and wife visited over Sunday at Iowa Falls with Dr. Spooner and family. Some of the Spooner children returned with them on Monday.

Aug. and Henry Oellermann left for Adams, Dawson Co., Montana where they will again take up their work on their claims. We wish the boys success.

Grace: Pimples, blotches, rough, shiny skin are from the blood and stomach. A simple and never failing remedy—one that makes clear, healthy com plexions, pure blood, perfect digestion, is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Surprise yourself. Tea or tablets 35 cents. G. A Pabst & Co.

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

A. C Ripley	Des Moines
Val. Josten, Jr.	Goodell
A. Oellermann.	Adams, Mon.
E. P. Schaefer	Hebron, Ill.
Mrs. H. C. Josten	Garner
Frank Roath	Klemme
F. Gruetzmacher	"
Chas. Anderson	"
Fred Haupt	"
Chris. Rhodes,	Appleton, Minn

WORDS TO FREEZE THE SOUL

Your son has consumption. His case is hopeless. These appaling words were spoken to Geo. E Blevens a leading merchant of Springfield, N C by two expert doctors— one a lung specialist. Then was shown the wonderful power of Dr. King's new discovery. After three weeks use, writes Mr. Blevens he was as well as ever. I would not take all the money in the world for what it did for my boy. Infallible for coughs and colds its the safest, surest cure of desperate lung direases on earth. 50c and $1.00. Guarantee satifaction. Trial bottle free. G. A. Pabst & Co.

Twin Lake.

John Tanner delivered hogs at Klemme Tuesday.

A number of our people are still having a time with the la-grippe.

Theodore Riser of Galva, Ia, visited with relatives here recently.

Some of the farmers in this vicinity are taking advantage of this spring weather and are plowing sod.

Miss Nora Wendel visited with relatives and friends in this neighborhood the first part of the week

Chesley M. Jackson, of Peterson and Miss Corinne Huntington of Belmond visited at the F. W. Tanner home on Monday and Tuesday.

I'D RATHER DIE, DOCTOR

than have my feet cut off, said M L Bingham of Princeville, Ill. but you'll die from gangreen which had eaten away eight toes. if you don't said all doctors. Instead he used Bucklen's arnica salve till wholly cured. Its cures of eczema, fever sores, boils, burns and piles astound the world. 25 cts. at G A Pabst & Co.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.
Never fails. Buy it now. It may save life.

Let us be your Tailor
THE AMERICAN WOOLEN MILLS Co, Chicago, Illinois.
Manufacturers of fine woolens and wholesale custom tailors.
As Eastern Decoration Day is near at hand I will give special bargains on suits that are purchased of us before that time.
I will be please to show you a beautiful line of samples. A fit, a beauty and a long wearing suit Your profit, my pleasure.
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Dealer in
All kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats. Canned goods and oysters in season. Highest cash price paid for hides. Home rendered pure lard a specialty.
We solicit your patronage.

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Livestock Auctioneer,
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Dates made at either banks of Klemme.
Phone me at my expense.

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Graduate Optician,
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Eyes Tested Free.

LIVERY and FEED STABLE.
The only livery in town
Good rigs and careful drivers
Rates reasonable
Your patronage solicited
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The Tonsorial Artist
Will give you an easy shave or a new hair cut.
2nd door west of State Savings Bank
Call in

Items for Travelers

Have you read the wonderful stories of success in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas? Send for our pamphlet.

$30 to $35 will take you to principal points in the Southwest and return. Tickets sold first and third Tuesdays of each month.

When traveling to and from Colorado use the best! "The Rocky Mountain Limited."

Hundreds of people are going to California on the Golden State Limited. Why not you?

Mr. Jno. G. Farmer, D. P. A., Cedar Rapids, will gladly inform you about any trip you may consider taking.

Rock Island

Remember, I sell the tickets.

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Rock Island Lines,
Klemme, Iowa

A CONSTIPATION REMEDY FREE

There is no action of your daily life of greater importance than to see that your bowels move. They should move at least once a day naturally, and by that is meant without any help. If they do uot move at least cnce a day you can consider yourself constipated and it is time you did something about it.

You will be glad to know there is a way out of the difficulty, Lemuel Landerdale, an old soldier at Quincy, Ill., Elmer McMillan, of Speed, Mo., Mrs. Monahan, of Stonewall, Miss., and many others were as you are now. But one day they awoke to the fact that Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin was curing their friends, so they bought it too and it cured them. To-day, they are loud in praise of it.

What Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin did for them it should do for you. Surely your constipation is no worse than theirs, one of whom had it since '61. It only remains for you to realize that salts are of but temporary good, and what you want is a permanent cure; that purgative tablets, cathartic pills and such violent things make a great show of doing something, but do nothing that is lasting. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a scientific preparation, a laxative-tonic, a mild syrupy liquid that contains ingredients that not only cure the constipation, but tone the intestinal muscles so that they learn again to work without help. A bottle can be bought of any druggist for the small price of 50 cents, and there is a dollar size for families who have already found out its wonderful value in stomach, liver and bowel troubles, in old or young.

Send your name and address to the doctor and a free trial bottle will be sent you so that you can test it before buying.

If there is anything about your ailment that you don't understand, or if you want any medical advice, write to the doctor, and he will answer you fully. There is no charge for this service. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 201 Caldwell bldg., Monticello, Ill.

Your orthography is twisted, Alonzo. A woman is not a padded cell.

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PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Chicken-hearted people are always hatching excuses.

Feet Ache—Use Allen's Foot-Ease
Over 30,000 testimonials. Refuse imitations. Send for free trial package. A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Love is not blind, but those whom it affects are.

AFTER DOCTORS FAILED

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Her.

Willimantic, Conn.—"For five years I suffered untold agony from female troubles, causing backache, irregularities, dizziness and nervous prostration. It was impossible for me to walk upstairs without stopping on the way. I tried three different doctors and each told me something different. I received no benefit from any of them, but seemed to suffer more. The last doctor said nothing would restore my health. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to see what it would do, and I am restored to my natural health."—Mrs. ETTA DONOVAN, Box 299, Willimantic, Conn.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills, and suffering women owe it to themselves to at least give this medicine a trial. Proof is abundant that it has cured thousands of others, and why should it not cure you?

FITS

If you suffer from Fits, Falling Sickness, Spasms or have children or friends that do so, my New Discovery will relieve them, and all you are asked to do is send for a FREE Bottle of
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It has cured thousands where everything else failed. Sent free with directions. Express Prepaid. Guaranteed by May Medical Laboratory, under the National Food and Drugs Act, June 30th, 1906. Guaranty No. 18971. Please give AGE and full address.
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FOR A BIG FIGHT

ADVOCATES OF PROHIBITION AND SALOONS GATHER.

HEARING ON RESUBMISSION

The Fate of the Constitutional Amendment May be Decided Soon.

Des Moines.—Anticipating the hearing upon the Meredith prohibition resolution in the Iowa senate, crowds of visitors are at the state house. From all over the state have come prohibitionists and anti-prohibitionists, church workers and politicians, idealists and men who are peculiarly practical in their views of legislation. The senate chamber is crowded to capacity during the hearing before the senate committee on constitutional amendments. The opponents of prohibition talk against favorable action by the committee, and a part of the hearing will be given over to the prohibitionists. This gathering will go down in Iowa legislative and political history and will be long remembered for its influence upon the prohibitory statutes of the commonwealth, regardless of the outcome of the present war over the Meredith resolution. Prohibition and temperance forces are leagued in the support of the measure, and opposed to it re business men from different parts of the state. Some of the opponents, also, are members of the ministry. Few active liquor dealers are present among the opponents of the resolution and among their leaders there is a tendency to criticise the newspapers of the state for referring conveniently to the opponents of the prohibition amendments as "the liquor men."

Many Transients at Asylums.

Condemnation of the policy of hiring transient attendants in the state insane hospitals and of the penurious policy of paying attendants salaries from only $25 to $30 per month will be a feature of the report of the committee from the house of representatives named to investigate charges of cruelty in the insane hospitals. The committee has returned from a visit to Clarinda and Mount Pleasant, where, the members say, much evidence was uncovered, some indicating needless cruelty to inmates and some indicating that such charges are largely unfounded.

Indefinitely Postponed.

The bill by Allen of Pocahontas providing for the inspection of all county and city jails under direction of the board of control, introduced a few days ago in the senate, was short lived. The senate committee on cities and towns recommended indefinite postponement of any action. Members of the committee thought the inspection ordered by the courts on the part of grand juries every time they sit to be sufficient.

Nonpartisan Elections.

Senator Frudden expects to introduce a bill which will provide that in cities of the first and second classes and cities under special charters, nomination and election of city officers shall be made in accordance with the commission plan. The object of this measure is to provide for city governments administered by nonpartisan corps of officials.

To Get Interest on Deposits.

The house passed the Dowell bill requiring banks to pay interest on county deposits. The same bill was introduced in the house by Representative Hunter of Polk county but the senate acted first and the Dowell bill was substituted. It was amended in the house to require 2 per cent interest on only 90 per cent of the average daily balance.

Anti-Frat Bill In.

The senate committee on schools has introduced a bill which provides that there shall be no "frats" in public schools. The custom of "rushing" high school senior classmen who are planning college careers is also barred by the bill, and any college fraternity man who is found guilty must, on conviction, pay a fine of from $2 to $10.

To Kill Off Brown Tail Moth.

The brown tail moth is to be the subject of investigation under legislative sanction in Iowa, from all appearances. The senate passed the Gillilland bill making an appropriation of $1,000 for the state entomologist to use in studying this little fruit destroying insect and securing its eradication.

De Wolf Bill Passed.

It is surely going to be a State Teachers' college instead of State Normal school. The house passed the De Wolf bill for change in name of the institution after amending it to make it read State Teachers' college. The bill, as it left the senate, changed the name to State Normal college.

School Ma'am Bill Fixed Up.

Senator Adams has perfected his bill providing for life certificates for school teachers, which is now in the hands of a sub-committee, and hopes to get early action upon it by the senate committee on schools. The sections he has remodeled relate to the giving of certificates without examination to persons who have completed a four years' high school course, or its equivalent, and to persons who have completed a college course. In order that there may be no question about the course of the high school graduate the school must reach a standard approved by the state board of examiners. The section relating to college graduates has been stricken out, so the law will remain as it now is with reference to this. The college graduate now receives a second grade certificate for two years, and by successful teaching he may work into the first grade class and receive a life certificate. As a means of holding up the standard in another way the bill requires that the persons holding a second grade certificate must show in addition to the five years' experience an average on examinations of not less than 85 per cent and in no study less than 75 per cent, in order to secure a life certificate.

Banking Laws to be Revised.

Revision of the banking laws of Iowa in a manner that places both state and savings banks on the same footing is being attempted by the committee on banks and banking of the house of representatives of the general assembly. Most important of the changes in the law sought is the one giving savings banks the privilege of loaning money on real estate securities outside of the state. This provision is guarded by the requirement that the loan shall not be in excess of 40 per cent of the value as appraised by four disinterested persons. Six bank examiners are provided for under the proposed statute instead of four, the number now in the service. As a bill is now pending in the legislature which has for its end the removal of the banking department from the office of the auditor of state to that of the state treasurer, the revision bill is drawn with that in view, although as introduced it names the auditor as the supervising officer.

Bill Hits Swindlers.

Swindlers who tie up the Iowa farmer—or merchant or banker or lawyer—with fraudulent contracts for nursery trees, land sales, lightning rods, books or cheap jewelry will no longer be permitted to bring suit at their headquarters in the other end of the state and force the farmer to pay up rather than leave home to defend himself. A bill which probably will do more to put a stop to swindling of this variety than any law on the statute books was passed by the house of representatives. It was introduced and supported by Representative Cooper of Jasper county, and provides that the defendant in a suit to recover on a contract may secure a change in the place of trial to his home county by pleading fraud and putting up a reasonable bond with his local court.

Utility Bill Reported for Passage.

Senator Smith's public service utility commission bill has been reported for passage by the senate committee on railroads. The Sammis bill on the same proposition, but drawn along different lines, is in the hands of the committee on cities and towns, where a sub-committee is going over it. The Smith bill places only railroads, telegraphs and telephones under the commission and makes the body appointive instead of elective.

Civil Rights Bill Lost.

With nine votes opposing it and twenty-one senators failing to answer to their names on the roll call, Senator Clarkson's civil rights bill was lost in the senate, and there will not be any law enacted at the present legislative session to compel incorporated schools to enroll wouldbe students regardless of race. The bill received nineteen votes, seven short of the number required for its passage.

Search for Cigarettes.

Search warrants will be obtainable in Iowa by persons who have reason to believe that the law regarding the sale of cigarettes and cigarette materials is being violated. The bill introduced by Representative Hunter of Polk county and framed by John Hammond, leader of the Trimmer club movement, was passed by the senate in practically the same form in which it passed the house.

Roads Bill Defeated.

The only good roads bill that seemed likely to pass the lower house of the Iowa legislature was defeated through the indifference of members, more than thirty of whom were away from their desks when the roll was called. It was Representative Dodd's bill permitting the creation of road improvement districts and the levying of a 2 mill tax by the board of supervisors, both for the construction of permanent roads.

FEAR FOR KIDNAPERS

BOYLES TAKEN TO PITTSBURG FOR SAFE KEEPING.

INDICTED AT CLEVELAND

Will Be Tried for Blackmail If They Fail of Conviction In Pennsylvania —Identified by Whitla Boy.

Pittsburg, Pa. — Fearing for the safety of their prisoners if they were taken to Sharon or the county seat at Mercer, officers brought James H. Boyle and his wife, accused of kidnaping Willie Whitla, to the Allegheny county jail here.

They were brought here in a special Pullman car from Cleveland by way of Youngstown and New Castle, over the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad. The prisoners were guarded in their car by 16 detectives and officers.

It was the unanimous opinion of the officers engaged on the case that it would be safer not to take any chances by exposing their prisoners to the wrath of the Sharon populace.

Indicted at Cleveland.

The Cleveland police have a club over the heads of the Boyles in a joint indictment charging them with blackmail. This charge is based on the payment of $10,000 ransom by J. P. Whitla for the recovery of his son in that city last Monday. This indictment will be used by the Cleveland officials in the event that the case here fails of conviction. The Boyles did not fight extradition to this state.

Boy Identifies Kidnapers.

Cleveland, O.—All doubt that the man and woman arrested Tuesday night are the kidnapers of Willie Whitla, the Sharon (Pa.) boy whose father paid $10,000 ransom for his recovery, was dispelled Wednesday, when the lad, without hesitation, identified the prisoners when he faced them in the police station.

Willie said the man who gave the name of James H. Boyle was the one who took him from school and carried him through the tortuous route to Cleveland, then to Ashtabula, back to this city, and placed him in the house in the east end where he was held until the money was paid. Willie also declared that the woman was the one who cared for him at the house where he was detained and who acted the part of a nurse.

Boyle said the woman was his wife. The police have no other identification of the couple than the names given. Boyle is said to reside in Sharon and is a plumber by trade. He is said to have a widowed mother, four brothers and a sister.

The woman, who is accredited with being the wife of Boyle, declared soon after her arrest that her identification would cause a sensation in Sharon.

When the identification was completed Mr. Whitla would say nothing regarding the woman. He said he knew Boyle slightly.

When Boyle was taken before the boy Chief Kohler asked Willie if he had ever seen the man before.

"Sure," said Willie, brightly; "why that is the man I left Sharon with. He took me to Cleveland, then to Ashtabula and back to Cleveland."

When Willie concluded Boyle was taken back to his cell and the woman was brought in.

Immediately Willie walked up to her and extending his hands, said:

"How do you do?"

"Hello, Willie," the woman replied, as she placed her hand upon his head and caressed him for an instant.

The boy then stepped back to his father and was asked several questions by the chief of police.

"Yes, I know her," he said, "she was the nurse who took care of me in Cleveland. She told me I was sick and in a hospital. I saw her a whole lot as she was with me most all of the time."

Whitla Abductor Chicago Woman.

Mercer, Pa.—Heavily manacled to Sheriff Chess and guarded by several detectives, James Boyle, one of the kidnapers of little Willie Whitla, was brought here Friday from Pittsburg and lodged in the Mercer county jail. His wife, who has been identified as Anna McDermott, daughter of William McDermott, a former Chicago fireman, it is said, will be brought here from Pittsburg Saturday and the couple will be formally arraigned on a charge of kidnaping in a few days.

Boyle feared violence in his arrival in Mercer and on the journey from Pittsburg asked Sheriff Chess if he thought the crowd would harm him.

Original "Affinity's" Wife Sues.

Middletown, N. Y. — Ferdinand Pinney Earle, artist, poet and foremost exponent of the "affinity" idea, was served Friday with papers in an action brought by Mrs. Earle, formerly Miss Julia Kuttner of New York city, for annulment of their marriage. Mrs. Earle alleges that Earle is of unsound mind.

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The golden sun climbs up the sky,
The shadows flee away,
Oh! weary heart, forget to sigh:
God sends the Easter Day!
Long was that night, chill was the air,
And grief o'er brooded long,
Yet is the new world white and fair,
Uplift thine Easter song!

The cross that bowed thee with its weight
By strength of prayer is stirred,
Till it shall bear thee soon or late,
As wings upbear the bird.
The life that thrills from star to star,
And beats in leaf and stem,
Is wider than the heavens are,
And blesses thee from them.

Wert thou cast down, wert thou dismayed,
Dear Child of One above,
Behold the earth in light arrayed;
The light of deathless love.
Oh! listen to the word that wakes
In every budding flower,
And take the bread the Master breaks,
In His triumphant hour.

For those who hear, and hearing yearn,
The King hath secrets sweet;
Their hearts within them thrill and burn,
They wait His coming feet.
Then swift the sun climbs up the sky!
The shadows flee away!
Oh! weary heart, forget to sigh,
God sends the Easter Day!

Easter in the World.

According to an old tradition, when the Roman soldiers came to the Garden of Gethsemane Christ hid under the olive trees until the treacherous plover cried out "Buvick!" "Buvick!" "He is hiding!"

But if a Judas among the birds betrayed the Master of men in this hour of ...ed, other faithful feathered folk min...tered to him at the darker moment ...f Calvary. Then it was that the ...oice of the pitying turtle dove grew ...o plaintive that never has it re...ained its lost happy notes. Not only ...d the swallow perch on the cross and ...itter tender words of consolation, ...t also in its small, sweet way al...viated the sufferer's pain by pulling ...t a spine from the crown of thorns. ...nd the stork flying o...er the cross ...ttered on the wing to call down: ...Stryk!" "Stryk!" — "Strengthen!" ...Strengthen!"

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From these seeds, the quaint narra...ve continues, sprang three saplings ...at later united, three in one, sym...l of the Trinity. With this mirac...ous tree Moses and David each ...rought many wonders. But King ...olomon, his whole heart set upon the ...ilding of the temple, had the tree ...t down, intending it for a magnifi...nt beam. Strive as the workmen ...ould, however, nowhere would the ...am fit, and, cast aside, it was later ...ed as a bridge across a near-by ...eam. When the queen of Sheba ...de her notable visit she refused to ...ad upon this bridge; instead, she ...elt and worshiped, and having con...ed to Solomon a vision she had ...ncerning it, the king at once or...ed the sacred wood incased in gold ...d silver, and reverently hung over ...e door of the temple. Subsequently, Abijah, son of Rehoboam, coveting the precious setting, had it taken down, and after appropriating the metal had the wood buried deep in the earth—so deep, in fact, that a well was dug over it, the famous Pool of Bethesda, the tree of mercy at the bottom giving healing qualities to the waters. Finally, as the time appointed approached, the tree rose and floated on the surface, and the Jews took it and made it into the cross upon which the Christ was crucified.

Wood of the Cross.

As some claim the aspen was the wood of the cross, others select the weeping willow for the tree upon which Judas hanged himself.

There is an old legend as sinister as the fatalistic Dedipus myth that claims that before the birth of Judas his mother dreamed that her child would murder his father and betray his God for money. To prevent this tragedy, the babe was put in a chest and cast upon the sea, but was rescued and adopted by a king.

According to tradition, Pontius Pilate as well as Judas committed suicide, for upon his return to Rome so indignant was the emperor over the governor's actions while in Jerusalem that he cast him into prison, a humiliation too great for so weak a spirit to bear.

Weird is the legend told concerning the restless, tormented ghost of him who could wash his hands but not his conscience of offense.

The body of the suicide was first cast into the Tiber, but so turbulent were the storms that immediately followed that it was taken out of the river, carried to Gaul, and thrown into the Rhone. Tempests were the instant result. Again the body was removed, this time to Lake Geneva. The same disasters in its train. Once more an attempt was made to overcome the evil. Surely, in a far-away mountain lake locked in the center of the Alps even the spirit of a Pilate could do no harm. Vain hope. There arose storms of wind and rain so great in fury that flocks and herds were drowned, trees torn up by the roots, and happy-hearted homes washed away to death and destruction.

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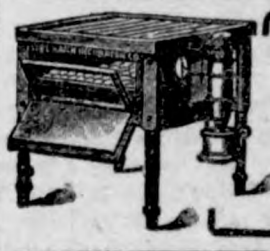

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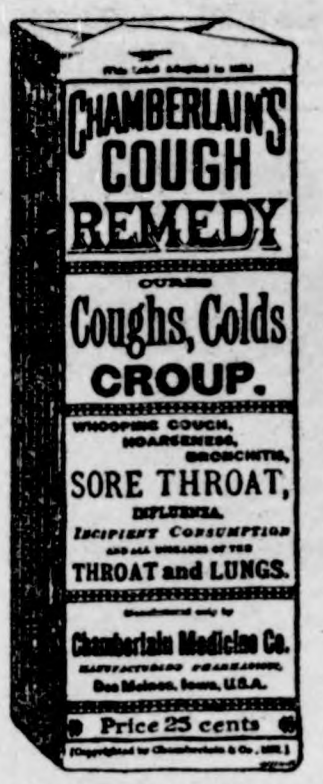

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The Origin of Pie.

The origin of pie, especially mince pie, like the origin of sausage, is shrouded in mystery, but certain it is that it was known as far back as the time of Piers the Plowman, and it may be that in his dinner pail could have been found the precedent which Michael of Pittsburg, now of the hospital, sought to follow. Those who are surprised, after being led to believe that New England is the habitat of the article, to learn that pie is an old English institution, can easily accept the further statement that "planted on American soil it forthwith ran rampant and burst forth into an untold variety of genera and species." Like the Irish potato, which is said to have been originated in the new world, it has been so ingrafted into the life of its adopted country that it seems more like a native than an alien.

Troublesome Small Animals.

Farmers who live near the Blue mountains, in Lehigh county, are greatly bothered with foxes, minks and weasels, and the farmers who live along the lowlands have their land spoiled by the muskrats and the skunks. A crusade has been declared against these animals and the farmers expect to exterminate them by trapping and shooting.

More than 1,000 pelts have been shipped from New Tripoli during the last week. Among the most successful trappers were the following: R. Stump and C. Frey, who had 40 skunks, 36 opossums and 34 muskrats; W. Oswald, six minks; J. Wolf, seven red foxes. There are a score of others who caught as high as 40 foxes, skunks, opossums and muskrats.—Punxsutawney Spirit.

CAESAR'S GHOST IN POLITICS.

Nations Still Cling Tenaciously to Notion of Empire.

Even more tenacious has been the hold of Caesar's ghost in politics. There are two forms under which the idea of world government presents itself: One, the dead notion of empire, the thing for which Caesar stood, the very name of the man still clinging on in the words czar and kaiser, and the name of his idea remaining in the word emperor; the other, the living idea of federation. When we have come to understand the nature of ghost rule we wonder no longer at some political phenomena otherwise absolutely incomprehensible. Why, for instance, does each nation now strive for the chimera of military preparedness? Germany, England and Japan levy an intolerable tax of money and blood to maintain their armies; the nations are in perpetual travail to bring fourth battleship after battleship. If you go to the bottom of the reason of all this you find no reason at all, or a silly one. For it is manifestly impossible for any one nation to conquer all the others. You ask yourself why one international fleet and army could not be supported, to be at the command of one international court, thus to settle all disputes and enforce all decisions. The answer plainly is that this question is mere living, mortal common sense, and hence a puny thing to put against the age-old, dead ghost-principle of empire.—Atlantic Weekly.

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Justice Fuller's Idea of Interpreters.

Chief Justice Fuller has but a small opinion of expert witnesses and entertains scarcely a more favorable opinion of interpreters. He is not at all averse to expressing his mind on these subjects, and on one occasion summed up his idea of an interpreter as follows:

"An interpreter is a person who translates a language he does not understand into one that he does not speak."

Caruso, But Still—!

At a performance of "Aida," Caruso, as usual, soared into the highest altitudes of song with such consummate ease and thrilling power that he brought down the house—with the exception of one critical young woman in the family circle.

"Lou," she observed to her companion, "ain't it funny that Caroozer don't seem to gripe your nolves the way he does on the record? Queer, ain't it?"

Unusual Freedom.

"Are all married men as carefully watched as jokesmiths say they are?"

"Certainly not. I know a married man who is allowed two nights out every week, just so he comes home before 11 o'clock, and tells his wife exactly where he has been and brings some sort of little gift, just to show that he has been thinking about her [illegible] —Birmingham Age-Herald.

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INDICTMENT OF THE LANDLORD.

Stern Words for Those Who Surrender Themselves to Greed.

Wherein is the difference between a poisoned well and a poisoned air shaft? Suppose, deliberately and knowingly, we allow our fellow-men to inhabit rooms, to live under conditions which mean a lingering death. The thing has to be proved to us beyond question; then the moment that it has been proved beyond question, it becomes not simply a scientific question, it becomes a question of morals, a question, ultimately, of religion. I like that phrase in the Old Testament where, speaking of those who violate certain fundamental principles of health and well-being, the statement was made that such a man was "an abomination unto the Lord." Now, we want that taught to the landlord as well as to the tenant, that there are some things which are abominations unto the Lord, and there are persons who are abominations unto the Lord.—Rev. S. M. Crothers, Cambridge.

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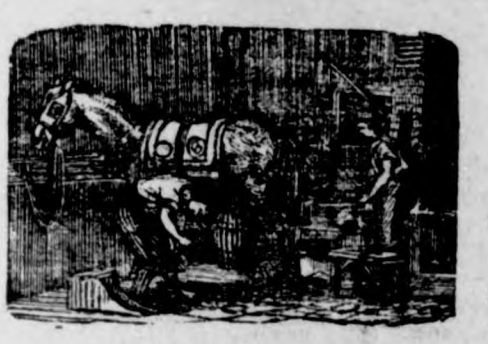

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The auto has proved that it has both come to stay and come to go.

Buffalo girl marries a prisoner in the county jail. Poor devil couldn't get away.

If improving the cows will improve the milk and butter then good luck to the movement.

At a wedding in New Jersey one of the guests was the bride's great-grandaughter. Romance must die hard—very, very hard—in New Jersey.

Pity the sorrows of the persecuted rich. They rail at Hetty Green for parsimony and they carp at Carnegie's benefactions.

Science continues to discover microbes in everything we breathe or eat. Yet scientists themselves do not consent to suffocate or starve.

Castro says he is incapable of some of the things of which he is accused. But he will scarcely go back to Venezuela and demand an investigation.

A woman in New York discharged her cook by shooting her. Even the mildest of domestic worms will turn at times.

There might be fewer auto accidents were the qualifications and responsibilities of chauffeurs specifically fixed by law.

Less coal was mined last year and less was burned, but as Providence tempered the winter to the poor there was less suffering.

London suffragettes send a couple of themselves to parliament by mail. Maybe we don't want a parcels post after all.

As it has taken 18 years to cut down the transatlantic record one day, it is a mathematical calculation that in 1981 we will be crossing the Atlantic in no time at all.

A Harrisburg, Pa., doctor removed the vermiform appendix belonging to a girl who went to him to obtain treatment for sore throat. Force of habit sometimes becomes an awful thing.

The crown prince of Germany decides he cannot come here incognito. He has evidently heard of the American reporter and fears he will be discovered.

That terrible tornado in Arkansas reminds us that the season of spring storms is here, and also that science is powerless to protect from these awful forces of nature.

Plans to fly across the Atlantic ocean look large and advanced, but wouldn't it be wiser for the human birds first to learn to negotiate some of the broader rivers and smaller lakes?

The word "flareback," invented by the weather experts, is likely to find its way into debate when a member of congress desires to intimate that some one is making himself disagreeable.

Between San Francisco and San Pedro the torpedo-boat destroyer Whipple made the 476 miles in 17 hours, the resulting casualties among sea serpents which frequent those waters not being reported.

Alfred Austin occupies five stanzas to express in rhyme the deep reflection that if the United States will stand by England England will stand by the United States. Perhaps the United States will agree, subject to the stipulation that Alfred Austin be restrained from inflicting any more rhymes on us.

A Kentucky court holds that checks given in payment of poker debts are binding. Kentucky does not propose to have such an important matter as the great American game emasculated by repudiation of the settlements. Indeed, there is reason to believe that if Kentucky could have her full wish the blue chip would rank as legal tender for five dollars.

A league is to be formed in Pittsburg of national scope, whose aim is to purge cities of graft. It is not yet stated whether its noble purposes of reform will be backed by Pittsburg millionaires, but all acquainted with the subject involved will agree that while the league will hardly abolish the time-honored institution it has set out to attack, its members will have lots of fun.

An inventive genius in England, according to a report by United States Consul Joseph G. Stephens at Plymouth, has discovered a process by which eggs six months old are made to retain all their new-laid qualities. Part of the process consists of disinfecting the eggs and then sealing them with paraffin wax. It sounds very scientific, but the probability is that a large proportion of consumers will prefer eggs strictly fresh.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth

Hunters Drown at Waterloo.

Waterloo.—Henry Bothman, Chris and Frank Bentz were drowned in the Cedar river Sunday noon while out duck hunting. Dozens of people were forced to stand helpless on the banks of the stream while two of the men, clinging to the upturned boat, were swept over the dam. The third abandoned the boat some distance above the dam and failed in an attempt to swim to the shore. The men were first seen clinging to the upturned boat half a mile above the dam. People who rushed to the shore found the boats there securely locked to trees and not an oar in sight. Powerless to aid, they were forced to stand on the bank and see the three men sweep helplessly down the rushing current.

National Convention Called.

Davenport.—William R. Benkert, national chairman of the United Christian party, the unique political organization which has run a candidate for president in several national campaigns, and which was founded in Davenport and has its national headquarters here, has issued a call for the next national convention of the party "in the Watch Tower in Rock Island, Ill., May 1, 1909, to confer with one another concerning the will and kingdom of God in earth, in behalf of humanity, as the assembly led by His Spirit and governed by His command of love, may we see and act upon."

Police to Watch Autos.

Sioux City.—As a result of the running down of little Joe O'Leary, a 6-year-old boy, by a recklessly driven automobile the Sioux City police commissioners have about decided to detail police officers on bicycles to apprehend reckless drivers. The little fellow who was hurt has never regained consciousness and hopes for his recovery are slight. The boy's father was killed a year ago by an automobile.

Cigarettes the Cause.

Des Moines.—Because her husband, John E. Roper, of Omaha, Neb., smoked cigarettes incessantly, Mrs. Roper has filed suit for a divorce in the district court. In her petition she says that the cigarettes caused her husband's mind to become depraved, that he developed a temper and abused her in a shameful manner. She asks to have her name restored to Clara B. Delp if she is granted a decree.

Tramps in Large Numbers.

Webster City.—There are more tramps passing through Webster City this spring than have come this way for the past ten years. The majority of them, too, are middle aged men out of work—not of the usual "Wearie Willie" type. Mayor Hyatt reports that three times as many men are being given lodging in the city jail this spring as applied for a night's rest last year at this time.

To Dig Into Indian Mounds.

Sioux City.—As a result of interest in an address delivered before the Sioux City Academy of Sciences by Prof. E. L. Hewett of Wahington, D. C., director of the American Institute of Archaeology, a branch of the Iowa Archaeological ociety will be formed her for the purpose of conducting a scientific investigation of the Indian mounds of Woodbury county.

Prevent's Mother's Suicide.

Carbon.—Mrs. Jack Burris was saved from hanging herself in the garret by her little son, who, hearing a strange noise, investigated and cut her down before she strangled. She had hung herself because her other son had been sent to the penitentiary for five years by Judge Evans for keeping a house of ill fame. The woman will recover.

Pioneer Resident Naturalized.

Sioux City.—Desirous of becoming a homesteader, Mrs. Margaret Long, aged 76 years, a native of Canada, foreswore allegiance to King Edward of England and took out her first naturalization papers as a subpject of Uncle Sam. Mrs. Long was a pioneer resident of Larchwood, Lyon county, Iowa.

Man Stricken Speechless.

Iowa City.—Paralysis has robbed Isaac Reizenstein of speech. The aged man was stricken a month ago. The trouble spread and he is now unable to speak

Killed in Bluffs Yards.

Council Bluffs.—William J. McCune, a prominent insurance man of Council Bluffs, was killed in the Northwestern yards here. The exact circumstances surrounding McCune's death are not known. He was in the yards seeking a man with whom he had some business and it is presumed that he had attempted to catch the last of a string of fifteen cars that were being taken to the lower yards for a ride to the station and fell under the wheels. His mangled body was found under the last car after the trainmen had their attention attracted to a fluttering garment and had stopped the train. McCune was about 30 years old. He was for a number of years secretary of the local lodge of Elks. He leaves a widow and one son.

Claims Servian Throne.

Eldora.—The report that King Peter of Servia has announced his intention of quitting his throne and spending the remainder of his life in Switzerland, recalls the fact that an Iowa man, Maximilian Streu, of Numa, Appanoose county, has claims to this throne and may now make a desperate effort to sit on the throne and rule the Servians. Streu's claims have been made public through the papers many times and he stil stoutly maintains that he should be given opportunity to prove his rights. The Iowa man is a telegraph operator and for a number of years has resided at the little station of the Rock Island, attending to his duties as a railroad man, dreaming of the time and the day when he shall don the purple robes of office, wear the ermine and rule over the Servian people.

Rewards for Clean Yards.

Villisca.—The Village Improvement association, a society of women whose business is to encourage and promote the cleanliness of Villisca, have come out with the announcement that premiums will be given for the three best kept back and front yards this summer. The offer is $10, $5 and $2.50 for the three neatest yards and the only condition is that women wishing to compete register their names and the ward they live in with the society. Villisca is already one of the cleanest and most beautiful towns in Iowa, but that there are many back yards that would look much better if swept clean of old tin cans and other rubbish and a few flower seeds planted in their stead is the opinion of the Village Improvement association.

Nearly Killed by Remedy.

Cushing.—A doctor taking his own medicine nearly cost the life of Dr. A. H. Bullock, a leading practitioner of this place. He had prescribed for a patient, who, after taking a small dose of the medicine, complained of worse pain than he had had before and went to the doctor about it, declaring he believed that the prescription was wrong. Dr. Bullock felt so sure that no mistake had been made that he took a liberal swallow of the potion.

Tries to Commit Suicide.

Newton.—Charles A. Gibford, returning from Des Moines swallowed the contents of a bottle of chloroform and is in a precarious condition. He is a plumber, is married and has a family. He is steadily employed in Newton. Returning on the train he seemed to be in a perfectly normal condition of mind. His family say that he staggered out of the house choking, and when asked his trouble said he had taken something to end his life.

Iowa's Youngest Sheriff.

Clinton.—Clinton had the honor of a visit of the youngest sheriff in the state of Iowa. This official hails from Cedar county and is just 26 years of age. Sheriff Piett came to the city on official business and after the fashion of emissaries of the law on business bent, repaired at once to the police station. There it was learned that the visitor was the youngest sheriff in the state. His father held a county office in Cedar county for four terms.

Boy Run Down by Auto.

Sioux City.—In returning from an errand, Joseph O'Leary, the 6-year-old son of Mrs. Michael O'Leary, was run down by an automobile driven by Lawton Wyckoff. According to eye witnesses the machine was traveling at at unlawful speed and it is probable that a warrant will be issued for Wyckoff's arrest. The boy's father was run down and killed by an automobile on Sept. 10, 1907.

Married in His Own Church.

Greenfield.—The marriage of Rev. Frank McCallon, pastor of the Christian church of Greenfield, to Miss Maude Brown of Orient was solemnized in the groom's church in the presence of 300 invited guests. A wedding supper followed, served in the church by the ladies and was followed by a public reception

HARRIMAN WILL NOT RETIRE.

Too Far to Drop, and Not Time Enough to Climb Down.

PRIEST OWES $1,594,141.64

FATHER M'MAHON OF CLEVELAND FILES BANKRUPTCY PETITION.

Clergyman and Editor of the Catholic Universe Caught by Failure of the Funding Company.

Cleveland, O.—Scheduling total liabilities of $1,594,141.64 and assets of $75,207.08, of which $71,300 is real estate, Rev. William McMahon, pastor of St. Bridget's Catholic church in this city and editor of the Catholic Universe, filed a petition in the United States district court Wednesday.

The secured claims amount to $946,925.73; unsecured claims, $371,207.91, and commercial paper, $185,918.

Father McMahon was a director of the Fidelity Funding Company of New York, founded by P. J. Kieran and which now is in the hands of receivers. Thus it came about that his name was signed to many of the papers issued by the company and for which he now is held liable by the receivers.

The petition enumerates many notes signed by Father McMahon. They are held mostly by New York, Pittsburg and Cleveland banks. Among the larger secured claims cited are the following: Carnegie Trust Company, New York, $281,256.73; Guarantee Title & Trust Company, Pittsburg, $185,000; Society for Savings, Cleveland, $235,000; Third National bank of Buffalo, $3,200.

Included in the secured claims as filed by the petitioner are liabilities held by almost every banking institution of prominence in the city of Cleveland and similar institutions in Boston, New York, Pittsburg, Syracuse and Buffalo.

The filing of the petition by Attorney J. W. Sutphen was not entirely a surprise either in financial circles here or to the parishioners of St. Bridget's who had known for some time past that the financial affairs of Father McMahon were in a badly entangled state owing to his connection with the Kieran enterprises.

It was announced authoritatively from a priest closely identified with the affairs of the Cleveland diocese that the liability set forth in the petition in voluntary bankruptcy made by Father McMahon is personal and that the Catholic church property is not involved in a way that the church can lose.

WANTED—A THIN MAN.

Uncle Sam Has use for Human Skeleton in Testing Refrigerator Car System.

Chicago.—A thin man—thin enough to fit into a narrow crack—is wanted by the bureau of plant industry, department of agriculture. Besides his thinness he must have knowledge of refrigerating machinery and be able to keep both thin and warm in a frosty atmosphere.

A salary of $900 to $1,200 will be paid this intelligent skeleton if the government finds him. He will be sent out with a special refrigerating car to all parts of the country to test a system of cooling fruits. He must be thin in order to get into all corners of the car to run the machinery.

U. S. SOLDIERS LEAVE CUBA.

Stars and Stripes Taken Down and Home Government Now Is in Full Control.

Havana.—The last emblem of American domination over Cuba disappeared Thursday when two battalions of the Twenty-seventh infantry, and engineers sailed for home.

The ceremony attending the transfer of authority took place in the presence of the American garrison of Camp Columbia, consisting of two battalions of the Twenty-seventh infantry, three companies of engineers, and one battalion of Cuban infantry, forming three sides of a hollow square.

At the direction of Maj. Gen. Thomas H. Barry, commanding, Lieut. Byard Sneed of the Twenty-seventh infantry, advanced to the flagstaff and hauled down the colors.

The troops presented arms and the Cuban and American bands played "The Star-Spangled Banner." A Cuban lieutenant then raised the Cuban colors. The troops again saluted and the bands play the "Hymno de Bayamo."

The transfer of the camp being thus completed, the Cuban troops lined the roadside and presented arms, while the Americans, numbering about 800 in heavy marching order, swung past. They halted outside the camp limits where a long line of trolley cars was in waiting to convey them to the transports Sumner and McClellan lying at the arsenal docks.

READY TO GREET ROOSEVELT

Even the Lions and Elephants Are Getting Restless in British East Africa.

Mombasa, British East Africa.—The preparation for the reception here of Theodore Roosevelt are nearing completion. Frederick John Jackson, lieutenant governor of the protectorate, famous sportsman and the author of the book on big game in the Badminton library series, will receive the former president.

Since the advent of the rains lions have been terrifying the natives within four miles of Kilindini. An elephant that evidently had strayed from a herd made its way into the bazaar at Masingi and played havoc. The natives at Masingi have been assured that they need have no further fear, as Mr. Roosevelt is on his way to the protectorate to hunt. They are awaiting Mr. Roosevelt's arrival contentedly.

LAMPHERE NEAR DEATH.

Gunness Farm Hand in the Throes of Consumption Is Report Received at Laporte.

Laporte, Ind.—Ray Lamphere, convicted of having set fire to the home of Belle Gunness on April 26, 1908, by which fire the Gunness woman and her three children were burned to death, is in the throes of consumption. Slight hopes for his recovery are entertained.

Attorney Worden received word from Warden Reid of the Michigan City penitentiary that Lamphere has recently lost seven pounds of flesh. He is on the wane. Efforts will be made by his friends to secure a pardon.

"How Can I Tell?" I Began, Petulantly.

The SMUGGLER

BY ELLA MIDDLETON TYBOUT

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SYNOPSIS.

Three girls — Elizabeth, Gabrielle and Elise—started for Canada to spend the summer there. On board steamer they were frightened by an apparently demented stranger, who, finding a bag belonging to one of them, took enjoyment in scrutinizing a photo of the trio. The young women met a Mrs. Graham, anxiously awaiting her husband, who had a mania for sailing. They were introduced to Lord Wilfrid and Lady Edith. A cottage by the ocean was rented. Two men called. They proved to be John C. Blake and Gordon Bennett, one a friend of Elizabeth's father. A wisp of yellow hair from Mr. Graham's pocket fell into the hands of Elise. Mrs. Graham's hair was black. Fearing for the safety of some gems, Lady Edith left them in a safe at the cottage. Mr. Gordon Bennett was properly introduced, explained his actions on board ship. Elise, alone, explored the cellar, overhearing a conversation there between Mary Anne and a man. He proved to be her son, charged with murder. At a supper, which was held on the rocks, Elizabeth rather mysteriously lost her ring, causing a search by the entire party. Gabrielle witnessed a stormy scene between Lady Edith and Lord Wilfrid, jealousy being the cause. Mary Anne brought back Elizabeth's ring. Elise went sailing with Gordon Bennett. He tried to persuade her to return the jewels left in the girl's care of Lady Edith. At midnight Elise saw two men—one of them Gordon Bennett—attempting to force an entrance into their boathouse. She admitted to herself that she had nearly loved him and believed herself used as a tool. Mrs. Graham, sick, told Elise of her husband's love for another woman. Gordon Bennett and Blake returned with Mr. Graham's body. He had been murdered. Lord Wilfrid grew sulky. Lady Edith confided to Elise that Blake and Bennett were thieves. Lady Edith led her to where they were trying to break in. The girls were awakened late at night by a noise in the cottage. They found Blake and Bennett awaiting Lady Edith, who, notorious crook, and Lord Wilfrid, a smuggler, wanted for murder. They refused to believe. Blake proved to be a government officer. Bennett surprised Lady Edith and Lord Wilfrid taking the set jewels from the safe. Both confessed their guilt. Lady Edith's love for Graham was told, also how Lord Wilfrid had slain him because of jealousy. The girls prepared to go home. Bennett proposed to Elise and was accepted.

CHAPTER XVII.

We were going home. Our trunks were packed and our passage engaged. We told each other we were glad to go, but if the truth were known, we were all very melancholy and wandered around picking up stray last articles in a resigned silence which grew more and more depressing as the afternoon advanced.

"It might have been clear, our last day," observed Elizabeth, flattening her nose against the window pane as she peered out into the gray drizzle which harmonized so well with our state of mind.

It was then I announced my intention of walking to the village, to get any mail which might have accumulated in the two days since we had visited the post office. So I got my rain-coat and umbrella, and as I fastened my veil I heard a gloomy voice from the next room

"What have I done with my life? When I get back to Washington I intend to make a fresh start. I will read to the blind, and—"

Smothering the first inclination to laugh which I had had for some days, I left Elizabeth to struggle with the blue devils which had got possession of her alter ego, and went up to the village.

I was glad I went, for, heavy though the atmosphere undoubtedly was, it seemed less depressing than our pretty little rooms, and, besides, I wanted to be alone. So I got the mail, and wandered slowly back along the familiar path, with my heart strangely heavy and a very suspicious lump in my throat, which made me thankful I was not obliged to talk to anyone.

When I got to the steps leading down to our little slip I paused and looked wistfully toward it, but the fog was so thick I could see nothing.

"I'm going down," I remarked decidedly, as though some one had objected.

I sat with my face turned toward the ocean, so I did not see a figure follow me down the steps, cross the slip, and stand directly behind me, quite obscured by my umbrella, which I held very loosely indeed until a sudden puff of wind almost wrenched it away from me.

I clutched at the handle in an incompetent sort of way, and tried to lower it, since it was difficult to hold and I was already very wet, but the catch would not work, and I struggled vainly with it until a strong brown hand quietly closed over mine and I recognized the signet ring with the Bennett crest.

"Allow me," he remarked, just as he had said to Gabrielle when she was fishing for the comb.

I could only stare dumbly, all at once acutely conscious of my draggled appearance. He lowered the umbrella and calmly seated himself upon the ledge beside me, raising his own as he did so.

"This," he said, adjusting it at an angle which let cold water drip down my neck, "will shield us both."

I wriggled ungratefully, and tried to assume a careless air.

"I'm not much shielded," I replied, "but, then, I did not ask to be."

"But you wanted to?"

I was not prepared to answer his question, so parried it by another.

"Where did you come from?"

"From the village. I saw you there, and followed humbly in the rear, as a culprit should. But, on my soul, I don't know what I've done, except—"

"Don't," I interrupted; "I do not wish to talk about it."

"Well, I won't. But you might admit you were just a little unreasonable that night. We really meant well."

"We are going away," I said, abruptly.

"I know."

"And we're never coming back any more."

"Oh, yes, you are—next summer."

"Never any more."

"I am coming back next summer," he said, positively, "but not by myself, I hope. My island is a very jolly little place, but it's a bit lonely, even when a fellow wants to rest after his winter's work."

"What is your work?" I inquired, suddenly conscious that none of us knew or had cared to ask.

"Well, I draw a bit sometimes, just enough to keep the jam-pot full, since my parents insured my bread and butter."

I sat up straight with surprise and pushed aside the umbrella.

"Not Bennett, the illustrator?" I exclaimed.

"Why not, please?"

"Well!" I gasped, quite overcome, for I knew and loved his illustrations in the leading magazines, and had read everything about him I could lay my hands upon. "And to think we first thought you insane, and I even doubted your honesty, while all the time you were—"

"A very spoiled, lazy fellow," he interrupted gravely, "and a lonely fellow, too, for success like mine brings many acquaintances and few friends."

"You can always have Mr. Blake," I suggested pointedly, as he paused.

"Blake is all very well in his place," he returned, shifting the umbrella to his left hand and feeling abstractedly in his pocket, "but I want something lots better, and I think I've found my heart's desire. I want you to see her picture."

"So you are going to be married?"

I scarcely recognized my own voice, it sounded so strained and mechanical.

"I truly hope so, but I have not ventured to ask her yet. Will you look at the picture and tell me whether you think she will be kind? You see, I'm by no means certain, and it is very vital to me."

"How can I tell?" I began petulantly, then paused abruptly, for it was our picture he laid upon my lap, the one he had so shamelessly abstracted from Gabrielle's shopping bag. So I stared wide-eyed and speechless, with a clutching at my heart I could not understand. Was it Gabrielle or Elizabeth?

"The one in the middle," he said, gently. "Elise—will she be kind?"

And then I realized he was not speaking of some remote, shadowy paragon of a girl, but of me—just as I was, in my old rain-coat and dripping hat. I realized something else, too, for when I looked up and met his eyes, I tried to speak, but could not, because my heart was too full. But words were quite unnecessary, for we were looking into each other's eyes, and of course we understood.

"And now," he remarked, some time later, when we were back to earth, or rather to water, by the fine soft drizzle changing into a brisk shower—"and now you really must go in, or you will have pneumonia, and then what should I do? But first it's up to me to return that side-comb. I said I'd do it in my own way, you know, so I'm going to put it in myself."

"But not now. Think how wet and horrid my hair must be."

And then—well, I don't believe it is necessary for me to say any more. Things which are very sweet and natural, and often form cherished memories, are apt to look very different in cold hard print, and, moreover, what would become of the little shrine we erected for ourselves that rainy afternoon if I took the world into our confidence and allowed it to be desecrated by the critical outsider?

CHAPTER XVIII.

Mary Anne made us our farewell fire that night, almost putting it out with the tears she shed as she arranged the driftwood. For Mary Anne was a veritable Niobe these last days, poor soul, and every spare moment was given over to weeping. She was, she told us as she struck the match, going home to England, where she hoped she might die happy some day, if only she could learn to forget. She could live on her savings, and if not, work was always to be had when one looked for it. And she hung lovingly about us, too, with protestations of affection and regret at all that had happened.

"I looked out fur you," she said; "I done what I could, fur I come to love you all, and 'ow could I 'elp it? I made 'em give back your ring, Miss Elizabeth, which she took offen your finger before you very h'eyes; miss; when you was 'olding of 'er 'and on the rocks in the moonlight. Oh, she was clever, she was. But I made 'er give it up. I went out that night, but she was away wi' 'Arry Graham and I couldn't git it till next day. Which it was my shadder and Willy's you seen that night, Miss Elise. He, 'alf crazy, pore lad, because jest as soon as you was out of sight she up and jined 'Arry Graham and went out on the water wi' 'im. And them red roses, Miss Gabrielle—you seen 'ow it was. And she alwiz 'ad 'em, alwiz. 'Arry Graham seen to that, and Willy couldn't do nothing."

Here she paused for breath.

"And I never, never drugged you but the once," she continued—"in the chocolate, you know. I wouldn't do it for neither of 'em, and very 'ard they thought of me for it, too; but 'ow could I go for to do it and you trustin' me, even when you 'eard me and Willy talkin' in the cellar? And I brought you the tea myself that last night, Miss Elise, when she wanted to give it to you 'erself and put a powder in it to send you to sleep; but I wouldn't let 'er, for all she was my son's wife. Oh, Willy, Willy!"

We got rid of her after awhile, and settled down for our last evening, while the fire burned with its green, blue, lavender, and red lights, wherein I now found wonderful pictures and not so very remote either, and the ocean rolled monotonously outside.

In the first long silence I told the girls about it—glad that the lamp was not lighted, and glad also that the firelight did not shine upon my face. Well, they were very, very nice, and considerate enough to ask but few searching questions—although they have since told me they were consumed with the desire to do so.

So the evening passed, and at last we went unwillingly upstairs, careful not to mention that it was our last night in the little cottage, which, in spite of everything, we still loved.

I lay broad awake for a long time, listening to the washing of the waves and thinking the thoughts that come to a girl but once in a lifetime, when I heard a low voice from the next room, and knew the others were wakeful also.

"Were you surprised, Elizabeth?"

"Yes, I certainly was"—the emphasis in Elizabeth's tone left no room for doubt. "Somehow, I never associated Elise with marriage—or men either, for that matter."

"Neither did I. She'll never be the same again, but oh, Elizabeth, if it had been you, what should I have done?"

"And I was just lying here thinking how dreadful it would have been if it had happened to you. So long as we have each other, nothing else matters."

"No, nothing else matters. I hope she'll be very happy, but Elise is—well, she's Elise, and I can't help wondering how she is going to like married life."

And I wonder, too, for, after all, it is always like starting a very small ship across a very broad ocean. But I am not afraid of the voyage, for Gordon is going with me, and we have engaged a pilot whose name is spelled with four letters; he is warranted to steer a safe course through every sort of weather, and we both believe he will bring us safe into port at last.

THE END.

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Ell Center.

Fred Wacker is having his barn re-shingled.

Fred Wacker and family visited at Ernest Henschen's Sunday.

Herman Barz and wife called on Henry Josten and wife Sunday.

Elmer Yohn and sister Luella visited Forest City friends a few days last week.

George Lawhorn returned Monday from a week's visit with Miller relatives.

Hod Lawhorn visited his sister at Miller between trains last week Thursday.

The Spring term began at the Center school Monday with Miss Luella Yohn as teacher.

I'D RATHER DIE, DOCTOR

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Wm. Lau, Sr. returned home from his Woden trip Monday where he attended the confirmation of his youngest daughter Alma with fourteen in the class. Rev. A. Wellner was the pastor and instructor to the young and old. Wm. claims that the fourteen scholars had well learned and received good instruction by their Pastor, also did the parents of the children. They should follow the instructions they received last Sunday and then either children or parents certainly not go wrong. Here is what Mr. Lau says: If pastor or parents of a good christian congregation would insist in having their children confirmed and instructed in the word of God we would have a better civilized nation in Iowa and that the members of these congregations should go together and instruct their pastor to teach and instruct their children in the word of God and have them have a hearing before the congregation, and by so doing they would reap a crop of the betterness. But as some Pastors are spending their time in preaching prohibition, they can never expect to make any head way in teaching the children of said congregation and to reap a crop of success, simply because they are commencing at the wrong side. Hold to the word of God and love thy neighbor as thy self and the rest will follow.

Avery Center.

Fred Bachman sold a horse.

Fred Chase sold a horse to the horse buyers at Meservey.

John Bachman has hired out to Geo. Griggs for the coming season.

Henry Chase from North Dakota, made his brother Fred a visit last week.

Miss Mae Yohn commenced her spring term of school Monday in Dist. No. 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood and Mr. and Mrs. Ross visited at the J. F. Hartfelder home Thursday evening.

Roy Brada of Garner, is making a farewell visit at T. M. Hamilton's as he is going to Canada to make his future home.

The infant baby of Roy Halfpopps passed away to a better land Thursday after suffering with pneumonia for about five days. The grief striken parents have the sympathy of this community.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Phillip Ell was a Garner visitor Wednesday.

Read the Millinery Announcement ad of Mrs. J. Josten.

Lloyd Spooner came up from Iowa Falls last week Friday.

Dr. C. W. Stiehl transacted business at Garner Wednesday.

Mrs. Lemon and Mrs. Spooner were Garner visitors last week Friday.

Mrs. Art Shoop and children visited at Clear Lake over Sunday with relatives.

The small town of Klemme was mentioned in a St. Louis paper last week—see clipping elsewhere.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 50c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Ben Swalve is putting on more style than anybody these days. He purchased a new Lyon surrey of H. Lau & Son.

Mrs. M E. Peck of Garner, visited with her sister Mrs. H. L. Schuldt and family over Sunday. Mrs. Schuldt returned with her Monday.

Now we are receiving the kind of weather we have been wishing for. The warm winds are drying up the roads and the farmers are getting busy preparing the ground for seeding.

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Oxfords for Easter at Wellemeyer's.

Tuesday we received our first April showers.

Read Mrs. Josten's Millinery Announcement ad.

Mrs G. G. Washburn was a Garner visitor Tuesday.

The town equalization board met at the town Hall on Monday.

Mrs. H. Thrun and children were Garner visitors Saturday.

The new town officers elect took their oath of office on Monday.

Ed Haskin of Garner, visited with his son Myron and family Monday.

After a week's vacation school convened again on Monday for the Spring term.

We call the farmers attention to the new horse ad. of V. Palmby and J. E. Johnson.

Aug. Ridder has been improving the streets with the King drag. Nothing like it.

Miss Aggie Blank visited with her sister Mrs. Wm. F. Lau and family at Garner Tuesday.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

Wm. Lau left for Woden, Iowa last week Saturday where he visited with his daughters over Sunday.

"A New Shoe" is the heading of Wellemeyer's new ad. He has a very nice assortment of shoes to select from.

Dr. W. F. Missman moved his office equipments from Garner Monday and will be ready for business in a few days.

Bloom keeps all kinds of good seed oats, barley, buckwheet, clover, timothy, rape and milet. Yours for business at the South Elevator. tf

Miss Jordan returned last week Saturday from Spencer, Iowa where she has been visiting at her home during the week's school vacation.

WANTED—Having leased the Schroeder pasture, I will be in a position to pasture your stock the coming season.
36tf E. C. Griewe.

Grace: Pimples, blotches, rough, shiny skin are from the blood and stomach. A simple and never failing remedy—one that makes clear, healthy complexions, pure blood, perfect digestion, is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Surprise yourself. Tea or tablets 35 cents. G. A Pabst & Co.

Gus. A Radke and his brother Wm. arrived from Tracy, Minn. last week for a few days visit among old acquaintances. While here they bought the Reeves traction engine of H. J Stille. The brothers thresh every fall and last fall they reported to us good returns. Oats weighing from 70 to 75 pounds to the sack. The corn last season was well matured and a large yield. They are doing well financially in that locality. We wish them success.

SWEPT OVER NIAGRA

The terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings growing ripples and faster current. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—dropsy, diabetes or brights disease. Take Electric bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. After long suffering from weak kidneys and back one $1.00 bottle wholly cured me, writes J R Blackenship of Belk, Tenn. Only 50 at G A Pabst & Co.

Wallace Carr drove down from Garner Saturday last week.

Aug. Lau and F. A. Arnold did business at Garner Monday.

L. A. Fuller of Belmond, was a Klemme visitor last week Friday.

The King drag has been doing some good work in this locality these days.

W. R. Bloom shipped one car load of hogs to Chicago Wednesday morning.

Vick Carlson is improving from his recent sickness and is able to be about some.

Geo. Wessels who has been very sick of late is at this writing a little on the mend.

Miss Vera Duffy of Garner, will teach the Jno. Newberger school this Spring term.

Wallace Carr of Garner, purchased one of H. Yahnke's best horses the first of this week.

"Banking Business" is the heading of The First National Bank ad. this week Read it.

Mr. L. E Bowker principal of the Crystal Lake schools, was a Klemme visitor Tuesday and Wednesday. The Times office acknowledged a pleasant visit.

Dr. Spooner is practicing medicine at Luverne, Iowa having located there from Iowa Falls recently His family who have been visiting here with relatives, departed for their new home on Tuesday.

Builds up your whole body. Regulates the bowels. clears the blood, aids digestion, makes you well from head to feet. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do, greatest spring regulator. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. G. A. Pabst & Co.

At a meeting of the Klemme School Board on Tuesday evening the following business was transacted: Mr. L. E. Bowker, principal of the Crystal Lake schools and Miss Costello of Goodell were hired and will take charge this fall term. Miss Leuz will retain her room.

German M. E. Church Items

A few farmers started to seed on Monday.

We are glad to note that our sick are all improved.

Mrs. Josten's millinery opening was largely attended last week.

The pleasant weather on Palm Sunday brought out a large audience.

Mrs. H. Griewe and daughter Clara were in Garner Monday between trains.

Edward Weisbrod of Fenton, Iowa spent Sunday in Germantown on one of his quarterly visits.

Hugo Neff began work for Erick Josten Monday morning. He has hired out to Erick for the entire summer.

This being passion week there will be services in Klemme Wednesday evening and Friday morning at 10:30 and in Germantown on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Herman Brockmeyer of Colesburg, Iowa is spending a few weeks at the home of her mother Mrs. Schwichtenberg to help take care of her sister Mrs. Berg.

In the Klemme church there will be an Easter sermon at the usual hour followed by an Easter program by a number of the smaller Sunday school scholars, Sunday morning.

The Germantown Epworth League will give an Easter program Sunday evening.

Gus. Radke of Tracy, Minn. arrived last week and is calling on his numerous friends in Germantown.

From all appearance, a few ——senators will keep the amendment bill in their pocket after it passed the house by a handsome majority and was demanded by thousands of Iowas best citizens. We feel justly proud of our senator Hammill and representative Ripley for their stand in this and other questiong.

We clip the following from the "Mida's Criterion," a Chicago liquor organ: "It is hard to disguise the fact that the trade as a whole is suffering from the effect of persistent agitation aimed at its very existence. So far as the retail trade of this and adjoining States is concerned, it seems to be sick unto death. It got to the point where it refuses to respond to treatment for no day seems to know what the next day may bring forth." The above would hardly seem true in some nooks and corners of this burg some nights. But every dog has his day.

The Germantown League gave a "Shaddow" social at the home of H. J Stille on Friday evening of last week. About 50 young people were present and with the few older ones it brought the number over 60. To say the least, it was a company of fine intelligent people of which any community might be proud. The spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. Stille was a most suitable place for a gathering of this kind and they did all in their power to make it pleasant for all. The exercises opened with a short programme after which an "Exchange" was indulged in for a short time to get all acquainted. A few guessing contests followed and then the main feature of the evening opened, the selling of shadows. Several of the young men came near getting a "corner" on the fleecy article, which made bidding lively and fast. Tho' the shadows disappeared when the curtain was raised. Ladies with well filled baskets appeared and all received their moneys worth. The committee had several games still on the program, but owing to the large crowd and late hour a closing song ended this pleasant occasion. We were more than pleased to have several parents with us, come again.

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

M. Palmby	Klemme
Carl Busch	"
J. Terhufen	"
Gus. Baack	"
Chas. Greffin	"
H. Yahnke	"
Andrew Schwartz,	Jefferson, Oklahoma.
Thos. Hamilton	Goodell
G. A. Radke	Tracy, Minn.
J. A. Schneider,	Froelich, Ia
F. Voelker	Weatherford, Okla

Board of Health Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all dead animals must be disposed of on or before April 20th. It is prohibited to leave dead poultry along the highway. Anyone not complying with this notice, will be fined to the amount of $25.00. H. C. BEIER,
36-3 Clerk, German Township.

DR. W. F. MISSMAN, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon,
Klemme, Iowa.
Office in the Shafer building.
Prompt attention given to night calls.

F. C. GRIEWE
City Meat Market
Dealer in
All kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats. Canned goods and oysters in season. Highest cash price paid for hides. Home rendered pure lard a specialty.
We solicit your patronage.

COL. J. J. WILSON
Livestock Auctioneer,
Meservey, Iowa.
Dates made at either banks of Klemme.
Phone me at my expense.

W. C. AMSDEN, OPT. D.
Graduate Optician,
Garner - - Iowa
Eyes Tested Free.

LIVERY and FEED STABLE.
The only livery in town
Good rigs and careful drivers
Rates reasonable
Your patronage solicited
CHAS. L. YAHNKE, Proprietor.

J. E. BAUMGARTNER
The Tonsorial Artist
Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.
2nd door west of State Savings Bank
Call in

Items for Travelers

Have you read the wonderful stories of success in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas? Send for our pamphlet.

$30 to $35 will take you to principal points in the Southwest and return. Tickets sold first and third Tuesdays of each month.

When traveling to and from Colorado use the best! "The Rocky Mountain Limited."

Hundreds of people are going to California on the Golden State Limited. Why not you?

Mr. Jno. G. Farmer, D. P. A., Cedar Rapids, will gladly inform you about any trip you may consider taking. Remember, I sell the tickets.

Rock Island

L. O. TURGASEN, Agent,
Rock Island Lines,
Klemme, Iowa.

MUST BELIEVE IT.

Every Reader Will Concede the Truth of This Statement.

One who suffers with backache or any form of kidney trouble wants a lasting cure, not merely a temporary benefit. Profit by the example of Rev. J. M. Suffield, of 2179 S. 8th St., Lincoln, Nebr., who confirms a report of his cure after several years. "I told in a statement made for publication in 1900 how Doan's Kidney Pills had relieved me after other remedies had failed," said Rev. Suffield. "I have no hesitation in confirming that statement now. I have used Doan's Kidney Pills at various times and they have never failed me."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Partners in His Crime.

The hard looking customer had been arrested for stealing an umbrella.

"What do you have to say for yourself?" asked the police justice. "Are you guilty or not guilty?"

"I'm one o' the guilty ones, y'r honor, I reckon," answered the prisoner. "The umbrella had the name of J. Thompson on the handle, G. H. Brickley stamped on the inside o' the cover, an' I stole it from a man named Quimby."

No Wonder She's Cross.

The woman who has a thousand petty cares and annoyances while she suffers with headache or side ache must not be blamed if she cannot always be angelically amiable. What she needs is thoughtfulness from her family and such a simple and natural remedy as Lane's Family Medicine, the herb tea that makes weak women strong and well. Sold by druggists and dealers, 25c.

Polite Interruptions.

"And it's awfully impolite to interrupt one who is talking, isn't it, mother?"

"Except when a woman is describing clothes, my dear, and then it is polite to constantly ejaculate 'How lovely!' or 'How ridiculous!' as the case may be."—Kansas City Times.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Up to Date.

Blobbs—So he broke off the engagement, eh? Did she take it to heart?

Slobbs—No, to court.

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE."

That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Women like to talk of the days they were single and had a good time.

WORTH MOUNTAINS OF GOLD

During Change of Life, says Mrs. Chas. Barclay

Graniteville, Vt. — "I was passing through the Change of Life and suffered from nervousness and other annoying symptoms, and I can truly say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has proved worth mountains of gold to me, as it restored my health and strength. I never forget to tell my friends what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me during this trying period. Complete restoration to health means so much to me that for the sake of other suffering women I am willing to make my trouble public so you may publish this letter." — MRS. CHAS. BARCLAY, R.F.D., Graniteville, Vt.

No other medicine for woman's ills has received such wide-spread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine we know of has such a record of cures of female ills as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

For more than 30 years it has been curing female complaints such as inflammation, ulceration, local weaknesses, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion and nervous prostration, and it is unequalled for carrying women safely through the period of change of life. It costs but little to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and, as Mrs. Barclay says, it is "worth mountains of gold" to suffering women.

WETS WIN FIGHT

SENATORS VOTE TO TABLE THE CLARKSON RESOLUTION.

MAY DECIDE FUTURE ACTION

Mrs. Edworthy Declares Suffragists Will Complicate Constitutional Convention.

Des Moines.—By laying on the table the resolution introduced by Senator Clarkson requiring the committee on constitutional amendments to report upon the Meredith prohibitory resolution, the Iowa senate administered the second defeat to the prohibition forces. The motion was made by Senator Saunders, and the vote, 27 to 13, showed a slight gain for the antis and a decided loss to the prohibitionists laying on the table the Proudfoot motion to recall the measure from the committee, which was 26 to 21.

After this action was taken Senator DeArmand offered a resolution providing that whereas the time for adjournment had been fixed, the senate should not consider on the floor any measure not having a favorable report from the committee to which it is referred. The adoption of this will prevent the taking up of the time of the senate with any measure which cannot secure approval of a committee.

Budget of a Million.

The budget which the legislature will be asked to pass within a very few days will total $1,460,000 in round numbers, so Chairman E. R. Moore of the house appropriations committee estimates. This is within $40,000 of the amount of funds at the disposal of the committee which have in charge the disbursement of the state money. Chairman Moore explained that the $40,000 must be left in the state treasury so as to keep the ship of state from going on the rocks during the period from July to October, when there are no taxes coming in. The house appropriations committee has but three little bills left, and these, while of little importance, will be recommended for indefinite postponement. The senate appropriations committee is taking similar actions with appropriations bill. In short, both committees have gone the limit, and it is a most worthy cause which will now be recognized with an appropriation.

Board is Cleared.

In the house committee on suppression of intemperance the board has practically been cleared and everything recommended for passage. Among the bills sent out with approval are the measure requiring a new petition of consent every two years, the Moon bill limiting the number of saloons to one for every 800 persons in cities of the first class and the substitute for the Van Law bill providing that none except a qualified elector can own or operate a saloon and attaching more regulations.

To Scrutinize Printing Bills.

Representative Judge Crozier of Mahon county is convinced that more printed matter is being ground out by the state of Iowa than is necessary. He has introduced a resolution calling upon the committee on retrenchment and reform to take an inventory of all matter printed and report back as to how much is necessary and how much could be dispensed with.

To Make Butter Tubs.

In olden days all one had to do to stir up a fuss was to introduce a bill in the legislature providing for convict made binding twine. But the house passed the Byerly bill permitting Anamosa convicts to make butter tubs and voted down Boettger's amendment providing that the butter tubs should be labeled "convict made."

New Military Code.

The bill to provide a military code for Iowa as passed provides an annual appropriation of $140,000 for the Iowa National Guard and increases the salary of Adjutant General Logan from $2,000 to $2,200. It provides for adding 1,000 men to the guard, the purchase of four field guns and other improvements.

Showing the Farmer.

The state board of control is showing the farmers in the Iowa legislature how to manage a test of seed corn. In the first floor corridor of the state house the board has a half dozen boxes of tested corn and the miniature cornfield is attracting much attention.

Cut Down Appropriation.

The house of representatives cut down the appropriation for the Iowa highway commission from $10,000 to $5,000 and passed it. There is every indication that the present legislature will be looked back upon as the most antagonistic to good roads in the history of the state.

No State Fire Marshal.

Another measure asked by the fire insurance writers was given its quietus in the legislature when the appropriations committee slaughtered the Harding bill for a state fire marshal. The demise of this measure following so quickly that of the Harding bill to repeal the Blanchard law winds up the hopes of the Iowa insurance companies for legislation which would have served to protect them from foreign companies. The house committee also killed the Newberry bill for teaching agriculture in the state institutions, the Gilliland bill for quarantine of the brown tailed moth and the Hunter bill increasing the salary of the assistant librarian.

Air Brakes Are Given Test.

Members of the house of representatives committee on cities and towns were given a demonstration of air brake and power brakes on street cars. The street car company managed the test, which proved that air brakes will stop the car several feet sooner than will the old fashioned power brakes, so members of the committee stated. A bill to force the installation of air brakes on street cars has passed the senate and is before the house committee.

Asked to Veto Hotel Bill.

Governor Carroll is being importuned by the business interests of the state and especially the keepers of hotels, to veto the Smith hotel bill, which was prepared by and for the traveling men of the state to provide safeguards for travelers. They say that the bill is very bad, that it is expensive, that it will compel closing of many hotels, that it will require virtual rebuilding of some hotels, The bill is up to the governor for his veto.

Defines Duties.

The bill defining the duties of the county sheriff is now ready for the governor's signature, amendments having been finally agreed to by the house and senate. These affected the wording of the bill and were of no importance. The house receded from its amendment changing a "whom" to "who" and agreed to accept the senate's judgment on this grammatical point.

Ask for Air Brakes.

A strong effort is being made by interested persons to secure enough votes in the house for the defeat of the bill to require street car companies to equip cars with air brakes. The house has the bill reported for passage. It is desired by the street car employes and patrons, but the claim is being made that air brakes are not as good as hand brakes.

Will Withdraw Bill.

Senator Ream will probably withdraw his bill requiring railroad companies to equip engines with a headlight that will light the track 1,200 feet. The objection to the bill is that such a light is impracticable because of its effects upon signal lights, which are said to be the real lights by which the engine is run.

Gets Bill on Calendar.

Representative Smith has finally succeeded in getting his bill to penalize railroads for non-compliance with orders of the railroad commissioners upon the senate calendar. This bill was one of the first passed by the house, but the senate committee has been holding it up.

Cosson's Bill Killed.

Good-bye to Senator Cosson's bill making it a misdemeanor for divorced parties to live in Iowa after remarriage in another state before a year has elapsed. The house committee on judiciary killed the bill which had passed the senate.

Pension Disabled Policemen.

Representative Hackler of Fort Dodge, has presented a petition to the house of representatives from Fort Dodge policemen urging him to support the bill for pensioning of worn out and disabled policemen and the widows and children of deceased policemen.

Can't Jump on Trains.

The flow of bills in the senate practically stopped several days ago, but one falls in once in a while. Senator Clark introduced one yesterday fixing a penalty of $100 fine or thirty days in jail for getting on or off moving trains.

Favor the Policemen.

The policemen, disabled and otherwise, seem fair to be given a chance to pension themselves. The house of representatives committee on judiciary has recommended for passage John Sullivan's bill looking toward that end.

Gets Half of Claim.

Gustave Winter, who lost an arm in a corn shredder at the insane hospital in Independence and who asked for $2,000 from the state, will get half that amount, the claims committee has recommended.

THE CRACKING OF PAINT.

Property Owners Can Save Money by Learning the Cause.

Do you know what is wrong when paint peels, or cracks, or otherwise necessitates premature re-painting?

Well, sometimes it hasn't been properly applied—the surface being damp or there being too much turpentine or too much drier.

But, nine times out of ten, the trouble is caused by adulterated white lead.

To avoid all such trouble, every houseowner should know in a general way, when a surface is in proper condition to receive paint, what kind of primer and finishing coats different surfaces require, and how to avoid adulteration in materials.

A complete painting guide, including a book of color schemes, specifications for all kinds of painting work, and an instrument for detecting adulterations in painting materials, with directions for using it, can be had free by writing National Lead Company, 1902 Trinity Bldg., New York, and asking for Houseowner's Painting Outfit No. 49.

This company, the largest makers of pure white lead, invite tests, by means of the blowpipe (included in outfit), or in any other way, of the purity of the white lead sold under their famous "Dutch Boy Painter" trademark. That trademark on a keg of white lead is in itself an absolute guarantee of purity and quality.

IT WAS NOT HER BACK.

Woman Had No Idea of Being Proxy for Medical Treatment.

A missionary, discoursing upon India, told of a woman who had come to her complaining of a very sore back and desired that she pray for its cure. This Mrs. Jackson did, but the woman again appeared before her and declared that the back was still in a bad condition. Mrs. Jackson advised the use of an application of iodine, and brought out a bottle of the drug to apply upon the afflicted part of the woman's anatomy. But she regarded the bottle suspiciously and acted as though it would hurt her were she to use it. To allay her fears upon this score Mrs. Jackson applied some of the drug to her own finger and showed her that it would not burn, and that she had better allow her to put some of it upon her back.

"But," said the woman, "it would do no good."

"How so?" inquired Mrs. Jackson, sympathetically.

"Because," replied the woman, "it is my old man's back that is sore."

The Secret of Success.

The motto of success was given in this tale, told at a banquet:

A Swede among the miners in the west was noted for always striking pay dirt. His fellows thought that there must be some secret to the unusual success of the Swede and questioned him as to how he always succeeded in finding the spot where the gold cropped out.

"Vell, Ay don't know ef Ay can tell anytang 'bout dat," answered Ole. "Ay only know dat Ay yust keep on diggin'."—Milwaukee Free Press.

Hope Springs Eternal.

He was addressing a crowd one Sunday morning on the quay at Newcastle.

"I can safely say that no man ever attempted to bribe me, gentlemen," said the speaker.

"Don't be down-hearted, old chap, your luck may change," shouted a man in the crowd.—Tit-Bits.

SISTER'S TRICK

But It All Came Out Right.

How a sister played a trick that brought rosy health to a coffee fiend is an interesting tale:

"I was a coffee fiend—a trembling, nervous, physical wreck, yet clinging to the poison that stole away my strength. I mocked at Postum and would have none of it.

"One day my sister substituted a cup of Postum piping hot for my morning cup of coffee but did not tell me what it was. I noticed the richness of it and remarked that the coffee tasted fine but my sister did not tell me I was drinking Postum for fear I might not take any more.

"She kept the secret and kept giving me Postum instead of coffee until I grew stronger, more tireless, got a better color in my sallow cheeks and a clearness to my eyes, then she told me of the health-giving, nerve-strengthening life-saver she had given me in place of my morning coffee. From that time I became a disciple of Postum and no words can do justice in telling the good this cereal drink did me. I will not try to tell it, for only after having used it can one be convinced of its merits."

Ten days' trial shows Postum's power to rebuild what coffee has destroyed. "There's a Reason."

Look in pkgs. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Habitual Constipation

May be permanently overcome by proper personal efforts with the assistance of the one truly beneficial laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs & Elixir of Senna, which enables one to form regular habits daily so that assistance to nature may be gradually dispensed with when no longer needed, as the best remedies when required are to assist nature, and not to supplant the natural functions, which must depend ultimately upon proper nourishment, proper efforts, and right living generally.

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SOLD BY ALL LEADING DRUGGISTS

ONE SIZE ONLY—REGULAR PRICE 50¢ PER BOTTLE

His Burst of Generosity.

"Your boy's injury is not as serious as I had anticipated," the surgeon assured him. "I shall not have to amputate his leg."

"I am glad to hear you say so," said Mr. Tyte-Phist, with emotion. "Still if it had been necessary, in order to save his life, I—I was willing to bear the expense of it!"

Wasted Years.

Nan—So, after six years' courtship all is off between Tim and Tiny.

Fan—Yes; they loved not wisely but too platonically.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

From the blackmailer's viewpoint keeping secrets is a paying business.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES

FOR RHEUMATISM BRIGHT'S DISEASE DIABETES BACKACHE

NUMBER 375 "Guaranteed"

You Are In Danger

if you let that cold run on. Neglected colds cause incurable diseases. Don't risk your health. Keep a bottle of

DR. D. JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT

in your home. It's the safest, surest and quickest remedy for colds ever compounded. For Coughs, Bronchitis, Pleurisy, Inflammation of the Lungs, in fact, all diseases caused by neglected colds. It has no equal.

Recommended and sold by druggists everywhere.

Three size bottles, $1.00, 50c, 25c

SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER.

They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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Cramps in the Stomach of Six Years' Standing.

...was troubled with cramps in the ...ach for six years. I tried many ... of medicine, also was treated ...ree doctors.

...hey said that I had nervous dys... I took the medicine for two ... then I got sick again and gave ...l hopes of getting cured.

...saw a testimonial of a man whose ...was similar to mine, being cured ...eruna, so thought I would give it ...al. I procured a bottle at once, ...commenced taking it.

...have taken nineteen bottles, and ...ntirely cured. I believe Peruna ...that is claimed for it."—Mrs. J. ...mison, 61 Marchant St., Watson... Cal.

DUTIFUL SON.

...ou young scamp! I've caught ...smoking my cigars!"

...es, pa—er—er—you see I heard ...ay that you were smokin' your... ...o death and er—I'm tryin' to save ... life!"

More Than One.

...young fellow, whose better-half ...just presented him with a pair of ...cing twins, attended church one ...day.

...ring the discourse the clergyman ...ed right out at our innocent friend ... said with thrilling eloquence:

..."oung man, you have an important ...onsibility thrust upon you."

...e newly fledged dad, supposing ...preacher alluded to his peculiar ...e event, considerably startled the ...ence by exclaiming: "Yes, I have ...of 'em."—Liverpool Mercury.

Punishment and Crime.

...he seems to be having a pretty ... time now that she and her hus... are separated," whispered the ... girls in the corner as she en... the room.

... don't blame her," said one. "He ... her, didn't he?"

...ey looked her over again.

..."ell, I don't blame him for beat... her," the third declared, "if she ...sed like that. That red is awful."

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

...al applications, as they cannot reach the dis... portion of the ear. There is only one way to ...eafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. ...ss is caused by an inflamed condition of the ... lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this ... inflamed you have a rumbling sound or im... hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deaf... the result, and unless the inflammation can be ...out and this tube restored to its normal condi... hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases ...ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing ... inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. ... will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of ...ss (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured ...'s Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

...by Druggists, 75c.

...e Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

From Plutarch.

...either rich furniture nor abun...ce of gold, nor a descent from an ...trious family, nor greatness of ...ority, nor eloquence and all the ...ms of speaking, can produce so ...l a serenity of life as a mind free ... guilt, kept untainted, not only ... actions, but purposes that are ...ed.—Plutarch.

Questionable.

..."Has she a sense of humor?"

..."I can't tell."

..."Why not?"

..."Because she looked serious when ... told me she admired your sing...

Try Murine Eye Remedy

...Red, Weak, Weary, Watery Eyes. ...pounded by Experienced Physicians. ...forms to the Pure Food and Drugs ... Murine Doesn't Smart. Soothes Eye ... Try Murine for Your Eyes.

Speaking of Spooks.

...asmus—What did der ghost say ...you?

...astus—How yer tink I know? I ...er lurned de dead languiges.

...ese people use Hamlins Wizard Oil ...top pain because they know it always ...es good. Foolish people try experi... ...ts. Ask your druggists about it.

At the Butcher's.

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GOES INTO EFFECT MAY 1

Reduction Means a Saving of $25,000,000 and Gives the Combine Advantage Over Independents Whose Cuts Are Ten Per cent.

New York.—The various subsidiary companies of the United States Steel corporation, it is announced on the best authority, will slash 15 per cent. off the wages of their employes on May 1. The trust itself will not announce the cut, but it will be left to the subsidiary concerns to make the announcements on April 15.

The subsidiary companies of the steel corporation have been holding back their announcement of wage cuts with the purpose of letting all the independent companies do their cutting first. This has not only the advantage of letting the independents accumulate the brunt of the odium for wage reduction and insures that there will not be an exodus of skilled trust workmen into the independent mills but also serves a steel market coup of far greater importance than either of these considerations.

Inasmuch as the independents have cut their wage scales uniformly at the rate of ten per cent., the steel trust will be in position, if it announces a cut of 15 per cent. on May 1, to rearrange its price schedules so sweepingly that it will capture the entire steel market for months to come and insure an enormously swollen business for the coming year.

The United States Steel corporation paid out $160,000,000 in 1907. On that basis a cut of 15 per cent. means that the company will save $25,000,000 on labor alone.

Buffalo, N. Y.—The arrival here Friday of a carload of non-union engineers, oilers and firemen is looked upon as the beginning of the fight between the Lake Carriers' association and the various unions on the great lakes.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.—The first trouble in the anthracite region since the expiration of the three-year agreement has developed at the Keystone colliery of the Traders' Coal Company at the Ridgewood mine, about four miles from here. The miners had a dispute over yardage and the shifting of rock and as a result refrained from working Friday.

NOT GUILTY, SAYS KIDNAPER.

Mrs. Boyle Arraigned and Held in Default of $25,000 Bond at Mercer, Pa.

Mercer, Pa. — Mrs. Helen Boyle, wife of James H. Boyle, kidnaper of Willie Whitla, was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Thomas McClain, at this place Wednesday, charged with kidnaping.

She entered a plea of "not guilty," and was held for the action of the grand jury in the sum of $25,000 bail. Her husband waived a hearing at Sharon, Monday and is held in the jail here on a similar bond.

The mystery surrounding the stranger who visited Mrs. Boyle in jail last Monday was cleared last night when W. J. McDermott of Chicago told friends here that he called at the jail in the absence of Sheriff Chess and identified the prisoner as his sister, Anna McDermott, who eloped from Chicago with Boyle three years' ago.

KILLS MINER IN RIOT.

Constable Slays One and Wounds Another When Attempt Is Made to Rescue Prisoner.

Pittsburg, Pa.—One man was killed and another probably fatally injured in a riot between a crowd of miners formerly employed at the Harwick mines of the Allegheny Coal Company at Cheswick, Pa., near here, and two deputy constables at that place.

The dead man is Mike Strenyard, aged 20 years. Norwalk Bulterge, aged 24 years, has two bullets in his back.

The trouble started when the crowd of miners attempted to rescue a comrade who had been arrested by Deputy Constables Holland and Blair. Holland, who did the shooting, is under a $2,000 bond.

Zeppelin Returns In Airship.

Fredrichshafen. — Wearing a smile which fully expressed the victory of his wonderful airship over wind, snow and other adverse weather conditions, Count Zeppelin returned in his aerial craft Friday night after having been on a voyage which consumed two days' time. He landed safely on Lake Constance and the airship was snugly tucked away in its shed none the worse for its wild experiences.

President Taft's White Steamer

PRESIDENT TAFT AND HIS FAMILY IN THEIR WHITE STEAMER

When the announcement was made several months ago that Mr. Taft would use an automobile during his term as President, much rivalry developed among the leading manufacturers for the honor of selling him a car and the public watched with interest to see what Mr. Taft's choice would be. The knowing ones predicted that the White Steamer would be selected and they pointed out that President Roosevelt had used White Steamers for two years at his summer home at Oyster Bay and had recommended this make to Mr. Taft as the most desirable.

This prediction proved correct, although Mr. Taft did not rely solely on Mr. Roosevelt's recommendation, but, with his usual thoroughness, determined to have an investigation made of all the principal makes. Accordingly, he asked several officers of the War Department to look into the matter for him, and they tested many makes of cars, visited a number of factories so that they might see what materials were used, and, finally, they investigated the records of the different types of cars in public contests and in private service.

When their labors were completed, the officials reported unanimously to Mr. Taft in favor of the White, and, accordingly, a car of this make was immediately ordered from the manufacturers, The White Company of Cleveland.

The new car was delivered to Mr. Taft in Washington a few days before his inauguration and since that time it has been in almost constant use. There has not been a day when the President or some member of his family have not been seen riding around the National Capital in the new car. It is hinted that Mr. Taft likes fast traveling and that when he rides out into the open country, he does not always insist that the speed of the car be kept within the legal limits.

W. J. Urquhart, manager of the western branch of the White Company, 239 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill., said recently to a correspondent of this paper: "We are receiving many inquiries each day asking for full details regarding the construction of Mr. Taft's car and in reply we are sending copies of our catalog. Mr. Taft's car is exactly like any other Model 'M' 40 horse-power White Steamer, except that his car has the United States coat-of-arms painted on either door. In other words, when we make a car for the President of the United States there is no way in which we can make it any better than the car which you, or anybody else, can purchase from us.

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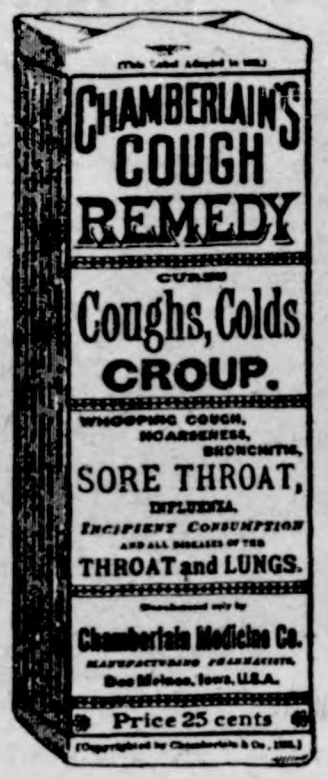

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Troublesome Small Animals.

Farmers who live near the Blue mountains, in Lehigh county, are greatly bothered with foxes, minks and weasels, and the farmers who live along the lowlands have their land spoiled by the muskrats and the skunks. A crusade has been declared against these animals and the farmers expect to exterminate them by trapping and shooting.

More than 1,000 pelts have been shipped from New Tripoli during the last week. Among the most successful trappers were the following: R. Stump and C. Frey, who had 40 skunks, 36 opossums and 34 muskrats; W. Oswald, six minks; J. Wolf, seven red foxes. There are a score of others who caught as high as 40 foxes, skunks, opossums and muskrats.—Punxsutawney Spirit.

CAESAR'S GHOST IN POLITICS.

Nations Still Cling Tenaciously to Notion of Empire.

Even more tenacious has been the hold of Caesar's ghost in politics. There are two forms under which the idea of world government presents itself: One, the dead notion of empire, the thing for which Caesar stood, the very name of the man still clinging on in the words czar and kaiser, and the name of his idea remaining in the word emperor; the other, the living idea of federation. When we have come to understand the nature of ghost rule we wonder no longer at some political phenomena otherwise absolutely incomprehensible. Why, for instance, does each nation now strive for the chimera of military preparedness? Germany, England and Japan levy an intolerable tax of money and blood to maintain their armies; the nations are in perpetual travail to bring fourth battleship after battleship. If you go to the bottom of the reason of all this you find no reason at all, or a silly one. For it is manifestly impossible for any one nation to conquer all the others. You ask yourself why one international fleet and army could not be supported, to be at the command of one international court, thus to settle all disputes and enforce all decisions. The answer plainly is that this question is mere living, mortal common sense, and hence a puny thing to put against the age-old, dead ghost-principle of empire.—Atlantic Weekly.

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Habit That Enabled Her Instantly to Be Singled Out.

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"Her habit of washing her hands so often gave her away," said the visitor. "I have been sitting here about two hours. In that time she has washed her hands three times. No city girl would have done that; she would have sharpened pencils or turned over the dusty books, and simply have polished her hands on her pocket handkerchief and gone on working. The country girl would find it impossible to work under such conditions. She must have clean hands. All country people have a mania for washing their hands. After each task down go their hands into a basin of water. City life cures most country habits; frequent bathing of the hands is the last to go."

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ETHAN ALLEN HITCHCOCK DEAD

FORMER SECRETARY OF INTERIOR EXPIRES IN CAPITAL.

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Washington. — Following an illness of several days, Ethan Allen Hitchcock, former secretary of the interior, died in Washington, Friday, aged 74 years. He was appointed to the cabinet by President McKinley and served until March 6, 1907, under President Roosevelt.

His passing marked the close of a career whose preeminent feature was an administration of the interior department that stirred the western land problems as never before. Brought here from St. Petersburg, where he had served as ambassador under an appointment of President McKinley, Mr. Hitchcock was almost immediately plunged into a vortex of complications growing out of vast frauds and charges

Ethan Allen Hitchcock.

of fraud and counter-charges growing out of the acquirement of public lands in the western states. Mr. Hitchcock directed the most sweeping investigations, arousing the enmity of powerful political interests. That work is recalled to-day as one of the most unswerving and relentless inquisitions in the annals of government prosecutions. He prosecuted cases against numerous men in public life and private business, including United States Senator Mitchell of Oregon, who was convicted and died not long afterward; former Congressman Binger Hermann, who had served as commissioner of the general land office and who was acquitted; former United States Dietrich of Nebraska; Representative Williamson of Oregon, and John A. Benson, a millionaire real estate broker of San Francisco.

Mr. Hitchcock was a target for attack on the floors of congress and in protests filed at the White House. The Hitchcock family were well known in Washington society, where they frequently entertained at smart functions.

Mr. Hitchcock's home was in St. Louis. He was reputed to be worth several millions dollars. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Sims, wife of a lieutenant commander of the navy, Mrs. Shepley of St. Louis and Miss Margaret Hitchcock.

REJECT MINERS' DEMANDS

Anthracite Operators Refuse to Accept Offer of Men and Conference Fails to Agree.

Philadelphia.—After conferences extending since Wednesday between the anthracite coal operators and the officials of the United Mine Workers of America, representating the miners, at which the question of a wage agreement was discussed to replace that brought about by the anthracite strike commission, the operators Friday rejected the modified demands of the miners presented Thursday and the conference adjourned deadlocked.

There will be no strike inaugurated by the mine workers, however, and the only danger of a suspension of mining in the near future, according to the mine workers' officials, arises from the possibility of a lockout.

CALLS THREE MURDERERS

Sensational Charges Are Made by Evansville Woman in a Suit for a Divorce.

Evansville, Ind.—That her own husband, Frank Rice, his sister, Mrs. Albert Taylor, and Dr. L. M. Stroud, brought about the death of Albert Taylor at Terrell, Tex., January 8, 1905, by poison, is charged by Mrs. Ida Rice in an affidavit filed in her suit for divorce.

Mrs. Rice alleges that an insurance company paid $5,000 on the death of Taylor, and that this money was divided among those she accuses.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth

$150,000 for Iowa Ex-Sheriffs.

Mason City.—Encouraged by the decision of the district court of Fayette county it is evident that suits will be field by sheriffs and ex-sheriffs for the recovery of large sums of money paid out by them for deputy hire. While the Fayette county case is pending in the supreme court sheriffs are getting ready to institute suit against the counties in which they reside for the money they have paid their deputies. In Kossuth county "Billy" McDonald has filed a claim for $3,000. He is an ex-sheriff. This is about the size of at least fifty other sheriff bills in the state who will immediately proceed to recover if the decision of the Fayette county case is sustained by the supreme court. It is safe to say that the total amount involved in this way in the state will reach $150,000.

May Succeed Shanklin.

Mason City.—There is a strong probability that District Superintendent of Schools Henry F. Kling of Chicago will be elected president of Upper Iowa university, located at Fayette, to succeed Dr. Shanklin who has gone to Middleton, Conn., to accept the presidency of the college there. For the past three months the board has been engaged in the work of selecting a successor. Eighteen names were before them. During the meetings held they sifted the names down to eight, and while the board is endeavoring to keep matters pretty well to themselves, it is understood that Henry F. Kling is the high man of the eight

Henedy Heads the Teachers.

Iowa City.—The Southeast Iowa Teachers' convention adjourned after an address by Professor L. H. Bailey of Cornell university. At the business meeting officers were elected as follows: President, Superintendent Eugene Henedy, Grinnell; vice-president, C. W. Cruickshank, Mount Pleasant secretary, Miss Mary Vanest, Oskaloosa; treasurer, Professor C. W. Wassam, Iowa City; chairman executive committe, Frank L. Smart, Davenport. The association passed resolutions deploring the defeat of the commission school bill by the legislature.

Webster City Claims Lead.

Webster City.—The close of the municipal fiscal year is at hand and figures can be produced which it is believed will substantiate the claim that Webster City is in the best financial condition of any town in the state of Iowa. The claim is remarkable, because Webster City is a "municipal ownership" town. The claim is also timely because of the decision of the city to do a large amount of paving the coming season.

Clean-up at Altoona City.

Altoont—Substantial evidence of what a "booster" movement can do for a town was shown here when the town observed Saturday as "clean up day," under the supervision of the local improvement committee of the newly formed Commercial club. Every street in the town was dragged and drays were provided to haul away refuse from all alleys. The citizens entered into the spirit of the day and the town presented a trim appearance for Easter.

Three Girls Are Killed.

Dubuque.—The Illinois Central flyer struck and instantly killed Anna, Mabel and and Ruby, aged 7, 8 and 14, respectively, daughters of Fred Foldorff four miles west of here. The girls were walking on the track toward the approaching train but on account of a high wind they had their heads down and did not see the train. When the engineer realized this it was too late to stop.

New Humboldt Church.

Humboldt.—The Christian Scientists of this town will proceed at once to the erection of a substantial church building. A site has been procured in a central location, and the contract will be let forthwith for a church edifice which will be a noteworthy improvement to the town.

Texas Regulates Liquor.

Auston, Tex., April 12.—The legislature passed the Robertson-Fitzhough bill to regulate liquor traffic in Texas, the house concurring in the senate amendments. The senate struck out the uniform high license provisions and the prohibition against the sale of liquors by growers.

LINE IS TO BE CONSTRUCTED

Promoters Decide to Go Ahead With Short Line.

Treynor.—After a session lasting the greater part of one night the subscribers to the guarantee fund for the Iowa & Omana Short Line railway, voted to proceed with the work. The proposition received a tie vote when first submitted, but later was reconsidered and adopted by a majority vote.

As soon as it had been agreed to go ahead with the work it was arranged to put surveyors in the field at once. Grade stakes will be set as the line is located. It is estimated that it will require three weeks to complete the survey and that actual work of construction will be commenced by May 1.

A representative of an eastern bond house was present at the meeting and announced that there would be no trouble whatever in financing the road or in placing the bonds. An issue of $100,000 in bonds is contemplated, which will cover the estimated cost of the line.

The total amount subscribed is about $85,000. When the bonds are issued the subscribers will be given first chance to purchase them, and all not sold to the subscribers can readily be placed in the east, so the promoters were assured.

That portion of the line covered by the present plans will be about ten miles long, connecting the town of Treynor with the Wabash at Pony Creek. The action taken insures the completion of the project and there is great rejoicing in consequence.

Humboldt Wants Court House.

Humboldt.—The question of a new court house for Humboldt county is receiving lively agitation here. The present one is entirely inadequate to the growing needs of the county. The county now has to rent outside rooms for three of its officers, and the vault room is entirely insufficient for the safe protection of the records. Before a new court house is planned, however, a relocation of the county seat is a foregone conclusion. Nobody thinks of erecting a new structure for county purposes anywhere but in Humboldt, which has long been virtually the county seat, although the adjoining corporation of Dakotah City has nominally held the title.

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M'Gregor.—As further evidence that this division will be made by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, their main line to the coast, is their plans which have now been perfected to put in a bridge at McGregor, which is to cost $1,000,000. The plans are now completed for this structure and work will be commenced as soon as affairs can be shaped. The government is going to work pretty soon to remove the old piling which has stood in the river ever since the Lawler pontoon was first constructed and have been used as ice breaks. This is to be the most costly bridge spanning the Mississippi.

Shoots Three Persons.

Hutchinson, Kans., April 12.—Horace Schwartz yesterday shot his wife, her brother, at whose home she had taken refuge, and a neighbor, Phineas and Spain. He then tried to end his own life by drinking carbolic acid. Mrs. Schwartz is in a critical condition, but the men were not seriously wounded. Schwartz is in jail. The police say another man aided in the shooting.

First Trip of Season.

Davenport—The government steamer, David Tipton, commonly known as the dentist boat of the United States fleet, in charge of Captain Martin, is now at work in the Burlington-Davenport district removing a few small obstructions in the channel. The steamer is on its first trip of the season.

Will Organize Y. M. C. A.

Muscatine.—Hugh Jameson, for the last five years general secretary of the Young Men's Christian association, has accepted the resposnibility of organizing a similar institution at Sault Ste Marie, Mich., a thriving city of about 13,000 inhabitants.

Old Boat Dismantled.

Muscatine—The Silver Crescent, on the river since 1882, will give up the ghost this week at Wabasha, Minn., and its machinery will make the new Black Hawk go.

Will Open Park.

Fort Madison—J. A. Peak of South Bend, Ind., has taken over the Ivanhoe park and will reopen it as a pleasure resort like Ingersoll park in Des Moines.

Eldora Mills Leased.

Eldora—The Eldora roller mills have been leased from the Marshalltown owner by T. K. Coles, an expert miller from Owatonna, Minn.

Wholly Out of Debt.

Fairfield—The accounting just made shows Fairfield to be wholly out of debt.

PASS TARIFF BILL

HOUSE ADOPTS PAYNE MEASURE BY VOTE OF 217 TO 161.

IGNORE PROTESTS OF WOMEN

Increases Duty on Gloves and Stockings—Coffee, Tea, Oil and Hides Placed on Free List—Keep Tariff on Lumber.

Washington.—By a vote of 217 to 161 the Payne tariff bill, which has been under consideration for three weeks, was passed Friday night by the house.

One Republican, Austin of Tennessee, voted against the measure, and four Democrats, all from Louisiana, Messrs. Broussard, Estopinal, Pujo and Wickliffe, voted for it. An attempt by Champ Clark, the minority leader, to recommit the bill with instructions signally failed.

Hides, hosiery and gloves were left as reported by the committee, hides remaining free and an increased duty being presented for gloves and stockings.

One of the principal changes effected in the Payne bill since its introduction was the placing of petroleum on the free list. This involved a more seriously contested fight than any of the other amendments. Speaker Cannon, during the debate Wednesday on the amendment to reduce the duty, took the floor in defense of the higher rate of duty. Although an amendment to place oil on the free list was lost Thursday, a similar amendment offered by Chairman Payne yesterday was carried.

Among the other important amendments that have been made since the bill came from committee were those striking out the provision for a duty on tea and the countervailing duty proviso on coffee. The elimination of the maximum duty of 20 per cent. on coffee, contained in the maximum and minimum section of the bill, was also significant.

To the free list were added evergreen seedlings, cloves and nut oil, which is used in making varnish. The patent law provision, intended to retaliate for the new British patent law, was stricken out on account of an international convention. The so-called "joker" in the cotton cloth schedule which it was claimed would increase the duty of the Dingley bill several hundred per cent. was corrected, the proviso for the method of counting threads in the cloth being made the same as in the present law.

The section of restricting the contents of packages of tobacco was amended to conform with the present law in order that union labels may not be excluded from such packages. The countervailing duty clause on lumber was stricken out, but a strong effort to place lumber on the free list did not succeed.

The duties on barley, barley malt, charcoal iron, pineapples in crates, saccharine, medicated cotton and cotton collars and cuffs, as originally in the bill, were increased. To retaliate against Turkey, which country prohibits the importation of American filler tobacco, a proviso was included in the tobacco schedule increasing the duty on filler tabocco from any country which prohibits the importation of the American tobacco.

$10,000 BILL IN BOX.

Pennsylvania Church Thinks Mistake Was Made and Offers to Return the Money.

Washington.—The insertion of an advertisement in a local paper Thursday that there had been found in the collection plate of the Roscoe Methodist Episcopal church, near here, after the service last Sunday night a $10,000 bill, developed the fact that the church officers think the donor made a mistake.

The yearly collections of the church do not average much more than this amount, and the officials, in the advertisement, state that they will return the money to the owner if he wants it back and can prove he inadvertently dropped it into the plate.

Walter Reeves Dies Suddenly.

Streator, Ill. — Walter Reeves, one of La Salle county's foremost citizens, and a member of the Republican state central committee, died of heart failure Friday night. Mr. Reeves was 60 years old and a native of Fayette county, Pennsylvania. He moved to Illinois with his parents in his boyhood and located at Odell, Livingston county.

F. Marion Crawford Dead.

Sorrento, Italy. — F. Marion Crawford, the novelist, died on Friday afternoon. Although he was known as an American writer, Mr. Crawford was born in Bangi di Lucca, Italy August 2, 1854. He was the son of Thomas Crawford, an American sculptor, who was studying in Italy.

Linguistic Resources.

"Is this story you are telling me of hill-climbing, a true one?"

"Yes, it is on the level."

Pettit's Eye Salve for 25c relieves tired, overworked eyes, stops eye aches, congested, inflamed or sore eyes. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

The half of the world that gets along is unable to understand why the other half is always short.

Spear isn't anything! Mint isn't anything! Spearmint isn't anything—unless it's WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT.

It is the man who can't do things that is always telling others how to do them.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

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MARLTON, N.J.—I feel that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has given me new life. I suffered for ten years with serious female troubles, inflammation, ulceration, indigestion, nervousness, and could not sleep. Doctors gave me up, as they said my troubles were chronic. I was in despair, and did not care whether I lived or died, when I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; so I began to take it, and am well again and relieved of all my suffering."—Mrs. GEORGE JORDY, Box 40, Marlton, N.J.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotics or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record for the largest number of actual cures of female diseases we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials are on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., from women who have been cured from almost every form of female complaints, inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion and nervous prostration. Every suffering woman owes it to herself to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

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If afflicted with sore eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**

ALF A MILLION

EGISLATURE ALLOWS LARGE APPROPRIATIONS.

STITUTIONS WELL CARED FOR

irty-third Assembly Grants Nearly The Full Amounts Asked For.

Des Moines.—The appropriations ssed by the legislature set apart 5,700 for the various state institu- ns under the state board of con- l. This amount is appropriated in ail to the various institutions as lows:

IOWA SOLDIERS HOME.

The Iowa Soldiers Home at Mar- lltown shall receive sums as fol- ws:

additional room for married eople	$ 5,000
furniture and furnishings	3,000
improvement of plumbing, heat- g and lighting system and gener- l repairs	3,000
new beds	2,700
tool house and vegetable cellar	2,000

WA SOLDIERS' ORPHANS' HOME AT DAVENPORT.

beds	600
mattresses	1,800
dormitory floors	400
decorating chapel	300
wagon shed	150
books and periodicals	300
connection of city sewer	1,400
contingent and repair fund	3,000

COLLEGE FOR BLIND AT VINTON.

gymnasium and equipment	12,000

HOOL FOR DEAF AT COUNCIL BLUFFS.

telephone system	300
fencing	500
completing and furnishing as- embly hall	2,000
library and binding	300
school furniture	300
painting interior of main build- ng	500
painting school house and gym- nasium	1,000
walks and grading	500
contingent and repair fund	3,500

STITUTION FOR FEEBLE-MINDED CHILDREN AT GLENWOOD.

wing for new custodial building	40,000
beds and bedding	3,000
furniture and furnishings	4,000
paint and painting	3,500
contingent and repair	10,000
railway switch	3,500

NATARIUM FOR TREATMENT OF TUBERCULOSIS AT OAKDALE.

cottage for patients	22,500
cottage for superintendent	5,000
kitchen, dining room and quar- rs for help	20,000
fire protection	4,000
buildings for poultry	500
improvement of grounds	1,000
amusements	200
books and periodicals	300
contingent and repair	3,000

DUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS AT ELDORA.

hospital building	10,000
two steam boilers	2,000
greenhouse and connections	3,000
ice house	1,600
lectures, entertainments, etc	300
library, books and periodicals	300
dental fund	600
agricultural implements	500
horses, cattle and hogs	1,000
band and orchestra instruments	200
furniture and furnishings	1,000
drain tile	1,000
fencing	500
horse barn	3,500
cow barn	4,000
granary	2,000
tunnels, pipe, pipe covering etc.	15,000
contingent and repair fund	5,000

DUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS AT MITCHELLVILLE.

cement walks	$ 1,000
finishing basement Larrabee ttage	1,500
furniture and furnishings	1,000
hot water tank and connections	3,000
painting, interiors and exteriors	500
dental fund	400
chaplain's fund	150
new green house and equipment	2,000
contingent and repair	3,000
pianos	600

T. PLEASANT STATE HOSPITAL.

furniture and furnishings	$ 5,000
patients library	500
women's infirmary, additional	3,000
furniture and furnishings, wo- en's infirmary	3,000
hydrotherapeutic department, omen's infirmary	4,000
furnishing farmer's lodge	1,500
food cars	800
ice plant	12,000
battery of boilers	5,000
drain tile	2,000
fencing	600
gutters, main building	3,000
open air pavilion	2,000
paints and painting	3,000
kitchen equipment	2,000
cows	1,000
horses, wagons and farm imple- ents	1,000
laundry machinery	1,000
engine and generator	9,000
enlarging sewage disposal plant	2,000
contingent and repair	10,000

DEPENDENCE STATE HOSPITAL.

electric wiring	$ 4,000
floors and flooring	3,000
paints and painting	3,000
new sewer	1,200
new smokestack	8,000
new boilers, additional	4,500
iron-working lathe	750
re-shingling cow barn	500
tiling	3,000
additional water supply	12,000
additional support fund	7,000
railway switch	20,000
contingent and repair	10,000

CLARINDA STATE HOSPITAL.

new boilers and stokers	$10,000
re-wiring	3,000
plumbing and fixtures	1,000
contingent and repair	10,000

CHEROKEE STATE HOSPITAL.

fire station and root cellar	$ 5,000
painting	2,000
books, periodicals and newspa- rs	300
pictures and picture moulding	250
carpets and rugs	1,000
contingent and repair	10,000

FT. MADISON PENITENTIARY.

For transportation of prisioners	$ 2,000
For cell house	15,000
For contingent and repair	5,000

REFORMATORY AT ANAMOSA.

For two new boilers and appurte nances	$ 2,900
For wiring and lighting new cell bank	2,900
For derrick supplies	500
For tools for shop and quarry	600
For freight and stone	800
For transportation of discharged prisoners	1,000
For salaries of foremen	10,000
For printing and binding, additional	2,500
For contingent and repair	5,000

Of the appropriations made by this act, the sum of $50,000 is for the purchase of land for the use of one or more of the state institutions herein- before named. The board of control of state institutions shall designate the institution for which land is to be purchased and the amount to be expended for each, and the amounts so determined shall be drawn from the state treasury on vouchers duly executed for each purchase and ap- provided by the chief executive officer of the institution for which purchase was made and by said board of con- trol.

Educational Appropriation.

There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to the State University, the sum of $22,000, annually hereafter, and the further sum of $25,000, annually for two years, for additional support fund; the sum of $7,500, annually hereafter, for ad ditional repair and contingent fund, and the sum of $15,000, annually for two years, for library support.

There is further appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to the State University the sum of $90,000 for the following purposes:

For additional boiler equipment au tomatic stokers for central heating plant, boiler, feed pump, and addi tional dynamo at hydraulic power station	$15,000
For purchase of additional land	35,000
For departmental equipment and sup plies	15,000
For paving, sidewalks, and improve ment of grounds	6,000
For building equipment for buildings now partially equipped, and for equipment for new law building and other buildings to be erected	19,000

There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to the Iowa State College of Agricul ure and Mechanical Arts the sum of $15,000 annually hereafter, and for the further sum of $25,000, annually for two years, for additional support fund; the sum of $13,000, annually hereafter, for repairs, minor improvements and contingencies; the sum of $2,500, annually hereafter, for the library book fund; the sum of $1,500, annually hereafter, for the support of the engineering experiment station; the sum of $15,000, annually for two years, for the support of agri cultural experiment station; and the sum of $5,000, annually for two years, for agricultural extension work.

For the equipment of departments	$15,000
For the purchase of pure bred stock	10,000
For furnishings and fixtures for the general engineering laboratory	$ 5,000
hall of agriculture	25,000
For sidewalks and grading	7,500
For completing the heating and power plant	50,000

There is further appropriated out of any money in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to the State Normal school the sum of $27,- 000 for the following purposes:

For the support of library	$10,000
For librarian's salary	2,000
For paving, permanent walks, and improvements of grounds	5,000
For nurse and hospital support	2,000

UNIVERSITY.

	Annually	Biennium
From mileage tax for building purposes	$130,000	
Contingent and repair fund	7,500	
Support fund	240,000	
	$378,000	$756,000
Other special appropria tions, tuition and labor atory fees		400,000
Total receipts for bi- ennium		$1,156,000
Total expenditures for bi ennium		$1,168,000

IOWA STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

	Annually	Biennium
From mileage tax for building purposes	$ 65,000	
Contingent and repair fund	34,000	
Teachers' fund	77,500	
Support for summer school	8,000	
	$184,500	$369,000
Special appropriations, tu itions, fees and miscel- laneous items		129,780
Total receipts		$498,780
Total expenditures		$464,320

IOWA STATE COLLEGE.

	Annually	Biennium
From mileage tax for building purposes	$130,000	
Contingent and repair fund	23,000	
Educational support fund	155,000	
Agricultural extension fund	27,000	
Agricultural experiment station	24,000	
Horse breeding experi- mentation	1,125	
Engineering experiment	3,500	
Good roads experimenta tion	5,000	
Support of library	2,500	
Cataloguer	600	
	$371,725	743,450
In addition to the above the following amounts are received from the national government an- nually:		
For educational support	65,000	
Agricultural experimenta- tion	25,000	
Horse breeding	1,125	
	$ 91,125	$182,250
Other special appropria tions, tuitions, labora- tory fees and miscellan- eous items		296,300
Total receipts		$1,222,000
Total expenditures		$1,137,690

Attention is called to the contingent funds allowed for the different in- stitutions, namely:

	Annually.
Iowa State university	$ 7,500
Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts	23,000
Iowa State Normal school	34,000

Attention is also called to appro- priation made for support of libraries.

	Biennial.
Iowa State university	$10,000
Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts	6,200
Iowa State Normal school	18,000

The available funds for extraordin- ary appropriation as estimated by the auditor, is $1,500,000 for the biennial period ending June 30, 1911. This estimate is based upon a levy that will produce $2,250,000 annually.

The appropriations made by the Thirty second General Assembly for Cherokee have been taken care of in the hospitals at Independence and making the above estimate.

DISCLOSES INDIAN GRAVEYARD

Falling Bank of River Leaves Skele- tons Exposed.

Madrid.—An Indian grave yard was disclosed here when part of a steep bank of the Des Moines river weaken- ed by the recent floods slid into the water. Small boys were the first to make the discovery. They picked up several bones and skulls, some Ind- ian beads and two or three queer looking pipes.

The river has been cutting into this hill for years. The recent spring rains caused the slide and uncovered the graves that have been resting in quiet for years.

One party has just dug out a full skeleton resembling a female, as the bones are small, and also the skull. At one point a large number of bones were found as though there had been many placed in one grave.

There have been found many odd relics, such as were made by that class of people. A large jar that had been made out of some kind of stone, after being washed and cleaned up was just as fresh and clean as the day it was placed in the grave along with its owner. In the inside of this stone jar and the same on the out- side, one could see the cutting of some instrument that shaped it for its purposes as plain as the day it was made, and the same on many of the stone hammers that were found.

Grant Relics In Iowa.

Carroll.—C. M. Morris of Coon Rap- ids, a pioneer of Carroll county and an old soldier, has interesting recol- lections of General Grant and Abra- ham Lincoln. He knew the former at Galena, Ill., and he treasures among his possessions the copper tablet from the outer box in which Grant's body was carried after death to its final resting place at Riverside Park. Mr. Morris being a member of the escort. He also has in his possession a certificate of membership in the Sol- diers' Monument association of Davis county, of which Gran was president and which was signed by him short- ly after his return from his trip around the world. He also carries as a keepsake a metal disk. This he re- ceived in 1859 during Lincoln's candi- dacy for president. He was present at the Lincoln-Douglas debate at Free- port and heard him speak on several other occasions.

To Fight For An Estate.

Mason City.—That there will be a determined fight for the possession or a division of the estate of the late O. B. Morse of Grand Meadows, Minn., was evidenced by the relatives here who caused suit to be filed in the Mower county, Minnesota, court ob- jecting to the probate of the will. The estate is valued at $100,000 and the bulk of it went to Mrs. C. W. Martin of Grand Meadows, who is a niece and is the nearest relative of the de- ceased. Distant relatives are Nellie P. Jackson and Mrs. Fannie Smith, living near Conn., and Miss Alice Pollock of Austin, Minn. The land composing the estate lies along the state line and is considered fine prop- erty. Three prominent law firms from Rochester, Northfield and Aus- tin and a firm from Northwood have been retained.

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SIX DIE IN BIG FIRE

FOUR SQUARE BLOCKS GO UP IN FLAMES.

WOMEN LEAP TO THEIR DEATH

Loss Is Placed at $300,000—Conflagra- tion Due to Spontaneous Combustion.

Lenox, Mass., April 12.—Six persons lost their lives, three others were badly burned and a property loss of between $200,000 and $800,000 was caused by a fire in the business sec- tion of town Sunday.

Four business blocks, two dwellings and two other structures were de- stroyed in the section bounded by Franklin, Main, Housatonic and Church streets. The fire is believed to have started in the Clifford building from spontaneous combustion.

The dead: Edward C. Ventris, electrician. Mrs. Edward C. Ventris. Miss Leslie Ventris, aged 12 years. Miss Alice French, bookkeeper, Miss Isabel Cook, bookkeeper Miss Mary Sparks, school teachers. The injured: Catherine Root and her two sons, George and Arthur, severely burned.

The death of Alice French was one of the pitiful tragedies of the morn- ing. While the fire in the Clifford block was at its height a woman was seen to climb out of a flame filled room on to a veranda on the second story with her night clothing and hair ablaze. Staggering to the railing the woman leaped to the sidewalk beneath, landing in a heap within five or six feet of the blazing walls. Some of the horrified onlookers attempted to rush in to drag her out, but the intense heat drove them back and not until the flames had practically died out, several hours later, was the body re- covered. The bodies of the other victims have not been found.

MILLIONS IN OIL SUIT

Evidence Amounts to 11,000,000 Words.

St. Louis, Mo., April 12.—After a continuous argument of five days, one of the longest ever granted by a fed- eral court in this country, Special United States Attorney General Frank B. Kellogg delivered his closing ad- dress to the court in behalf of the government in the latter's suit to have the Standard Oil company of New Jersey dissolved as a violator of the Sherman anti-trust act.

The case has a record for bigness, the evidence being larger by half than that ever before taken in a sin- gle case, the record containing in all 11,000,000 words. Not alone does it concern one of the largest corpora- tions in the United States, but its trial had employed the attention of a score or more of the most promi- nent corporation attorneys for almost two years, also a record. The case has also cost into the millions and it is estimated that by the time the court of last resort will have passed upon the issue that the trial will represent an expenditure of close to $5,000,000.

WATCH CENTRAL AMERICA

Uncle Sam Keeps Naval Force Close for Any Emergency.

Washington, D. C., April 12.—Or- ders have been issued at the navy de- partment contemplating the tempo- rary stationing at Central American ports of the cruisers Albany, South Dakota and Colorado. They are to re- lieve the Yorktown, California and Washington, which will proceed north for target practice and maneuvers. This will leave half a dozen Ameri- can war vessels in Central American waters stationed chiefly at Nicara- guan and Honduran ports, thus indi- cating the belief of the administra- tion of the necessity of maintaining a naval force to be available for any occasion that may arise.

Cotton Stalk Paper.

Cordele, Ga., April 12.—Ground is being broken here for the erection of the cotton stalk paper mill. A cotton pulp and paper company has been chartered with a capital stock of $175,- 000, and the material is on the ground for the erection of the buildings. The capacity of the plant will be twenty- five tons per day. About forty tons of cotton stalks will be consumed in making a day's output. News print paper will be the principal product.

Roosevelt Soon at Alden.

Suez, April 12.—The steamer Ad- miral with ex-President Roosevelt on board, passed out of the canal and made a brief stop at Suez, then pro- ceeded down the Red sea. The Ad- miral will make stops at Aden and Mogadiio, on the east coas of Italian Somaliland.

KEEP BABY HEALTHY; FREE

No child can be well and strong unless its bowels move regularly every day at the same hour. Such regularity promotes good health. One passage is absolutely necessary, while two are not too many.

There is one remedy that is espe- cially adapted to the needs of children, and which thousands of American mothers are using to-day, and that is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the great herb laxative compound. Its gentle action, so free from griping, its tonic effects, and its perfect purity, vouched for to the United States Government, makes it an ideal children's laxative tonic.

Mrs. M. F. Cash, of Webb, Okla., is an old-time friend of this wonderful child's remedy and she says she could scarcely keep house without it. She became ac- quainted with it through Dr. Caldwell's offer of a free trial bottle, which she found so effective on her baby that she now always keeps it in the house. Mrs. K. L. Stout, of Louisville, Ky., also first used it in a free sample, then bought it of her druggist at the regular price, which is only 50 cents or $1 a bottle. It gave her little girl a splendid appetite and a vigor- ous stomach. Where Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin once finds its way into the home it makes a life-long friend. They soon discard salts, pills and powders.

Those who have never yet used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin should begin to do so, for they are missing a valuable household friend. In order to acquaint you with its merits at no expense to your- self the doctor will send you a free test bottle on receipt of name and address. It has been justly called the nation's safe- guard to health in the cure of constipa- tion, dyspepsia, heartburn, liver trouble, sick headache, sour stomach and similar digestive ailments.

If there is anything about your ailment that you don't understand, or if you want any medical advice, write to the doctor, and he will answer you fully. There is no charge for this service. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 201 Caldwell bldg., Monticello, Ill.

RATHER AN APT COMPARISON.

Humorous Thought That Occurred to Jim When He First Occupied His New White "Baid."

The prize to-day goes to a Virginia woman, who sends me this darky story:

My colored girl not only keeps my house in exquisite order, but is proud of her own home and spends time and money on it. She purchased a white enamel bed and I asked her if her hus- band liked it.

"Yessum, Jim he like dat white baid I done git—he like it all right. Las' night I had done fix dat baid up wid a spraid an' I got new pillershams an' it look moughty clean an' white. Jim he ondress hese'f an' git inter baid, an' he lie dere and doan say nuttin' twell I hear him sayin':

"'Lizzie--'

"'Well,' I say, 'whatcher wan', Jim?'

"'Lizzie, does yo' know what I minds myse'f of in dis white baid?'

"'No, Jim, I doan know what yo' minds yo'se'f of.'

"Jim he chockle and den he say:

"'A fly in a pan of milk!'"—New York Telegraph.

Morals and Manners.

The witness had been arraigned for perjury.

"Your honor," he complained, "this is most unjust. I never could permit an absurd devotion to truth to inter- fere with the fact that I am a gentle- man."

This was construed roughly as a plea of guilty.

Use Allen's Foot-Ease.

It is the only cure for Swollen, Smart- ing, Tired, Aching, Hot, Sweating Feet, Corns and Bunions. Ask for Allen's Foot- Ease, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. Cures while you walk. At all Drug- gists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Sample sent FREE. Ad- dress, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Needful.

"What money-making scheme have you devised this year?"

"One dandy. I'm getting up some road maps for the use of department store customers."

Spearmint! Spearmint! What's that? Nothing—unless it's WRIG- LEY'S SPEARMINT.

Doesn't Entertain.

"Did you say he was a lecturer and entertainer?"

"No; I merely said he was a lec- turer."

A Domestic Eye Remedy

Compounded by Experienced Physicians. Conforms to Pure Food and Drugs Laws. Wins Friends Wherever Used. Ask Drug- gists for Murine Eye Remedy. Try Mu- rine in Your Eyes. You Will Like Murine.

Its Kind.

"This squib about people's hanging on to straps in street cars—"

"Oh, that's a standing joke."

To have more of Health and more of Life, take Garfield Tea! This Natural laxa- tive regulates liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels, corrects constipation, purifies the blood and eradicates disease.

The only true secret of assisting the poor is to make them agents in bet- tering their own condition.—George Eliot.

Wait! The delicious fragrance of WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT will soon fill the air everywhere!

The man who is full, usually carries a pocket which is empty.

TERHUFEN BROS.

—PROPRIETORS OF THE—

One Price Cash Store

We carry a complete line of

—A complete line of—

Groceries, Paints, Oils, Flour

and other articles too numerous to mention in the Grocery and Hardware line.

—A new and up-to-date—

TIN SHOP

in connection where you can get your work done promptly.

We solicit a share of your patronage.

Yours for business,

TERHUFEN BROS.

KLEMME, IOWA

HELLO THERE

Where are you going? I'm going to H. Lau & Son. They handle all kinds of farm implements, Port Huron threshers also the Aultman & Taylor machinery, the 20 Century and Appleton manure spreader, McKinnon and Clinton wagons, Anchor and Velie buggies, Ohio and Kingman cultivators, stirring and gang plows, the open mould board sulky plows the lightest draft, Towers cultivators, Imperial and Challenge wind mills, hog fencing, barb wire, smooth wire gates, pumps and piping of all kinds, feed mills and the international gas engines from 1 to 40 H. P., Milwaukee mowers, binders, Dane hay loaders and buckers, nails and fence staples, wind mills and pump repairing on short notice, the sharpless cream separator the best made today, the Crack a-jack line of samples for tailor made suits.

H. Lau & Son.

STYX NO. 24964.

The imported stallion **STYX** is a jet black free from white and weighs over 2000 lbs. as a eight year-old.

Sired by Gerfaut 2d Reg. No. 2538 and he by Hercule No. 2522 Dam Wanne d'Ap No. 38165 and she by Marie No. 4523.

This horse was shipped from Brussels, Oct. 15, 1903 by the Livermore Horse Importing Co. of Livermore, Iowa

Will make the season at the following places:

Frank Glanville on Monday and Tuesday.
G. O. Miner on Tuesday and Wednesday.
W. S. Glanville on Thursday.
C. L. Yahnke Livery Barn Friday and Saturday.

TERMS—To insure a live colt to stand up and suck $15.

M. Palmby, J. E. Johnson,
Owners.

A. Kirkwood, Manager.

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

O. C. Olsen	Meservey
Louis Sampson	Klemme
C. H. Lenz	Beltrami, Minn.
J. A. Senneff	Britt
Geo Ulrich	Garner
M. Redding	Mason City
C. F. Rolston	Klemme
Mary Suckow,	Unionville, Ia
Chas. Ax	Klemme
Wm. Yohn	"
B. F. Strosnider,	Lincoln, Neb

I'D RATHER DIE, DOCTOR

than have my feet cut off, said M L Bingham of Princeville, Ill. but you'll die from gangreen which had eaten away eight toes, if you don't said all doctors. Instead he used Bucklen's arnica salve till wholly cured. Its cures of eczema, fever sores, boils, burns and piles astound the world. 25 cts. at G A Pabst & Co.

Ell Center.

Charley Lawhorn drove to Miller Tuesday.

Tom Nelson hauled hogs to Klemme Saturday.

Henry Josten hauled his hogs to Klemme Monday.

Hod Lawhorn and wife visited at Charley Lawhorn's Sunday.

Miss Ruth Bonar of Forest City, visited over Sunday at Wm. Yohn's.

Webner Haskin of Klemme, has been visiting his grandpa Webner.

Sup't. A. M. Deyoe was calling on the schools in this district this week.

Tom Nelson, Sr. and wife of Klemme, visited here Sunday with their son Tom and family.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

WORDS TO FREEZE THE SOUL

Your son has consumption. His case is hopeless. These appaling words were spoken to Geo. E Blevens a leading merchant of Springfield, N C by two expert doctors—one a lung specialist. Then was shown the wonderful power of Dr. King's new discovery. After three weeks use, writes Mr. Blevens he was as well as ever. I would not take all the money in the world for what it did for my boy. Infallible for coughs and colds its the safest, surest cure of desperate lung direases on earth. 50c and $1.00.

Guarantee satifaction, Trial bottle free. G. A. Pabst & Co.

Avery Center.

Geo. W. Griggs is tileing his cellar.

Joe Hamilton was a caller at Shavers Sunday.

Miss Pearl Shaver is visiting her parents for a few days.

The gale that swept over the Center Sunday was a fast one.

Frank Ufken had a colt get into the wire fence and got cut badly.

T. M. Hamilton and J. T. Griggs bagged 13 ducks one day last week.

Fred Wilkins and Frank Ufken were Belmond callers one day last week.

Mr. Joe Hamilton and Mrs. Frank Costello visited at T. M. Hamilton's Sunday.

The Avery Center Orchestra is going to give an entertainment Friday the 16th.

The Avery Center Doctor is kept quite busy the last week calling on his patients.

THE CHILDREN LIKE IT
KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE
COUGH SYRUP

Don't Kill Her

On every well regulated farm there is enough house-work for two women, but usually the good wife must do it alone.

Save the HOUSEWIFE

by providing:

Linoleum

For Kitchen and Dining Room, it saves ½ the scrubbing, it costs less than a new floor, $10 will cover a big room and will last 10 years.

A Kitchen Cabinet

At from $6 to $18 saves unnecessary steps, saves food supplies, lasts a life time.

A Sewing Machine

The best is the cheapest such as "The New Home" and "The Goodrich" either one of these will pay for itself over and over again.

A $30 Goodrich machine will be sold to the highest bidder on May 1, 1909 at the store—make a Bid

New Furniture, Lace Curtains
Window Shades, Wall Paper

To lessen the work for the house-wife means increased happiness for your home.

Arthur Wellemeyer.

Where your Dollar does its duty.

RESTAURANT
AND
LUNCH ROOM

We have a fresh and complete line of Candies, Nuts, Tobacco, Cigars, lunch counter Canned Goods, Soft Drinks and Fruits.

We have fresh home made bakery goods every day. Meals and Lunches served at all hours. We can also accommodate you with lodging. We solicit a share of your patronage.

A. KIRKWOOD & SO

MILLINERY ANNOUNCEMENT

WE

Have the largest and finest display of Spring Millinery ever has excited more admiration and attention than any we ever

We have some of the most beautiful and striking effects in Hats, Trimmed Hats and Childrens headwear. The latest Rolls also a fine line of the best ladies Corsets. We have assortment of the latest ladies waists, and a fine line of Collaches and Belts.

Our Trimmer is an experienced one who will be sure to plea

MRS. J. JOST

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C. H. MANN & Co.
H. MANN, Editor and Manager.

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Oats	45 to 49c
Wheat	90 to 100
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Hay	3 00 to 6.00
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Cattle	1.50 to 5.85

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. A. Ross is a new Times subscriber.

If you contemplate matrimony read State Bank ad.

Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher visited at Garner this Thursday.

Bert Auchampach transacted business at Garner Tuesday.

J. F. Hartfelder shipped a car load of cattle to Chicago Sunday morning.

C. P. Ell transacted business at Belmond Wednesday returning Thursday.

Jack Cruse and Clarence Kluckhohn were Garner sight seerers Monday.

Mrs. Muehlmeier and son Awald were at Garner between trains Tuesday.

Raymond Gruetzmacher of Charles City, visited here with relatives the first of this week

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Sunday we had a very strong wind from the south and snow on Sunday night. The snow was about all gone by the next day noon.

Mr. W. J. Robinson of Britt, Iowa, who is a representative of the General Missionary American Sunday School Union, called on Klemme people Tuesday.

NOTICE—Cattle wanted to pasture for the summer season on our farm. Plenty of good water and salt furnished.

tf Wm. Baack.

G. R. Waterman is about the whole works of our city now. He is one of our city draymen, also Waterworks Supt., Street Commissioner and City Marshal. Look out for George and be good.

Permanently relieves constipation and indigestion. Regulates the bowels, builds up waste tissue. Makes pure blood. You grow strong, healthy and robust Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea the safest, nicest Spring tonic. 35 cents. G. A. Pabst & Co.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

The illustration is beautiful—State Bank ad.

Fred Henschen took a run up to Garner today.

Rev. Muehlmeier left for Germania on Monday.

Read the "Spring Beauties" ad of G. A. Pabst & Co.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.

Mrs. L. Mann.

Miss Carrie Johnson who is attending school at Mason City, visited over Sunday at home.

Geo. Wessels is gaining nicely from his recent sickness and will soon be able to be about again.

Mrs. L. Sampson left today Thursday for a visit with her daughter Mrs. Levi Klotzbach at Froelich, Iowa.

"Don't Kill Her" is the heading of Wellemeyer's ad. Read it and find out what he has to say for the Housewife.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs Geo. Wessels has been dangerously sick of late. It is hoped that the little fellow will recover.

G. W. Kluckhohn is having the front of his store remodeled and expects to put in a new cement sidewalk. Harve Allen is doing the work.

WANTED—Having leased the Schroeder pasture, I will be in a position to pasture your stock the coming season.

36tf Fred C. Griewe.

Two inches of snow fell Tuesday night. The farmers were getting nicely started at seeding the first of the week, but this will put them back a few days again.

Sirce we again have a marshal some of the live stock which has been running at large has been shut up. This will be a saving to sidewalks and a much needed nuisance prohibited.

Grace: Pimples, blotches, rough, shiny skin are from the blood and stomach. A simple and never failing remedy—one that makes clear, healthy complexions, pure blood, perfect digestion, is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Surprise yourself. Tea or tablets 35 cents. G. A Pabst & Co.

A real Easter rabbit arrived in Klemme Sunday. He came in from the north. J. W. Scott took him into refuge and is keeping him in his barn. It isn't a very large animal all but his ears. He is large enough to ride and several of our sports have been indulging in this amusement. The only fault the boys find that have rode him is that he dont go fast enough and when he is urged to go faster, he usually raises his rear extremities with his large ears downward and the result is usually you alight in the mud. Such was the case when Fred Kluckhohn and Otto Cruse rode him and they lit very gently into a soft place in the street.

SWEPT OVER NIAGRA

The terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings growing ripples and faster current. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—dropsy, diabetes or brights disease. Take Electric bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. After long suffering from weak kidneys and back one $1.00 bottle wholly cured me, writes J R Blackenship of Belk, Tenn. Only 50 at G A Pabst & Co.

A real new ad for the State Savings.

Grace Blank was a Garner visitor Tuesday.

Geo. Gruetzmacher was a Garner visitor Tuesday.

Miss Becker of Garner, visited with her folks here the first of this week.

C. Kraus who has been laid up the past five weeks with rheumatims is now able to be about some.

Mrs. H. C. Josten of Garner visited among relatives and friends here the first of this week.

Miss Ella Griewe who is attending school at Charles City, visited over Sunday at home returning Monday.

Joe Miller and Fred Wilkins left for Garner Monday where they will serve as jurymen at this term of court

Mr. and Mrs. Zwald of Garfield township, visited the first of this week with their daughter Mrs. Chas. Ax and family.

S. H. Day, Fred and John Henschen are generally repairing the Elder hotel. At present they are reshingeling the roof.

C. H. Lenz and family arrived from Beltrami, Minn. and are visiting with relatives here. They expect to locate at Mason City.

County Supt. A. M. Deyoe of Garner, made the Times office a pleasant call this Thursday. He was here in the interests of our public schools

Builds up your whole body. Regulates the bowels, clears the blood, aids digestion, makes you well from head to feet. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do, greatest spring regulator. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. G. A. Pabst & Co.

The hunting party who took a hunt at the west river on Tuesday last were J. Terhufuen, Aug Ridder, C. W. Stiehl, J. Baumgaertner, Thed and John Henschen They report having had a good time and that they brot back a few ducks. Following is the experience that some of them had: Bobbie says that he was 'positive' of inserting 30 shot into one duck, driving it clean under water and then the blasted thing came to the surface again and flew away unconcerned. Bum says that the ducks he did bring down were fortunate in dropping into the high rushes and couldn't find them. Wooly says that the ducks he hit with his automatic rapid firing gun, he hit them so hard and drove them so far out of sight that it was a question if they had come down yet. Watkins did his bombarding from a boat, as he is no lightweight every time his gun was discharged his boat nearly sank out of sight and nearly upsetting still he received his share of the game. Ridder was appointed book-keeper and kept score of the game that was shot. He was kept too busy keeping score to do very much bombarding himself. Terhufen did not make any report as to his ability in shooting straight but is considered a good marksman so we presume he received his share The boys undoubtedly had a good time and we wish we could have been one of them.

UP BEFORE THE BAR

N H Brown an attorney of Pittsfield, Vt. writes: We have used Dr. King's new life pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be without them. For chills constipation, biliousness or sick headache they work wonders. 25c at G A Pabst & Co.

German M. E. Church Items

Spring weather one day and a snow storm the next is the order.

Aug. Schuldt is serving as juryman in Garner this term of court.

Mrs. W. F. Beier and son Walter of Goodell, were Germantown visitors over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blank and little Mary spent Easter Sunday in Garner with W. F Lau and family.

Etna Suckow went up to Garner Monday to assist an uncle and his family who have moved in north of town.

Two judges in Chicago last Saturday disposed of 67 divorce cases in three hours. That is certainly "going some."

Elmer Weisbrod of Fenton, Iowa, not to be outdone by his cousin who called in Germantown the week before was a Klemme visitor over Sunday. Come again boys.

Mrs. Wessel left for Giard last Friday to visit a week or more with her parents. At Charles City her daughter Lurena accompanied her to spend a few days with her also.

Ella Griewe and Camilla Neff came down from Charles City, Friday afternoon to spend Easter with their home folks. They brought two other lady friends with them. All returned on Monday.

offices, where every co
tended. Address us as f

tandard Film
Dept. 828, 79 Dearborn Str
Kindly mention this paper

Charley Lenz and family arrived in Klemme on Monday from Beltrami, Minn. They have shipped their goods to Mason City where they expect to locate. Mr. Lenz will leave for the latter place this week to find a house and look for a job. Mrs. Lenz and the children will remain with her parents for some time.

The pleasant weather on Easter Sunday made it possible for many to be out and we had large audiences in both churches. In Klemme the little folks gave a nice program after the sermon which was appreciated by parents and friends. In Germantown the Epworth League gave a good Easter program in the evening. All were prepared and delivered their work well.

Emil Beier entertained his Sunday school class last Sunday which consists of twelve promising boys. A splendid dinner was awaiting them as they arrived from church. To break the unlucky number which teacher and scholars would have made the writer had been invited to and he enjoyed this meeting with them. It would have been hard to decide who felt the proudest, the teacher of his class, or the class of their teacher. This is the relative feeling which must exist, if good and lasting work should be done. They must not only be a class during Sunday school, but every day in the week.

Board of Health Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all dead animals must be disposed of on or before April 20th. It is prohibited to leave dead poultry along the highway. Anyone not complying with this notice, will be fined to the amount of $25.00. H. C. BEIER,

36-3 Clerk, German Township.

DR. W. F. MISSMAN, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon,
Klemme, Iowa.
Office in the Shafer building.
Prompt attention given to night calls.

F. C. GRIEWE
City Meat Market
Dealer in
All kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats. Canned goods and oysters in season. Highest cash price paid for hides. Home rendered pure lard a specialty.
We solicit your patronage.

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Livestock Auctioneer,
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Dates made at either banks of Klemme.
Phone me at my expense.

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Graduate Optician,
Garner - - Iowa
Eyes Tested Free.

LIVERY and FEED STABLE.
The only livery in town
Good rigs and careful drivers
Rates reasonable
Your patronage solicited
CHAS. L. YAHNKE, Proprietor.

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The Tonsorial Artist
Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.
2nd door west of State Savings Bank
Call in

Items for Travelers

Have you read the wonderful stories of success in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas? Send for our pamphlet.

$30 to $35 will take you to principal points in the Southwest and return. Tickets sold first and third Tuesdays of each month.

When traveling to and from Colorado use the best! "The Rocky Mountain Limited."

Hundreds of people are going to California on the Golden State Limited. Why not you?

Mr. Jno. G. Farmer, D. P. A., Cedar Rapids, will gladly inform you about any trip you may consider taking.

Remember, I sell Rock Island

L. O. TERGASEN, Agent,
Rock Island Lines,
Klemme, Iowa.

NO NEED TO TAKE CHANCES

There Is a Sure Way of Knowing Good Paint Material.

There is really no need whatever for any property owner to take chances in the selection of his paint materials. It doesn't cost a cent to learn how to be on the safe side. Certainly every property owner has enough at stake to find this out.

A complete painting guide, known as Houseowner's Painting Outfit No. 49, can be had free by writing National Lead Company, 1902 Trinity Building, New York. This company is the largest maker of pure white lead in the world. Its Dutch Boy Painter trademark is famous as a guarantee of purity and quality. The outfit includes a book of color schemes, for either interior or exterior painting, a book of specifications, and a simple little instrument, with directions for testing the purity of paint materials.

There is no grace in a benefit that sticks to the fingers.—Seneca.

It'll soon begin! But it'll never stop! You'd be sorry if it did. WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT.

Seasoning.

"He swore she was the salt of his life."

"And now that they are wed?"

"She's the pepper."

A Sure Sign.

"How did you know that dowdy-looking girl was a scientific student? Did you hear her talk?"

"Not that; knew her by her wireless collars."

The Scapegoat.

"I wish our furnace were not so brave."

"Brave! Who ever heard of a furnace being brave."

"Well, ours is; it smokes when my wife is around and she blames me for it."—Houston Post.

Unsympathetic.

Others may have said the same thing, but this rather unsympathetic comment is attributed to the late Judge Hoar: "Are you going to attend the funeral of Gen. Butler?" a friend asked him. "No," was the calm reply. "No, I am not going to attend—but I heartily approve of it."

Took an Antidote.

Percival came running to his grandma one day asking for a drink of water. "Quick, quick, grandma," he said, "give me a drink of water, quick!"

After he got his drink he said: "The reason that I was in such a hurry, I thought I swallowed a worm while eating an apple and I wanted to drown it."—Delineator.

Assuming the Responsibility.

Mrs. Malone's patience was much tried by a servant who had a habit of standing around with her mouth open. One day, as the maid waited upon the table, her mouth was open, as usual, and her mistress, giving her a severe look, said:

"Mary, your mouth is open."

"Yessum," replied Mary, "I opened it."—Success Magazine.

Harris' Great Good Humor.

"No man ever maintained his life at a higher level of perpetual good humor," writes James W. Lee of Joel Chandler Harris in the Century. "The day before he died, when he was already beginning to pass into the dark valley of death, one of his sons came into the room and inquired: 'How are you this morning, father?'

"'Well,' responded Mr. Harris, 'I am about the extent of a tenth of a gnat's eyebrow better.'"

SICK DOCTOR

Proper Food Put Him Right.

The food experience of a physician in his own case when worn and weak from sickness and when needing nourishment the worst way is valuable:

"An attack of grip, so severe it came near making an end of me, left my stomach in such condition I could not retain any ordinary food. I knew of course that I must have food nourishment or I could never recover.

"I began to take four tablespoonfuls of Grape-Nuts and cream three times a day and for 2 weeks this was almost my only food; it tasted so delicious that I enjoyed it immensely and my stomach handled it perfectly from the first mouthful. It was so nourishing I was quickly built back to normal health and strength.

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SHOWS BIG SURPLUS

BYERS MADE MORE THAN OFFICE COST

CORPORATIONS PAY BIG SUMS

Attorney Gereral Collected in Fees $4,000 More That Expenses in His Office.

Des Moines—Attorney General Byers collected fees from various corporations never before sought totaling $21,545 within the past two years which exceeded the cost of conducting his office by over $4,000. In other words the attorney general's office not only paid all expenses, but cleared $4,000 for the state, so the report of Mr. Byers, as presented to the committees on retrenchent and reform, today, indicates.

These fees came from corporations who had not paid up according to law. No attempt had been made to collect them before and hence the money thus realized is "velvet" for the state.

During the two years this office has, with the assistance of the secretary of state, forced the collection of the following fees: Omaha and Council Bluffs Street Railway company, filing fees, $15,015; Kettle River Quarry company, filing fees, $515; the Sperry-Hutchinson company, filing fees, $1,015; Omaha Bridge and Terminal company, $5,000; making total collections, $21,545.

Total salaries paid in the office, including all clerical help for the same time amounts to $18,000, in round numbers, or to be exact, $17,740.96.

There is pending and unsettled the following: Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry Co., filing fee, $250,015; Cudahy Packing Co., filing fee, $120,15; Chicago Great Western Ry. Co., $105,000;

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will be asked to pass within a very few days will total $1,460,000 in round numbers, so Chairman E. R. Moore of the house appropriations committee estimates. This is within $40,000 of the amount of funds at the disposal of the committee which have in charge the disbursement of the state money. Chairman Moore explained that the $40,000 must be left in the state treasury so as to keep the ship of state from going on the rocks during the period from July to October, when there are no taxes coming in. The house appropriations committee has but three little bills left, and these, while of little importance, will be recommended for indefinite postponement. The senate appropriations committee is taking similar actions with appropriations bill. In short, both committees have gone the limit, and it is a most worthy cause which will now be recognized with an appropriation.

Board is Cleared.

In the house committee on suppression of intemperance the board has practically been cleared and everything recommended for passage. Among the bills sent out with approval are the measure requiring a new petition of consent every two years, the Moon bill limiting the number of saloons to one for every 800 persons in cities of the first class and the substitute for the Van Law bill providing that none except a qualified elector can own or operate a saloon and attaching more regulations.

No Liquor on Trains

No more may dining cars on Iowa trains sell intoxicating liquors. The house of representatives passed the senate bill prohibiting drinking on trains and in the opinion of attorneys in the legislature the act puts a quietus to the sale of liquor in dining cars for consumption while on the train.

John Sullivan sought to have the law amended to give members of the train crew the power to act as officers and arrest offenders, but this was lost and they are only permitted to eject offenders from the train and call upon local officers to take them into custody.

Swift Bill Modified

After numerous ups and downs the Swift bill providing a penalty for failure upon the part of a railroad company to comply with the order of the railroad commission, passed the senate. It has been modified considerably since it left the house of representatives, and in its present form the penalty does not begin to run immediately if an appeal is taken and the judge of the court holds that it is in good faith and remits the penalty

Appointed Two Aides.

Governor Carroll has appointed Representative Ernest R. Moore of Cedar Rapids and Representative William Larrabee, Jr., of Fayette county as members of his staff to serve as aides. Both officers will have the title of colonel. Both Col. Moore and Col. Larrabee are full fledged soldiers. Both served for years in the Iowa National Guard and both spent over a year in Cuba during the Spanish-American war. Both are exceptionally popular among their legislative associates and the announcement of their appointment on the governor's staff gives general satisfaction.

Senate Approves Gypsum Mine Bill.

The much-discussed gypsum mining bill, which has failed to pass in legislatures for ten years or more, was sanctioned by the senate after having been amended so as to provide that the examining board shall consist of a coal miner, a coal operator, a gypsum miner, a gypsum operator and an engineer. The bill extends the laws regarding coal mine inspection so as to cover the gypsum mines of the state, most of which are located in Webster county.

House Refuses Taxation Measure.

For the second time during the session the lower house refused to change the method of taxing real estate mortgages and defeated the Calkins bill providing for the deduction of the value of the mortgage from the assessment against the real estate and assessing the mortgage to the holder in the county where the land is located.

To Make Butter Tubs.

In olden days all one had to do to stir up a fuss was to introduce a bill in the legislature providing for convict made binding twine. But the house passed the Byerly bill permitting Anamosa convicts to make butter tubs and voted down Boettger's amendment providing that the butter tubs should be labeled "convict made."

Insanity Hearing Needs Funds.

Chairman Henry Brandes of the house committee to investigate charges of cruelty in the state insane hospitals, has put in a bill for expenses thus far of $327.99. The bill is accompanied by a complete list of the witnesses, mileage, expenses of the committee as it went to the state institutions, etc.

To Scrutinize Printing Bills.

Representative Judge Crozier of Marion county is convinced that more printed matter is being ground out by the state of Iowa than is necessary. He has introduced a resolution calling upon the committee on retrenchment and reform to take an inventory of all matter printed and report back as to how much is necessary and how much could be dispensed with.

Hanson Bill Amended.

Amendments were placed by the senate upon the Hanson bill relating to penalties for violation of the pure food laws, allowing packers of products to show in case of failure of a package to contain the amount specified upon the outside, that the difference was on account of shrinkage, the burden of proof being upon the defendant.

New Military Code.

The bill to provide a military code for Iowa as passed provides an annual appropriation of $140,000 for the Iowa National Guard and increases the salary of Adjutant General Logan from $2,000 to $2,200. It provides for adding 1,000 men to the guard, the purchase of four field guns and other improvements.

No Reorganization of Board.

Representative Grier sought to have passed his bill reorganizing the pharmacy commission by putting one commissioner on a salary of $1,800 and his associates on the pay roll for not to exceed $200 per year, thus doing away with the pernicious per diem system. But the house voted down the bill.

Showing the Farmer.

The state board of control is showing the farmers in the Iowa legislature how to manage a test of seed corn. In the first floor corridor of the state house the board has a half dozen boxes of tested corn and the miniature cornfield is attracting much attention.

Avoid Attending School.

Representative Boe secured the passage by the house of representatives of a bill which will make it possible for children to avoid attending school under the compulsory law if they are attending confirmation classes for one-half day out of the week.

Hits Church Fairs and Raffles.

Senator Hammill's anti-gambling bill, which hits church fairs and raffles and which passed the senate, was reported for passage in the house of representatives.

Tax on Monies and Credits.

The Ward bill, for a tax on monies and credits, was quietly killed by the ways and means committee.

HARDSHIPS OF ARMY LIFE.

Left Thousands of Veterans with Kidney Trouble.

The experience of David W. Martin, a retired merchant of Bolivar, Mo., is just like thousands of others. Mr. Martin says: "I think I have had kidney disease ever since the war. During an engagement my horse fell on me, straining my back and injuring the kidneys. I have been told I had a floating kidney. I had intense pain in the back, headaches and dizzy spells, and the action of the bladder very irregular. About three years ago I tried Doan's Kidney Pills and inside of a comparatively short time was entirely rid of kidney trouble."

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PROBABLY HARDEST OF ALL.

Wifey's Addition to List of Her Household Duties of Course Was Not Personal.

After dinner the other evening Mr. and Mrs. Brown started to speak of their respective duties, and soon an argument as to whether the husband or the wife had the hardest work to perform was in full swing. First Brown warbled, and then wifey sang.

"A wife," argued the good lady, "has to cook, wash dishes, clothe the kids, scrub the floors, sweep the house, make the beds, build the fires, carry up coal, nail slats on the back fence, dig—"

"Is that all?" sarcastically interrupted Mr. Brown.

"No," was the prompt rejoinder of Mrs. Brown. "In addition to those duties every wife has to keep her husband from making a fool of himself?"—Philadelphia Telegraph.

TOTAL LOSS OF HAIR

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His Record.

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When George Ade was coming from New Orleans last winter he noticed among the race-track men on the train one tan-shoed sheet writer with the largest feet he had ever seen.

And he furthermore testifies and affirms that the sheet writer, on rising in the morning, discovered that the reporter had shined one shoe and a suit-case.—Success Magazine.

Don't Be Misled.

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GENERAL WILLIAM BOOTH

EN. BOOTH ON EIGHTIETH BIRTHDAY STARTS NEW PLAN

teran Founder of Salvation Army Launches cheme for "University of Humanity" in the United States---All the World Celebrates Anniversary of His Birth.

ew York.—Gen. William Booth, der and commander-in-chief of the ation Army, celebrated his eight- birthday on Saturday, April 10, the event was made the occasion rejoicing all over the civilized ld. The Army itself held big meet- in every city and town where it tablished, and these were partici- d in by hundreds of thousands of r citizens who were glad to do or to the distinguished philan- ist.

n. Booth himself presided over ral monster mass meetings in don. His advanced age and the that he was operated on recently cataract did not deter him from g part in the celebrations held by devoted soldiers.

iversity of Humanity Launched.

America the day was marked cially by the launching of another en. Booth's original schemes for l reform in the United States. very post of the army was an- ced the beginning of work to d a University of Humanity, a t institute for the training of ers in social service. The uni- ty will be divided between New and Chicago, and it is expected gin with a fund of $1,000,000. The ering of this fund is the work the army now enters upon in memoration of its famous leader's pletion of his eightieth year.

a much-needed stone in the great nizational structure that William h has been building during the 47 years, this idea of a school he systematic training of his ers has been in his mind for sev- years. On his last visit to the ed States the general made his tentative announcement of the Since then he has worked out of the details and he has just ented to the beginning of pre- ary work in this country where eed for trained workers has been cially great.

other religious organization in world's history has branched out so many departments of philan- c effort and absorbed them as of its religious duties.

Need of Trained Workers.

e scheme for a University of Hu- ty grew naturally out of the de- yment of the 20 other depart- . With a field as wide as the itself the work of the Salvation is only limited by the number rkers that can be secured and ectiveness by the understanding rnestness of these workers. As work has grown from local ef- forts to help a few into a great inclusive movement which must miss none, the problems of organization have grown greater. Charity has become a science and its application an art requiring the highest development of personal qualities of insight and altruism. There is thus pressing need for workers of quite exceptional qualification. These qualifications must first of all be inherent and must then be developed by experience and special training.

This is the new work planned by Gen. Booth. Those women, for instance, who are to go among the slums of the big cities must not only have the desire to help but must know how real helpfulness can best be secured. They must understand by a study of practical sociology something of the social forces that create this poverty and crime and wretchedness. They must understand the danger of the unwise charity that merely increases dependence and understand the value of better living conditions in raising the moral courage of those to whom fate has been unkind. They must be able not only to correct home conditions themselves but to impart their knowledge and to inspire with a desire for betterment.

Value of the Organization.

This will be but a small part of the university's training in social service as planned by the patriarchal evangelist, but it serves to show of what value such an organization will be.

Of the general's plan for the university he himself said recently: "I want to train men and women to deal with misfortune. I want them instructed to combat with the weaknesses and sins of the drunkard, the criminal, the pauper and the would-be suicide."

At 80 years of age the head of the Salvation Army, after more than half a century of almost unceasing activity, is as vigorous and untiring as at any time in his career. The inexhaustible vitality and intellectual and physical activity of this social reformer, philanthropist, preacher, author and traveler are marvelous. At fourscore he is traveling many thousands of miles over the world every year, controlling the destinies of his more than 7,000 corps of Salvation soldiery with their 18,000 commissioned officers, distributed among every civilized country, preaching constantly to vast audiences and doing an amount of literary work that would be a factor to many a professional author with no other occupation.

William Booth was born on April 10, 1829, in Nottingham, England, and was trained for the Methodist ministry which he entered and became one of the strongest evangelistic forces in that church. He grew dissatisfied, however, at reaching only those with some religious training and conviction. He felt that there were thousands whose need was far greater and he gravitated to the East end of London where wretchedness of all kinds was the rule.

In a disused burial ground on Mile End road he pitched an old tent and the first Salvationist meeting was held in that tent in 1861. The fiery eloquence of the earnest young preacher caught the attention of a crowd of poor Whitechapelers and before that first meeting was over he had made several conversions, a performance that he has been repeating throughout the world for 47 years.

This first meeting resulted in the formation of the Christian mission, from which it was the evangelist's custom to send his converts to the existing churches of the locality, but finding that they were not welcomed and were in danger of slipping back from sheer want of comradeship and oversight, he set about forming societies of the converted. These he found to be a potent agency for bringing in more, as the heedless East ender could be impressed by the words of a former "pal" when he would not listen to a minister. So was created the central idea of the Salvation Army.

The need of organization becomes apparent, but several methods were tried with little success before Gen. Booth hit upon the military idea and named his organization the Salvation Army. From that time on the movement grew amazingly and it has continued to grow without ceasing to this day.

Spread Over the World.

The movement began spreading to other countries of the world in 1881 when it first reached the United States through the influence of a silk-weaver who had emigrated from Coventry, England, bringing with him the Salvation Army idea and a strong desire to continue in the work. It reached Australia in the same year through a milk dealer from Stepney, and soon afterwards the first Canadian corps was organized in a similar fashion.

Five years later, in 1886, the general made the first of many visits to the American branches of the army and he has seen them grow from a few small corps into a veritable army of tremendous influence and unsurpassed efficiency. His first great world-tour was made in 1891, when he visited South Africa, Australia and India. Since then he has visited the United States, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and India four times, South Africa twice and Japan and the Holy Land each once.

During all these travels the actual executive responsibility for the government of the army has never been lifted from his shoulders. Even on shipboard he is an indefatigable worker, planning and writing through the days.

Gen. Booth Honored.

One of the most remarkable of the many tributes paid to the general by the great of the world was that of the mikado of Japan during the visit to that country. The mikado personally received the general with great warmth and he was accorded remarkable ovations in Yokohama, Tokyo, Sendai and Kyoto, a circumstance of strange import when it is realized that Japan is not a Christian country.

Another interesting distinction given Gen. Booth was the conferring on him of the degree of doctor of civil law by Oxford university. The significance of this honor will be better understood when it is stated those who received university honors with him at the time were Prince Arthur of Connaught, the prime minister of England, the lord chancellor, the speaker, Sir E. Grey, the archbishop of Armagh, Sir Evelyn Wood, the American ambassador, Mark Twain and Rudyard Kipling.

As a writer Gen. Booth is remarkable, both as a stylist, as a thinker and as a producer. He has written in all 21 volumes, besides innumerable articles for the army publications. His best-known book is "In Darkest England and the Way Out," in which he outlined his scheme for social reform by means of colonization. "The Training of Children," "Love, Marriage and the Home," and his books on reform are among the others of the general's best-known literary productions.

Of his creed the general has written very beautifully. He says:

"The simplicity of our creed has been, as I believe it will remain, one of the principal helps to our unity. We stand for the old truths. The faith which can be interpreted in terms of duty, of unselfishness, of purity, of love to God and man, is the only faith we really care about. Whatever may be the case with the select minority, the consciousness of sin, the force of evil habit and the consciousness of sin and the influence of passion, are all vivid realities with the great masses of the population. To them we bring the promise of deliverance by Jesus Christ."

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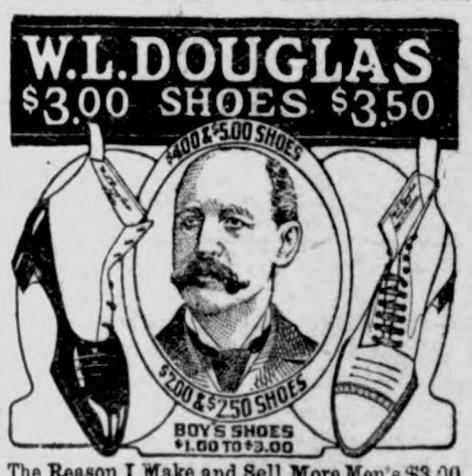

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In Philadelphia they tell a story of a man whose wife had arranged an "authors' evening," and persuaded her reluctant husband to remain at home and help her receive the 50 guests who were asked to participate in this intellectual feast.

The first author was dull enough, but the second was worse. Moreover, the rooms were intolerably warm. So, on pretense of letting in some cool air, the unfortunate host escaped to the hall, where he found a servant comfortably asleep on the settee.

"Wake up," sternly commanded the Philadelphian in the man's ear. "Wake up, I say. You must have been listening at the keyhole."—Harper's Magazine.

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CAESAR'S GHOST IN POLITICS.

Nations Still Cling Tenaciously to Notion of Empire.

Even more tenacious has been the hold of Caesar's ghost in politics. There are two forms under which the idea of world government presents itself: One, the dead notion of empire, the thing for which Caesar stood, the very name of the man still clinging on in the words czar and kaiser, and the name of his idea remaining in the word emperor; the other, the living idea of federation. When we have come to understand the nature of ghost rule we wonder no longer at some political phenomena otherwise absolutely incomprehensible. Why, for instance, does each nation now strive for the chimera of military preparedness? Germany, England and Japan levy an intolerable tax of money and blood to maintain their armies; the nations are in perpetual travail to bring fourth battleship after battleship. If you go to the bottom of the reason of all this you find no reason at all, or a silly one. For it is manifestly impossible for any one nation to conquer all the others. You ask yourself why one international fleet and army could not be supported, to be at the command of one international court, thus to settle all disputes and enforce all decisions. The answer plainly is that this question is mere living, mortal common sense, and hence a puny thing to put against the age-old, dead ghost-principle of empire.—Atlantic Weekly.

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THOUGHTS OF MAN IN COMMAND.

Just What the Captain of a Battleship Actually Feels.

How the commander of a modern big American battleship can feel is disclosed in the following, taken from a letter written by such an officer: "There are more than 900 men on this ship, and, on the theory that an official of the government is a servant of the people, I am the servant of these 900 odd men and am bound to see that they are kept in food and clothing and baseball bats—and abundantly supplied with occupation. Perhaps I should feel more independent if I didn't have to listen respectfully to the orderly every time he comes in and makes one of his infinitely numerous reports, and put men in jail when I don't want to.

"Some of these 900 men look more dignified and independent than I feel. I wonder whether I look dignified and independent. I suppose I ought to do so, for to swing a steel mass 504 feet long successfully around like monsters, and to make 15,000 tons writhe around the corners of narrow channels, is something of an art, after all, and one not possessed by many of the inhabitants of the globe.

"With all that swinging of steel monsters around there go the responsibility and the knowledge that if the ship runs aground the whole civilized world will be acquainted with it inside of 24 hours."

AGE NOT COUNTED BY YEARS.

Just What It Means Is a Matter Hard to Determine.

This is Walt Mason's story: A few days ago an aged man was planted in a little Kansas cemetery. That he was highly thought of was evidenced by the long cortege that followed the plumed hearse to the City of Rest. Friends stood by the open grave and shed real tears, yet none of them would have called him back to life had that been possible. For he had died of old age and consequent infirmities; the toil and tribulations of 75 years had battered him down; and for a long time before his death he merely went through the motion of living.

"He was an old, old man," said the mourners, as they turned away from the grave, when the clods had been heaped upon the coffin lid.

"His age wasn't hurting him any," responded a white-haired man, who stood by the newly made grave, leaning upon a stick. The speaker was the dead man's father. He was 98 years old.

What is old age?—Kansas City Journal.

Suburban Compensations.

"I do find it inconvenient to live out of town, of course," declared a suburbanite, 'but it has its compensations. My husband and sons travel by train, and always have seats without having to secure them at the cost of letting women stand.

"After I have ridden in the subway," she continued. "I come home perfectly satisfied to put up with anything I have to by living out of town rather than let my husband and sons become such hogs as the men seem to me to be who ride in the subway, securing seats for themselves and looking indifferently at the numbers of women hanging wearily by the straps, being knocked about and jostled every time a passenger gets on or off the car."—New York Times.

Mme. Jusselin, Commercial Judge.

Don't forget her name. Mme. Clemence Jusselin is the first woman ever elected to any public office in France. She is the lady who was put up as representative of her profession as dressmaker, and she it is who will now decide in the trade disputes. Her title is commercial judge. Strange to say, Mme. Jusselin has been elected entirely by men. Stop, though; perhaps it would have been stranger if she had been chosen by her own sex. She regards her election as "an almost historic event, for it is something to be proud of to be the first woman in France to hold such a position." But let madame be wary, go slow. A commercial judge's judgments will create a stir in many quarters, and this one may not find her role so easy.

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CHARGE CUDAHYS WITH FRAUD

PACKING COMPANY INDICTED ON 659 COUNTS AT TOPEKA.

Federal Grand Jury Charges Use of Coloring and Evasion of Law—Denied by Company Official.

Topeka, Kan.—The Cudahy Packing Company of Kansas City, Kan., is charged in indictments returned by the federal grand jury Friday with defrauding the government out of $125,000 by violating the law relating to oleomargarine. There are 695 counts, for each of which the penalty is $1,000.

The revenue law provides that each pound of uncolored oleomargarine must bear a revenue stamp of a quarter of a cent, but that on each pound to which coloring matter has been added to give it the appearance of butter, a ten-cent revenue stamp must be attached.

It is charged in the indictments that the Cudahy Company has sold the colored product under the quarter of a cent tax and consequently has defrauded the government out of large sums.

Inspectors have been working on the case several months and have secured samples sold in towns and cities from New York to Seattle and from Duluth to Jacksonville.

Every sample now in the hands of the government experts bears the identification mark of the inspector who purchased it, as well as the analysis which shows that it contains coloring matter.

It is claimed by the government officials that the Cudahy Company has succeeded in monopolizing the oleomargarine market by selling the colored product and paying the tax on the basis of uncolored, there being a difference of 9¾ cents a pound. By this means, it is claimed, they were enabled to undersell other manufacturers and control the market.

While this criminal action, which provides for a minimum fine of $695,000, will be prosecuted, District Attorney Bene says it does not end the matter. He will bring a civil action against the company to have the plant and machinery used in the manufacture of oleomargarine confiscated.

Washington.—Internal revenue officials said government agents have examined a very large number of samples of oleomargarine in many parts of the country sold by the Cudahy company, and that while it would not be expedient to estimate the amount of taxes involved in the alleged frauds, it is known that the officials believe it will be in excess of $125,000, and possibly a much larger sum.

OHIO RIVER STEAMER SINKS.

Fifty Panic-Stricken Passengers Saved by Crew When the Virginia Goes Down.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Following a remarkable series of accidents and a tempestuous voyage, the steamer Virginia, from Cincinnati, O., to Pittsburg, was finally wrecked in the Ohio river at Wellsville, O., Tuesday night.

The boat, the largest plying the upper Ohio, went down close to shore after striking a rock and tearing a hole three feet long in the hull. The passengers, numbering 50, in a highly nervous condition as a result of minor accidents earlier in the evening, became panic-stricken when the vessel met with the last accident, and it was with difficulty a crew of 75 men restrained them.

Although handcapped by darkness, a high wind and drenching rain, the crew managed to place the passengers safely in boats and put them ashore. From here they were taken, scantily clad, to a fire engine house in Wellsville, O., and later reached the warmth of a hotel in a patrol wagon.

When some distance from shore the steamer struck an obstruction with terrific force. The boat jarred mightily and the passengers were thrown from their berths.

ROB ILLINOIS BANK OF $1,900

Woodlawn Institution, However, Is Insured Against Desperadoes—Bandits at Wellsville, Mo.

Mount Vernon, Ill.—The bank at Woodlawn, a small town seven miles west of here on the Louisville & Nashville railroad, was robbed Thursday. Five masked men dynamited the safe, wrecking it and the interior of the building, and escaped with $1,900 in currency. The bank was insured against robbery.

Wellsville, Mo.—Four masked robbers blew open the safe of the post office here and escaped with a small quantity of stamps and one registered letter. The explosion aroused the town, but citizens were held back at the points of revolvers.

CAUSE IS UNKNOWN

MILK SERVED TO STUDENTS CONTAINS NO POISON.

SYMPTONS INDICATE POISON

Ten Students of Des Moines College Among Number—Analysis of Milk Fails to Solve Puzzle.

Des Moines, Ia., April 19.—As the result of drinking supposedly impure milk, ten students of Des Moines college were under the care of physicians Friday and Saturday. It is thought that all are out of danger.

All of the ten students took lunch at a boarding house. Although there were several other boarders, only ten became ill.

State Food and Dairy Commissioner Wright and Assistant State Chemist W. S. Frisbie made an analysis of the milk which was believed to be responsible for the ptomaine poisoning and failed to find any poison in the milk. This does not, however, exclude the possibility that it may have contained poisonous substances, which, Chemist Frisbie says, might have evaporated after the milk was obtained for the test.

None of the victims are dead and early this morning it was thought to be certain that all will recover.

Big Nebraska Prairie Fire.

Merriam, Neb., April 19.—Telephone communication with Gordon and Rockford, which are in the zone of last night's fire, was cut off by flames and little is known here of the result, except that the fire was still burning. The fire split ten miles west of Gordon and began burning in two directions, but at last reports it was believed further serious progress would be stopped by an approaching rain storm. No word has been received from the burned section up to a late hour.

Nevada Boy Kills His Brother.

Nevada, Ia., April 19.—"Tell papa and mamma good-by" were the last words of the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Heard of Zearing yesterday morning. Mr. Heard was going to the barn to shoot a heifer. The two children learning of this started there before him. The younger child, 8 years of age, was placing the cartridges in the gun when it was exploded and the 12-year-old boy was the victim.

S. A. R. to Meet.

Des Moines, Ia., Apr. 19.—More than a hundred Sons of the American Revolution will meet at the Shrine temple, to attend the annual meeting of the order. Delegates from all parts of the state began arriving in the city Sunday and some came as early as Saturday to attend the performance of "Ben Bur," to remain in the city until the close of the convention.

MUCH DANGER BY STORM.

American Consul Attacked.

Mobile, Ala., April 19.—It is learned here an attack was made on American Consul Hutchinson at Tela, Honduras, April 8, while the consul was walking with a friend who was attacked by a native, who used a knife, cutting Hutchinson on the hand and inflicting a scalp wound. The native was captured.

Big Smelting Co. Bankrupt.

Iola, Kan., April 19.—Upon application of Alton B. Parker, acting upon the part of the Trust Company of America, trustees for the bondholders J. O. Rogers was appointed receiver for the Lanyon Zinc company, one of the larget smelting works in the world.

Iowa Commits Suicide.

Paris, April 18.—Wm. E. Bainbridge of Council Bluffs, Iowa, a special agent of the United States treasuray department, who has been attached to the consulate here, committed suicide today by shooting. It is believed that Mr. Bainbridge was temporarily in sane.

Commits Suicide.

Des Moines, Ia., April 19.—After swallowing a pint of whisky, M. M. Elam, of Corydon, a traveling salesman for the Red Cross Vinegar company of St. Louis, ended his life by sending a 32-caliber bullet through his brain while in his room at the Kirkwood hotel Sunday night.

Funds For the Census.

Washington, D. C., April 19.—The census appropriation bill, providing $10,000,000 for the expense incident to the first two years of the collection of data for the thirteenth census, will be introduced by Representative Tawney.

GOING UP.

15 DIE IN A HOTEL FIRE

FRISCO HOSTELRY ABLAZE AS PATRONS SLEEP.

Nearly 200 in Bed When Flames Start—Bodies Taken from Ruins.

San Francisco.—Six bodies recovered and eight or ten others buried in the ruins; six injured, one fatally, and property loss of $125,000, are the results of a fire Friday that destroyed the St. George hotel, a lodging house for laborers at Howard and Eighth streets, and eight other small buildings. The bodies taken to the morgue were so charred that identification was impossible.

The hotel was a three-story frame building and burned so rapidly that none of the 180 guests had time to dress, and many escaped by jumping to the roof of an adjoining workshop. Scores clambered down the ladders of the firemen and the fire escapes, and at least four jumped to safety into the net held by the fire fighters.

When the fire was discovered shortly after three o'clock, Night Clerk Arthur Gronhk, three or four other employes, and Policeman W. F. Kruger ran through the house arousing the sleeping tenants.

In the smoke-filled halls they directed the half-crazed men to the exits. Great confusion and panic prevailed, so that it was with great difficulty that men were able to find their way through the labyrinth of halls which threaded the 400 small rooms.

Firemen and police worked heroically, and but for their efforts the loss of life would have been much greater.

Two hundred people were in the hotel when the fire broke out. One hundred and thirty of these were regular boarders, and the rest transients. Of the regular boarders 30 were unaccounted for, but many of them escaped in the confusion, and neglected to report their safety.

Rochester, N. Y.—The act of a fire bug which Tuesday rendered 1,000 persons homeless, when flames swept the city, has caused terror here. The militia is parading the streets guarding the few articles of furniture saved by the victims.

Swept along in the face of a 25-mile gale, the fire destroyed several sections of the city and did damage estimated at $1,000,000. It is believed the fire is of incendiary origin and the police are investigating.

Prison for Soul Mater.

Chicago.—Marion Grey of the Searchlight club of Elgin, Ill., must serve one year in a prison cell for her work in mating souls of rich but lonesome men and handsome but lovesick widows.

Judge Landis' sentence in the case was Tuesday affirmed by the United States circuit court of appeals. No error was found in the records and the attorney for the girl matrimonial agent, Elijah N. Zoline, who took her case after a reported squabble between Miss Grey and her trial counsel, was informed in the decision that "if any error was committed it was invited error."

SOUNDS ROOSEVELT PRAISE.

Senator Cummins Places Ex-President Ahead of Washington and Lauds Aldrich and Cannon.

Washington.—Senator Albert B. Cummins, the strenuous former governor of Iowa, who succeeded Senator Allison in the upper house of congress, jarred the Men's club of Mount Pleasant Congregational church with the statement that Roosevelt was greater than Washington.

While his hearers were trying to adjust themselves to that point of view, Senator Cummins ran in the statement that Daniel Webster was a dub compared with Senator Aldrich, and that Henry Clay was not in Speaker Cannon's class.

"Theodore Roosevelt," said the senator in his talk to the church club, "I consider a stronger man than George Washington, the 'Father of His Country.' Perhaps this sounds like treason, but it is not meant for that. Theodore Roosevelt, it is well known, faced problems day after day which Gen. Washington could never have met with success, but from which he would have had to recoil helpless.

GOTCH AN EASY WINNER.

World's Wrestling Champion Defeats Turk in Two Straight Falls Without Trouble.

Chicago. — Frank Gotch of Iowa, the world's heavyweight wrestling champion, Wednesday night in Dexter Park pavilion easily defeated Yusiff Mahmout, the latest importation of "terrible Turks." Gotch won the match in straight falls.

It took the champion only eight minutes to pin the shoulders of Mahmout to the mat in the first fall. The Turk stayed one minute longer when they faced each other the next time and went down after nine minutes of struggling. Gotch showed his superiority at every angle of the game and the great crowd was surprised as well as disappointed at the poor showing of Yussif.

Cotch won both falls with a crotch and half nelson and made no effort to get his famous toe hold on the Turk.

Celebrated Defaulter Free.

Ossining, N. Y. — A celebrated defalcation case was recalled by the release from Sing Sing prison of Cornelius J. Alvord, formerly note teller of the First National bank of New York city. Alvord was sentenced to a total of 13 years' imprisonment on January 16, 1901, for making false entries in the books of the first National bank to cover up defalcations said to have aggregated $620,000, extending over a period of several years.

Nelson to Fight McFarland.

Chicago. — Battling Nelson and Packey McFarland Friday signed an agreement to fight for the lightweight championship of the world before James Coffroth's club at Colma, Cal., July 5. The winner gets 75 and the loser 25 per cent. of the receipts. They are to weigh 133 pounds at eight o'clock in the morning and the battle is to take place at 2:30 in the afternoon.

MURDER ARMENIAN

SLAYING OF TWO MOSLEMS AVENGED BY 6,000 ENRAGED TURKS.

AMERICANS ARE IN DANGER

Massacre Occurs at Mersina While the Christians Have Missionaries—Mutinous Marines Lynch Vice-Admiral in Constantinople.

Constantinople.—Reports from Mersina, a seaport of Asia Minor on the Mediterranean, Thursday, told of a massacre of Armenians by Turks in which it is feared many were killed.

Enraged at the murder of two Moslems by an Armenian and the fact that the assassin was not apprehended, the Mohammedan population of Mersina, which counts a total of 10,000 inhabitants, took the law into its own hands and attacked the Armenian quarters.

The Christian communities of Mersina are appealing to the consuls here for help.

Two American missions are represented at Mersina.

The trouble at Mersina is in no way connected with the political upheaval at Constantinople of the last two days. It involves a recrudescence of the Armenian question, which is religious and racial, and has nothing to do with the internal policies of Turkey.

Mersina is 36 miles by rail southeast of the city of Adana. It counts 6,000 Mohammedans and some 3,000 Christians. It has a station of the synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North America and an outstation of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions. The record of 1907 shows that Rev. C. Dodds, Rev. R. J. Dodds and Miss Evadna M. Sterrett were stationed at Mersina.

The third day of the revolutionary movement in this city was marked by some disorders, the most serious of which was a demonstration by the marines, who objected to the new minister of marine, Vice-Admiral Adjemin Pasha. The marines gathered in force Thursday and seized and conveyed to the palace Arif Bey, commander of the battleship Assari-Tewfik, a member of the Committee of Union and Progress, who ordered the guns of his ship trained on the Yildiz Kiosk when the rising was at its height, with the intention of supporting the committee.

Arrived at the Yildiz Kiosk the marines lynched Arif Bey, notwithstanding the efforts of the palace guard to save him. Although public confidence is by no means restored by the formation of the new cabinet, an excellent impression has been produced by the appointment of Nazim Pasha as commander of the First Army corps, and this has been strengthened by the nomination of Memduh Pasha, another ablo Adrianople officer, to command the First division at Constantinople. Both hem Pasha, the new minister of war and Nazim Pasha made the round of the barracks in the city and exhorted the soldiers to obey their officers. They were well received and cheered.

Constantinople. — Information received here Friday from Adana, in Asiatic Turkey, declares that two American missionaries have been killed in the anti-Armenian outbreak at that place.

Ambassador Leishman instructed the American vice-consul at Mersina, John Debbas, to proceed immediately to Adana and report on the situation.

France has sent two warships to the scene.

TWO BLOWN TO ATOMS.

Explosion of a Nitroglycerin Factory at Gordon, Ill., Is Felt Twenty-Five Miles Away.

Sullivan, Ind.—With a detonation which was heard for 25 miles, the shock of which was felt in an area of 50 miles, the nitroglycerin factory at Gordon, Ill., across the Wabash river from this place, was destroyed by a terrific explosion late Thursday afternoon.

Charles Deweis and Moses Land were blown to atoms. Owing to the fact that Gordon has no long distance telephone communication and that the connection with the farm lines was destroyed by the explosion, the first rumors of the loss of life were exaggerated, one report putting the number of killed at 30. The fact, however, is that only two men were allowed to work in the factory at one time.

Old Battleship Made Over.

New York. — After being out of commission for more than two years the old battleship Massachusetts sailed out of the Brooklyn navy yard Thursday with a full complement of officers and men. The vessel was built by the Cramps in 1893 and has been largely made over so that she is almost as good as the battleships of much later types.

AILING WOMEN.

the Kidneys Well and the Kidneys Will Keep You Well.

k, suffering, languid women are ing the true cause of bad backs and how to cure them. Mrs. W. G. Davis, of Groesbeck, Texas, says: "Backaches hurt me so I could hardly stand. Spells of dizziness and sick headaches were frequent and the action of the kidneys was irregular.

after I began taking Doan's Kid- Pills I passed several gravel es. I got well and the trouble has returned. My back is good and ng, and my general health is bet-

ld by all dealers. 50 cents a box. er-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

GOING THE PACE.

ortoise—What, have you started a or car?
hail—Yes, one must move with the es, you know.

Intruder Among the War Dogs.

Prof William Lyon Phelps of Yale t to West Point last fall to lec- e. He was lecturing in the chapel, cadets were rigidly paying at- tion, erect, eyes front, each man ramrod of military etiquette. An h setter entered the chapel door ambled sniffingly down the aisle up on to the platform. The ca- s squirmed under the eagle eyes of ir officers but not a man smiled. lly" noticed the strain. He looked n at the dog wagging its tail benev- ntly on the rostrum. "What! w's this?" said Prof. Phelps. "A ter? Why, I expected to see noth- but West Pointers up here."— e Alumni Weekly.

The Missionary Mule.

"That mule," said the old farmer, "is at I call a 'missionary mule,' an' I'll you why: It throwed one man on head, an' when the man wuz able be up an' about ag'in, he went to achin'; an' the last time the sheriff me to levy on that mule the critter cked him 'cross the county line, whar y wuz holdin' a campmeetin' an' blest ef the sheriff didn't git relig- an' quit runnin' fer office—w'ich z oncommon hard to do, seein' that office habit run in his blood. I tell u, nuthin' in this here worl' is to be spised, w'en as humble a critter as mule kin be a missionary!"

Offensive Advice.

"Madam," said the medical man, avely, "you must practice filling ur lungs with deep breaths of pure ."
"An' bust the smithereens out of my w direct'ry gown," sniffed the lady. think I see myself."
And turning on her high heels she ughtily left the apartment.—Cleve- nd Plain Dealer.

"COFFEE DOESN'T HURT ME"

Tales That Are Told.

"I was one of the kind who wouldn't lieve that coffee was hurting me," ys a N. Y. woman. "You just couldn't nvince me its use was connected th the heart and stomach trouble I ffered from most of the time.
"My trouble finally got so bad I d to live on milk and toast almost tirely for three or four years. Still oved the coffee and wouldn't believe could do such damage.
"What I needed was to quit coffee d take nourishment in such form as y stomach could digest.
"I had read much about Postum, t never thought it would fit my case til one day I decided to quit coffee d give it a trial and make sure about So I got a package and carefully llowed the directions.
"Soon I began to get better and was ble to eat carefully selected foods ithout the aid of pepsin or other di- estants and it was not long before I as really a new woman physically.
"Now I am healthy and sound, can t anything and everything that mes along and I know this wonder- l change is all due to my having it coffee and got the nourishment I eded through this delicious Postum.
"My wonder is why everyone don't ve up the old coffee and the troubles at go with it and build themselves up I have done, with Postum."
Easy to prove by 10 days' trial of ostum in place of coffee. The reward big.
"There's a Reason."
Ever read the above letter? A new e appears from time to time. They e genuine, true, and full of human terest.

PORK KILLS THREE

MEMBERS OF SIOUX CITY FAMILY ARE ALSO ILL.

TRICHINA IS CAUSE OF DEATH

Meat Is Served at a Dinner Following a Funeral Which Many Attended.

Sioux City, Ia., April 16.—As a result of eating pork infected with trichina, three members of the family of John Kolpin are dead and three are dangerously ill.

The dead are John Kolpin, Jr., Mrs. John Kolpin, and their 14-year old son, Herbert Kolpin. They died at Galva, their home.

Those seriously ill at the German Lutheran hospital here are: Miss Minna Schuelke, and her brother, Henry Schuelke, both of Aurelia.

Ill at Galva are the following: Miss Minna Peters, Will Poltzin, Henry Holtz, Gustave Drier, John Holtz, Mrs. John Kolpin, Sr., Ella Kolpin and Mrs. William Getzmier.

The victims partook of pork at a dinner following a funeral at the Kolpin home in Galva.

Cora, Lester and Florence Kolpin are in a very dangerous condition at the Sioux City hospital and eleven friends and neighbors at Galva are down with the terrible affliction and the whole town is terribly wrought up over the matter. It takes three weeks for the trichina to develop and make themselves felt, and as most all the friends and neighbors of the Kolpins ran in to help care for them and most all of them partook at some time or other of the deadly sausage the people of Galva are wondering where this terrible death harvest is going to end.

RECEIVERSHIP TO BE ENDED

Great Western Will Be Put On Its Feet by July.

Council Bluffs.—Federal Judge Walter H. Sanborn of St. Paul told attorneys representing the locomotive engineers on the Omaha division of the Chicago, Great Western railroad that the receivership of that road would terminate within the next three or four months. He said there were several ways in which the road could be put on its feet, but that it had not been decided just how reorganization would occur.

Judge Sanborn listened to complaint of engineers who said engineers from other divisions had been brought here and given the best runs, reducing the engineers already on this division to freight trains and switch engines in alleged violation of contract. Judge Sanborn took the matter under advisement and indicated that the matter might be adjusted if he old engineers waived the right to bring damage suits for salary they might have received had they not been reduced.

MAIL CLERKS MEET APRIL 27

Sixth District Association Will Hold Forth in Des Moines.

Des Moines.—The annual meeting of the sixth district Railway Mail association will be held in this city on April 27 and 28. A banquet is to be given on the night of the 28th, at which there will be several well known men on the program as speakers. The Des Moines branch will be host to the visitors. Frank B. Lorey of 621 Tenth street is president of the local branch; H. H. Flanagan, 917 Mary avenue, is vice-president; Geo. W. Batson, 2021 East Fourteenth street, is secretary. The executive committee is composed of G. J. Van Hamert, J. S. Baker and F. M. Burdette.

Shoots Three Persons.

Hutchinson, Kans., April 12.—Horace Schwartz yesterday shot his wife, her brother, at whose home she had taken refuge, and a neighbor, Phineas and Spain. He then tried to end his own life by drinking carbolic acid. Mrs. Schwartz is in a critical condition, but the men were not seriously wounded. Schwartz is in jail. The police say another man aided in the shooting.

First Trip of Season.

Davenport—The government steamer, David Tipton, commonly known as the dentist boat of the United States fleet, in charge of Captain Martin, is now at work in the Burlington-Davenport district removing a few small obstructions in the channel. The steamer is on its first trip of the season.

Son of Ex-Gov. Boies Weds.

Waterloo.—At the home of the bride's parents at Sycamore, Ill., H. B. Boies, son of former Governor Boies, and Miss Faith Hoyt were married Saturday. Miss Hoyt was the teacher of elocution in the Waterloo high school for two years.

PLANS NEW INTERURBAN LINE

Company Negotiates for Old Crooked Creek Property.

Des Moines.—Negotiations now in progress contemplating the purchase by the Ft. Dodge, Des Moines & Southern railway of the old Crooked Creek railroad may result in the addition of another important line to the Ft. Dodge electric road's system. This line would run from Ft. Dodge to Webster City, passing through the rich gypsum fields east of Ft. Dodge. It also would provide electric road service between Webster City and Des Moines.

General Manager J. L. Blake of the Ft. Dodge road admitted that the negotiations for the purchase of the Crooked Creek line are in progress. Physically, the road is in poor condition and extensive building would be required to fit it for good service.

The Crooked Creek railroad extends from Webster City to a point several miles west of Lehigh, a total distance of approximately thirty miles. It has been used for coal, clay and shale hauling. In addition to the rail line the deal includes title to about 1,000 acres of valuable land, rich in clay and shale and thought to hold some coal.

ELEPHANT'S VICTIM IS KNOWN

Mrs. Ida Washington of Oskaloosa Identified Dead Man.

Des Moines.—Frank Bartlow, the man killed by Tom, the big trick elephant of the Robinson circus, has been identified by Mrs. Ida Washington of Oskaloosa. She informed the coroner that his name was Frank and not Charles. He was her cousin. Mrs. Brafford, the Hastings woman, who thought Bartlow was her brother, is now entirely satisfied that she has no claim of relationship to the dead man.

The remains were laid to rest in Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Washington said that Bartlow had been married in Asia while traveling abroad with the Barnum show, and that a wife and four children survive him, although nothing is known of their whereabouts.

EXPECTS 5,000 VETERANS

Ft. Dodge Makes Preparation for G. A. R.

Ft. Dodge.—Preparations for the G. A. R. encampment in June in this city are being made diligently and much is already finally planned for the biggest convention Ft. Dodge has ever had. Neighboring military companies will be here to participate in a big parade and Sons of Veterans, Spanish War Veterans, W. R. C. and the society of relatives of civil war veterans will meet here and participate in the big parade. Ft. Dodge will be called upon to accommodate fully five thousand people and a strenuous campaign is going forward to secure pleasant lodgings and meals for this vast number. Ft. Dodge homes generally are to be opened to the delegates.

Henedy Heads the Teachers.

Iowa City.—The Southeast Iowa Teachers' convention adjourned after an address by Professor L. H. Bailey of Cornell university. At the business meeting officers were elected as follows: President, Superintendent Eugene Henedy, Grinnell; vice-president, C. W. Cruickshank, Mount Pleasant secretary, Miss Mary Vanest, Oskaloosa; treasurer, Professor C. W. Wassam, Iowa City; chairman executive committe, Frank L. Smart, Davenport. The association passed resolutions deploring the defeat of the commission school bill by the legislature.

Webster City Claims Lead.

Webster City.—The close of the municipal fiscal year is at hand and figures can be produced which it is believed will substantiate the claim that Webster City is in the best financial condition of any town in the state of Iowa. The claim is remarkable, because Webster City is a "municipal ownership" town. The claim is also timely because of the decision of the city to do a large amount of paving the coming season.

Train Saved From Wreck.

Iowa City.—A broken break beam on the tender of the engine of the Rocky Mountain Limited train swung in front of the wheels from West Liberty to Iowa City, and if a sudden lurch of the train had thrown the piece of iron into a wheel there would have been a derailment of the tourist train.

Veteran is Fined 1 Cent.

Chicago, April 16.—A fine of 1 cent, to satisfy a technical violation of the law, was imposed by Judge Landis on Henry H. Tebbetts, a notary public and veteran of the civil war, who pleaded guilty to a charge of making a false affidavit for a fellow veteran to aid him in the collection of his pension.

Grief That Kills.

"My poor boy," said the beneficent old clergyman, who had encountered a young waif sobbing in the streets, "what ails you? Some case of dire distress has touched your heart-chords, no doubt."

"No," sniffed the lad, "you're clear off your base, old kazzozicks. Me an' Snippy an' de rest of de fellies tin-canned the mangy, old yellow cur up at Schwarz' grocery, and while old Schwarz an' de gang followed the dog, I sneaked back to the grocery to swipe dried apples. De Fido chased into Schmitt's orchard and de gang cribbed de swellest peaches you ever seen, an' then dey smoked grape-vine cigarettes and set the barn a-fire. I made a sashay into de apple barrel at de grocery, an' de delivery boy pasted me with a bed-slat and it hurts yet, and I didn't get to see de fire, and didn't get nothin' to eat, and I wisht I wuz dead—dog-gone it all!"—The Bohemian Magazine.

Do You Feel Like This?

Does your head ache or simply feel heavy and uncomfortable? Does your back ache? Does your side ache? Do you feel fagged out? The tonic laxative herb tea known as Lane's Family Medicine will clear your head, remove the pain in side or back and restore your strength. Nothing else is so good for the stomach and bowels. At druggists' and dealers', 25c.

Unlikely.

Whale—What are you going to tell your wife when you get home?

Jonah—I don't know; I don't suppose she would believe me if I should tell her that I had been to a fish dinner.—The Bohemian.

Ask Your Druggist for Allen's Foot-Ease.

"I tried ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE recently, and have just bought another supply. It has cured my corns, and the hot, burning and itching sensation in my feet which was almost unbearable, and I would not be without it now.—Mrs. W. J. Walker, Camden, N. J." Sold by all Druggists, 25c.

Deception.

"Did a man ever kiss you against your will?"

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For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

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"I was afflicted for two years with catarrh of the throat. At first it was very slight, but every cold I took made it worse.

"I followed your directions and in a very short time I began to improve. I took one bottle and am now taking my second. I can safely say that my throat and head are cleared from catarrh at the present time, but I still continue to take my usual dose for a spring tonic, and I find there is nothing better."—Mrs. W. Pray, 260 Twelfth St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

There's Danger Ahead

if you've been neglecting a cold. Don't experiment with your health. Get a remedy that you *know* will cure—that remedy is

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There are literally hundreds of thousands of women in the United States who have been benefited by this famous old remedy, which was produced from roots and herbs over thirty years ago by a woman to relieve woman's suffering.

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Camden, N. J.—"It is with pleasure that I send my testimonial for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, hoping it may induce other suffering women to avail themselves of the benefit of this valuable remedy.

"I suffered from pains in my back and side, sick headaches, no appetite, was tired and nervous all the time, and so weak I could hardly stand. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me a well woman—and this valuable medicine shall always have my praise."—Mrs. W. P. Valentine, 902 Lincoln Ave., Camden, N. J.

Erie, Pa.—"I suffered for five years from female troubles, and at last was almost helpless. I tried three doctors but they did me no good. My sister advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has made me well and strong. I hope all suffering women will just give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, for it is worth its weight in gold."—Mrs. J. P. Endlich, R. F. D. 7, Erie, Pa.

Since we guarantee that all testimonials which we publish are genuine, is it not fair to suppose that if Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had the virtue to help these women it will help any other woman who is suffering from the same trouble.

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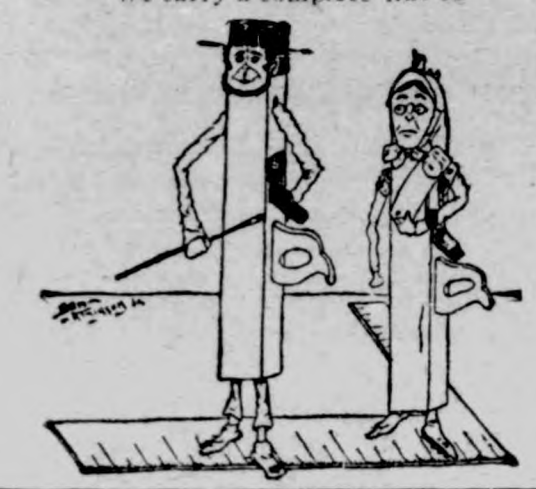

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WOODMAN PICNIC DAY AT BELMOND

Business Men Organize and Make Large Plans for Boosting Celebration.

JUNE 17th SET AS THE DATE.

In response to a call issued by Mayor Griesy last week, an enthusiastic assembly of the business men of this city met at the Woodman Hall for the purpose of formulating plans for the celebration of the Woodman Picnic on June 17th.

In order that the event may be made the one big event of the season and that Belmond may establish an enviable reputation as an entertainer of visitors, it was unanimously decided to pass up Fourth of July celebration and devote every effort to the successful consummation of the picnic project.

Various committees have been appointed and are taking up the duties assigned with a vigor that foretells a big day and a rousing time. The work of publicity is already in hand as well as the financial management and no pains or effort will be spared that may assist in making the event a gala day attended by the biggest crowd ever in the city.—From the Iowa Valley Press, Belmond, Iowa.

WORDS TO FREEZE THE SOUL

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Avery Center.

W. M. Shaver was a Belmond caller Saturday.

Fred Wilkins is attending court this week.

John Bachman is very sick at this writing with typhoid fever.

Mrs. John Heginger was visiting friends at Belmond last week

Vera Cook and wife started for the state of Oregon Monday night.

F. R. Chase lost one of his best cows the cause is not known.

The party given at J. T. Griggs Friday evening was well attended.

The hail storm that swept over this vicinity Saturday night was quite severe.

Geo. Grosz began his spring term of school in Twin Lake township last Monday.

Henry Groens barn was struck with lightning Saturday night and burned it to the ground.

RHEUMATISM

More than nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles due to cold or damp or chronic rheumatism. In such cases no internal treatment is required. The free application of Chamberlain's liniment is all that is needed and it is certain to give quick relief. Give it a trial and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain and soreness. The medicines usually given internally for rhenmatism are poisonous or very strong medicines. The are worse than usual in cases of chronic and muscular rheumatism. For sale by G A Pabst & Co.

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LOCAL NEWS

Read the Times ad on 1st page.

W. R. Bloom was at Dows the first of this week.

C. P. Ell did business at Forest City Monday of this week.

Mrs. H. L. Schuldt and daughter Anna were Garner visitors Tuesday.

Mr. B. H. Luken, one of the proprietors of the Goodell Concrete Mfg. Co., was a Klemme caller Monday.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 5c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Miss Hubbard of Garner, visited with C. C. Suckow and family and others last week Friday and Saturday returning Saturday

Geo. Culp arrived from Garrison, Iowa last week Saturday for a visit with J. W. Scott and family. He returned Tuesday evening.

NOTICE—Cattle wanted to pasture for the summer season on our farm. Plenty of good water and salt furnished.
tf Wm. Baack.

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Mrs. H. Schroeder and son Albert and Miss Selma Schroeder came down from Garner Monday evening and returned to Garner Tuesday. Mrs. Schroeder and son have also been visiting with her folks at Eitzen, Minn. They expect to return to Chicago sometime next week.

If you think of buying a rug it will pay you to look over my stock which consists of Wilton Velvets, Axminsters, Saxony Axminsters, Colonial Velvets and Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 8 x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. Yours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

Iowa State Register—The oration by Mr. H. V. Adams has never been excelled in central Iowa. The speaker held the vast audience spellbound by his matchless oratory. At Klemme Opera House, Tuesday evening, April 27th.

Anton Ahrenkiel was a Britt visitor last week Friday.

Miss Clara Griewe was a Garner visitor Friday of last week.

Attend the lecture at Opera House on Tuesday evening, Apr. 27th.

Albert Fuller left for Buffalo Center today for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. C. Suckow and daughter Fern were Garner callers Saturday last week.

G. Yahnke and his son C. L. Yahnke were Buffalo Center visitors the first of this week.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.
Mrs. L. Mann.

H. Lau and son erected three wind mills on the farms of Peter and Erick Josten and Mrs. H. C. Josten last week.

Miss Aggie Blank visited with her sister Mrs. Wm. F. Lau and family and the Schroeder family at Garrer Saturday last week.

WANTED—Having leased the Schroeder pasture, I will be in a position to pasture your stock the coming season.
36tf Fred C. Griewe.

At the Klemme Opera House on Tuesday evening, Apr. 27th, "A Man with a Subject" by Mr. H. V. Adams who is very highly praised as a lecturer. This will be the last number of the lecture course. All turn out and hear him.

Mr. H. Bowers of Clear Lake was the guest of Art Shoop the latter part of last week. Art returned with him Saturday, going to Britt first and from there to Clear Lake. Mrs Shoop and children returned with him Monday

The weather of the past week has not been the best for our farmers in putting in their spring crop, however there was some work done. It will crowd some of them with their work. Monday of this week we started in with sunshine and hope we will have sunshine the rest of the week.

Grace: Pimples, blotches, rough, shiny skin are from the blood and stomach. A simple and never failing remedy—one that makes clear, healthy complexions, pure blood, perfect digestion, is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Surprise yourself. Tea or tablets 35 cents. G. A Pabst & Co.

Mr. P. Eide of Stora City, who is a representative of the Silo, and J. L Manuel his General Sales Agent of several counties here, were in this locality the first of this week interviewing the farmers. The Silo is a great addition to a farmer raising stock which has been proven in quite a number of counties in this state. There are but a few Silos in Hancock count but it will not be long before our stock farmers will have them when they learn the benefit they derive from them.

SWEPT OVER NIAGRA

The terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings growing ripples and faster current. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—dropsy, diabetes or brights disease. Take Flectric bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. After long suffering from weak kidneys and back one $1.00 bottle wholly cured me, writes J R Blackenship of Belk, Tenn. Only 50 at G A Pabst & Co.

Read the H. C. Lau new ad.

Read all about "Bed Bugs" in the Wellemeyer ad.

Full directions for "House-cleaning" and how to "Cover up Dirt"—read the Wellemeyer ad.

F. C. Griewe had the misfortune to sprain his back one day this week which will lay him up some time.

PAY UP—All those owing me on book account are requested to make settlement before May 1, 1909. F. H. Ridder.

Geo Wessels is able to be around some after his recent sickness and his little son who has been also dangerously sick, is slowly gaining strength. The family has had more than their share of sickness and we are glad of their recovery.

Builds up your whole body. Regulates the bowels, clears the blood, aids digestion, makes you well from head to feet. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do, greatest spring regulator. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. G. A. Pabst & Co.

Mr. J. L. Manuel, Sec. of the Hancock Co. Fair, of Britt, was in Klemme Wednesday in the interest of our County Fair. He was also interviewing our farmers selling Indiana Silos. The Silo has come to stay as it makes it possible to keep double the amount of stock on a farm. He is General Sales Agent for Hancock, Wright, Winnebago and east part of Kossuth counties. We can vouch for James as being square in anything he undertakes.

UP BEFORE THE BAR

N H Brown an attorney of Pittsfield, Vt. writes: We have used Dr. King's new life pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be without them. For chills constipation, biliousness or sick headache they work wonders. 25c at G A Pabst & Co.

German M. E. Church Items

Rain, cold, rain, snow, pleasant, rain again.

F. C. Griewe is laid up with a sprained back.

Aug. Lau is building a small addition to his house these days

We are having all but the hot and the dry in good measure these days.

Camilla Neff came home from College Wednesday evening and will remain at home.

The Germantown League has arranged an anniversary program to be given some time in May.

Clara Griewe, Hulda and Esther Gruetzmacher were in Garner last Friday to have some dental work done.

Last Sunday was a disagreeable day still there was a nice audience out, both morning and evening in town In Germantown the meeting was small.

Hulda Stiehl spent Sunday in Klemme the guest of her brother and wife. She is doing good work as teacher in No. 2 Twin Lake township.

The board of Church extention has requested every charge to take a collection April 18. for the work of rebuilding the churches in San Francisco, destroyed by the earthquake three years ago. Since last Sunday was so unpleasant this collection will be taken in both churches next Sunday.

A different arrangement of the Sunday morning service will take effect next Sunday. Try and be there in time. Bring your Bible and join right heartily in the opening exercise.

When a boy we used to sing: "Oh, the weather Oh, the weather
T'is too hot, t'is too cold
T'is too dry, t'is too wet
T'is enough to make every one Fret, fret, fret, fret."

As there have moved a number of families to German township during the past few years who do not understand the German language, we intend to hold at least one English service each month. The first will be Sunday evening April 25.

Not only is the farmer getting restless with the cold and rainy weather, but the farmer's horses too. To hurry up matters a little Leonard Sampson's team took a "spin" with the seeder last week and sowed oats pretty fast for a time. Then other objects came in their way and they left the machine behind.

Reminisence.

Though not the largest, the cathedral at Milan, Italy is one of the most majestic and at the same time beautiful and elaborate structure in the world. It is built of white marble. By moonlight it seems like a mountain of alabaster peopled with thousands of graceful figures. There are actually more than 4800 marble statues on the exterior of this marvelous structure. These are not rough figures like one sees at a world's fare, but each an admirable work of art. The roof of the building is like an aerial sculpture—gallery, surrounded by myrids of colums, towers, pinnacles and arches all tainted by snow white angels, warriers, saints and kings, outlined at times like frosted silver on the sky. Over the triple doorways there are three inscriptions spanning the splendid arches. Over one is carved a beautiful wreath of roses and underneath is the legend, "All that which pleases is only for a moment.' Over the other is a sculptured cross and there are the words, "All that which troubles is but for a moment." Over the great central entrance in the middle aisle is the inscription "That only is which is eternal."

I'D RATHER DIE, DOCTOR

than have my feet cut off, said M L Bingham of Princeville, Ill. but you'll die from gangreen which had eaten away eight toes, if you don't said all doctors. Instead he used Bucklen's arnica salve till wholly cured. Its cures of eczema, fever sores, boils, burns and piles astound the world. 25 cts. at G A Pabst & Co.

Board of Health Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all dead animals must be disposed of on or before April 20th. It is prohibited to leave dead poultry along the highway. Anyone not complying with this notice, will be fined to the amount of $25.00. H. C. BEIER,
36-3 Clerk, German Township

RENEWALS.

Following is the roll of honor of subscribers who renewed on the Times the past week:

A. M. Deyoe	Garner
Joe Lawhorn	"
Thos. Nelson	"
J. W. Costello	Goodell

Harry Ell, Casselton, N. D.
Chas. Gruetzmacher, Charles City.

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When traveling to and from Colorado use the best! "The Rocky Mountain Limited."

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MOON BILL FAULTY

ATTORNEY SAYS THE SUPREME COURT WILL KNOCK IT OUT.

HOUSE CLERKS MADE ERROR

Waterloo Man Appears for the Iowa Liquor Dealers' Association.

Des Moines, Iowa, April 16.—Representing the Iowa Liquor Dealers' Association, Attorney Willis Birdsall of Waterloo went before Governor Carroll yesterday and told the chief executive that the supreme court undoubtedly will knock out the Moon bill limiting the number of saloons to one for every 1,000 people, if it is signed by him.

Mr. Birdsall called the governor's attention to a discrepancy in the house and senate journals which indicate that the senate did not concur in all the amendments to the original bill adopted by the house.

The house journal reads that on March 31 the Moon bill was reported for passage by the house committee on the suppression of intemperance with three amendments. One of these made a minor change in the wording, another provided for a gradual reduction in the number of saloons, and the third provided that in towns of 25,000 or over the ratio should be one saloon to each 800 people.

When the bill was reported by the sifting committee on the afternoon of the last day of the session Chairman Elliott of the committee on the suppression of intemperance moved the adoption of the first two amendments, according to the memory of those who were present at this session. A compromise between the temperance leaders and the sifting committee had been reached by which the first two amendments were agreed to and the third was to be stricken out.

Says All Were Adopted.

But the house journal reads that the "amendments recommended by the committee" were adopted. This statement, according to Attorney Birdsall, means that all three amendments were adopted and made a part of the bill which passed the house.

The bill with the first two amendments was then sent back to the senate and these two amendments were concurred in. The liquor men declare that the house journal shows that all three amendments were adopted by the house, and that in this respect there is a discrepancy in the record sufficient to destroy the bill.

The question is believed to narrow down to whether the statement in the house journal for April 9 to the effect that "the amendments proposed by the committee were adopted," necessarily referred to all three of the amendments printed in the journal with the report of the committee on March 31.

Attorney General Byers is inclined to believe that a slight error in the work of the journal clerks of the house cannot destroy the bill. Whether the journal actually shows an error is open to question, as the statement that "amendments proposed by the committee were adopted" might be held to refer only to two of these amendments.

Let Courts Decide.

Although Governor Carroll has not indicated his decision, it is generally believed that he will waive the question of technical error in procedure and leave this question to be determined by the courts if the liquor interests wish to press it.

The house journal of April 9, which is alleged to show discrepancy with the final record in the senate, was corrected by the chief clerk of the house and the journal clerk, and not by the house itself, as the legislature adjourned the same evening, before the journal was printed. Whether the fact that it was not corrected in the regular manner would discount the effect of any errors or ambiguity in the record is a question that has occurred to those interested.

Much Given in Transportation.

More than $15,000 a year in transportation is given free by Iowa railroads to the state railroad commission, according to figures secured at the office of the commission.

Byers in Doubt.

Attorney General H. W. Byers declares it is a close question whether the state can compel Justice Emlin McClain of the supreme court to repay to the state the sum of $4,500 which he has received for annotating the supplement to the code.

Increase in Salary.

The increase in the salary of state superintendent from $2,200 to $3,000 which passed the senate, was one of the bills lost in the final hurly burly of legislative adjournment.

WEAKENS WAR ON PLAGUE

STATE BOARD CALLS NEW STATUTE BACKWARD STEP.

Such Is Conclusion of Board Members After Reviewing Statute Recently Enacted.

Iowa's crusade against the white plague has been seriously crippled and robbed of its most effective weapon—compulsory disinfection. At least this is the declaration of members of the state board of health, who at their April meeting discovered that consumption had been omitted from the list of contagious diseases specified in the new quarantine law.

Under this law the state board loses the power to compel attending physicians or health officers to disinfect houses or lodgings occupied by consumptives. Instead of following out the suggestions of the department of tuberculosis of the state board of control and passing a bill requiring disinfection by the owner of quarters occupied by a consumptive, the legislature has taken what members of the board of health declare is a serious backward step.

The quarantine law repealed by the Thirty-third general assembly gave the state board power to make rules and regulations regarding quarantine and disinfection for all contagious diseases, leaving it to the board to determine which diseases are contagious. Because of complaint in several counties that quarantine and disinfection were required for measles and other minor ailments, at needless expense, the new bill specified what should be considered contagious diseases, naming a list of ailments in which tuberculosis is not included.

Check Kept on Officials.

The most rigid system of checking ever known in Iowa has been inaugurated at the state house. Any state officer, member of commission or anyone on the state payroll in any way will find it impossible to get away with either per diem, expenses or a single dollar to which he is entitled, and disclosures which have recently caused a sensational exposure of methods in one or two of the state departments have been absolutely terminated. The new system, as provided by the recent legislature, forces the filing of duplicate vouchers for every cent demanded with the auditor of state. Duplicate bills must be filed with the executive council through its secretary. The executive council is then authorized to employ a competent clerk whose duty it shall be to check up the certified vouchers, the duplicate bills and all items of expense.

Must Compile Report.

Every two years on the September prior to the convening of the legislature, the executive council must compile a complete report showing all expenditures, amounts paid out for every possible expense, printing, supplies, fees, per diem, etc., which will be ready for the legislators when the assembly convenes.

Affects Cigarette Smokers.

"It shall be unlawful," says the Proudfoot act, "for any person under 21 years of age to smoke or use a cigarette or cigarettes on the premises of another or on any public road, street alley or park or other land used for public purposes, or in any place of business or amusement, except when in company of his parent or guardian." Under the new law boys under 21 years of age may be arrested for smoking cigarettes in almost any place except their own homes, unless accompanied by their guardians or parents. The bill was introduced by Senator Proudfoot by request, and the Iowa Anti-Saloon league intends to see it enforced.

Must Appoint Commission.

It is now up to Governor B. F. Carroll to name seven men who shall compose the Iowa state drainage, waterways and conservation commission. The law providing for the establishment of this commission went into effect upon publication. The law suggests that the members of this commission shall come from the state institutions, and that one shall be an expert geologist, another a surveyor, another a drainage expert, etc. The law does not make the appointment of such men compulsory, but it is expected that Governor Carroll will regard the suggestion in naming the commission.

Clocks for Watchmen.

Seventy-five dollars a month to each of two men for locking the doors of the state house is the reason for the purchase of thirty-two keys and a patent clock to be used by Nightwatchmen Tom Graham and J. M. Russell in registering their nocturnal visits to remote corners of the big building on the hill.

SAVING PAINT MONEY

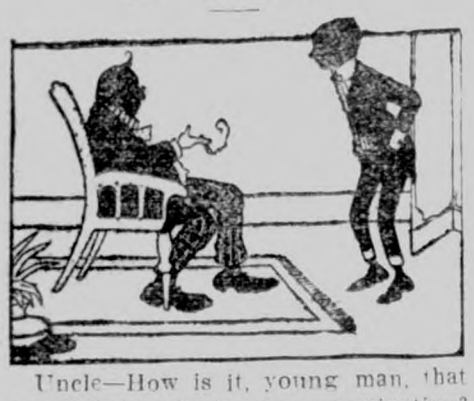
It Cannot Be Done by Using Cheap Material and Cheap Painters.

In arranging for painting, a good many property-owners try to save money by employing the painter who offers to do the job cheapest—or try to save money by insisting on a low-priced paint. But no property-owner would run such risks if he realized what must be taken into consideration in order to get a job that will wear and give thorough satisfaction.

No houseowner will go wrong on the painting question if he writes National Lead Company, 1902 Trinity Building, New York, for their Houseowner's Painting Outfit No. 49, which is sent free. It is a complete guide to painting. It includes a book of color schemes for either exterior or interior painting, a book of specifications, and an instrument for detecting adulteration in paint materials.

Nearly every dealer has National Lead Company's pure white lead. (Dutch Boy Painter trademark.) If yours has not notify National Lead Co., and arrangements will be made for you to get it.

THE WRETCHES.



Uncle—How is it, young man, that you failed again in your examination?

Nephew—Why, the wretches asked me the very same question I could not answer last year!

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Itched and Scratched Until Blood Ran —$50 Spent on Useless Treatments —Disease Seemed Incurable.

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"When my little boy was two and a half months old he broke out on both cheeks with eczema. It was the itchy, watery kind and we had to keep his little hands wrapped up all the time, and if he would happen to get them uncovered he would claw his face till the blood streamed down on his clothing. We called in a physician at once, but he gave an ointment which was so severe that my babe would scream when it was put on. We changed doctors and medicine until we had spent fifty dollars or more and baby was getting worse. I was so worn out watching and caring for him night and day that I almost felt sure the disease was incurable. But finally reading of the good results of the Cuticura Remedies, I determined to try them. I can truthfully say I was more than surprised, for I bought only a dollar and a half's worth of the Cuticura Remedies (Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills), and they did more good than all my doctors' medicines I had tried, and in fact entirely cured him. His face is perfectly clear of the least spot or scar of anything. Mrs. W. M. spot or scar. Mrs. W. M. Comerer, Burnt Cabins, Pa., Sept. 15, 1908."

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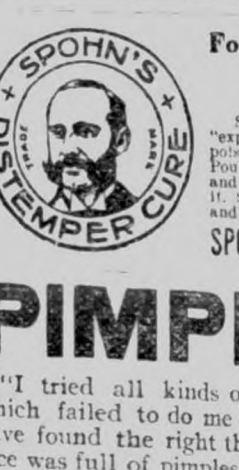

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Like Her Elders, the Young Girl Has Neither Hips Nor Prominent Bust Lines—Suggestion for Neat Costume.

Slimness of effect, and daintiness of material, rule styles for young girls. The correct figure for sweet 16 is one of reed willowyness; and if nature has furnished more pounds than fashion to hips or prominent bust lines any more than her elders. Like them, she must be in silhouette a well-bred knife blade, a charming stem which can bloom widely only at the head. In fact, with all the rest of the modish lines falling so straightly and slimly, the heavily-trimmed mushroom hats now worn give a good many of us the look of having heads quite out of proportion to the rest of the body.

With the fine wash materials which compose the simpler of the girl frocks this slimness is especially gracious, giving that look of divine innocence which is so delightful to girl garments. But it is the fashion every where to look saintly, ingenue forever younger than one's years, rather than older.

A fashionable effect in broadcloth may be suggested by the illustration. The low blouse, with its short sleeves and revers, give a number of suggestions for rich lace and embroideries in place of the plaid trimming shown. Again, plain or figured silk, the color of the gown, could be used for these bodice decorations and for the skirt band, while the gown material, plainly stitched, would prove not only an inexpensive garniture but one eminently stylish.

So replete with suggestion, in fact, have styles become that there is rarely a smart one which may not be copied in any every-day material, all cuts leaning toward smartness of line rather than elaborate trimmings and permitting many changes. The actual restriction is with the dressier of the empire modes, and to copy these in poor or coarse materials is to forswear taste entirely.

To conclude the subject of the gowns all fragile texture would require silk or lawn underslips fitting the figure as carefully as do the costumes. The guimpes required with them may be bought ready made if the sewer does not care to attempt them, for every shop of any importance is alive to the demand for these dainty accessories, and shows them in all degrees of elegance and simplicity.

Some of the prettiest of the guimpes and guimpe-bodices are in plain-tucked net or mull. The entire bodice is more expensive than the pieces which come no further than the bust or a little lower, and are considered by many as more comfortable to wear. The short guimpes run from $1.50 up; but the cheapest of the bodices likely to last any time will be $8.50 or more

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...lack frequently appears in soft ... as a girdle slipped under panels ...ands crossing the waist line. A ... evidence of black is seen wheth... the gown is trimmed with metals ...hether it is of the lightest fabric. ...e touch of black is usually intro...d to give character to an other... flat composition. It is not neces..., but in the case of a jabot, gown ...louse being slightly unbecoming ...addition of a little black will make ...he difference in the world.

Table Flowers.

...e tall vase in the center of the ... has been abandoned. It is not ...idered a pretty decoration be...e it hides the guests on one side ...e table from those on the other. ...e English fashion of putting low ...rations on the table at luncheon ...inner is much taken up over here. ...ver basket filled with fruit is one ...e old-time fancies that has come ... favor again, and the china basket ...sed if one does not possess the ... kind.

...e cut-glass French basket, with ... handle and dipping ends, is now ...opular idea for flowers on a sim...table. Long-stemmed blossoms ...ot be used, but orchids, hyacinths, ... of the valley and California vio...are used separately or together.

LATEST THING IN COIFFURE.

An artistic girl's coiffure; a thick plait of hair wound round the head, outlined with a delicate silver band; the coiffure finished with soft clusters of curls.

TOILET TABLE.

A dab of eau de cologne will often remove a slight red spot from the face.

Scented toilet waters often injure the hair, but every girl delights in an elusive odor for her locks. The best plan is to rub a favorite sachet powder into the rats and center of the hair puffs, and this gives just the right scent.

Rub warts night and morning with the following salve: Twelve centigrams of chromate of potassa, well mixed in 15 grams of soft animal fat or vaseline. The warts will usually disappear in the course of three or four weeks' treatment.

Habitually eating soft foods, to the exclusion of everything that is hard or crusty, will not only weaken the digestive organs, but will lead to rapid decay of the teeth. When these are not used in the mastication of harder foods they become weak, just as any muscle will that is not given sufficient work to do. This applies especially to growing, healthy children.

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The first author was dull enough, but the second was worse. Moreover, the rooms were intolerably warm. So, on pretense of letting in some cool air, the unfortunate host escaped to the hall, where he found a servant comfortably asleep on the settee.

"Wake up," sternly commanded the Philadelphian in the man's ear. "Wake up, I say. You must have been listening at the keyhole."—Harper's Magazine.

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CAESAR'S GHOST IN POLITICS.

Nations Still Cling Tenaciously to Notion of Empire.

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When about 4 years of age she came to America with her parents who settled in Hardin Co., Iowa, where she lived till her marriage to Albert Henry Yohnke, Dec. 23, 1891. After their marriage Mr and Mrs. Yahnke moved to a farm near Klemme where they resided only one year. From there they moved to their present home near Buffalo Center where she resided till the date of her death.

To this home have been born 6 children, Rosa, May, Walter Burten, Hattie Alice, Cora Esther and two children which died in infancy. Besides her husband and four children she leaves to mourn her death her mother, one brother and two sisters, together with a host of other relatives and friends. She has been a member of the church since 18 years of age and has sought constantly to live a life faithful to her Heavenly Father.

The funeral was conducted from the Congregational church by Rev. Frank C. Gonzales, April the 27th when a large number of sympathizing friends had gathered. The burial followed at Graceland Cemetery beside her two infant children. The family have the sympathy of the entire community in this hour of sorrow.

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"I can tell by the size of her wedding ring," the jeweler replied. "The width of wedding rings changes about every five years. The kind she wears was in style 15 years ago."

The Pity of It.

"I saw a woman coming across Stuyvesant park," said she, "holding a string with a little white dog at the end of it. She said, 'You darling little precious baby, you!' to the dog.

"I like dogs all right enough, but about half a block from the park there are the raggedest sort of children who haven't enough to eat half the time. It seems a sort of pity they can't dress them up in white, tie strings around their necks and say, 'You darling little precious baby, you,' to them."—N. Y. Press.

The Ascent of Art.

"Yes, he has had quite a varied experience. He began his artistic career by painting a sign for a livery stable."

"Indeed!"

"Then he climbed steadily. Have you seen his latest and best work?"

"No. What is it?"

"It's a calendar for a bock beer brewer."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

All Depends.

"It's a lucky man," declared Dusty Rhodes, "dat children an' dorgs likes to feller about. Don't yer agree wit' me, pard?"

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Great Britain and Germany are again making faces at each other, but that will be all.

Great Britain's commerce fell off $494,000,000 last year, landing, we assume, with a dull, sickening thud.

Owing to the French letter carriers' strike a number of challenges to duels are delayed in transmission.

A girl of 12 has published a book. With infant prodigies in the field what chance has the author who has reached the fateful age of 40?

A Georgia court has decided that to call a man a liar is a breach of the peace and means a fight. This is one of the cases where custom asserts itself as a lawmaker.

There would be fewer divorces, says a noted composer, if we had more music. We doubt it. Many a happy home has been broken up by the presence of a perfectly upright piano.

Castro left much of his fortune in the hands of European hotelkeepers. He was unwise to choose a time when the regular American tourist was at home saving his money.

A German professor has discovered the trachoma germ, though it was hiding in the eye of an ape. Who but a professor would have thought of looking for it there?

European swindlers who circulated $400,000 worth of bad money in this country were most inconsiderate. The secret service has enough on its mind without this foreign interference.

As long as England expects women who set the social pace to shoot pheasants and deer it must expect somewhat excessive readiness to resort to physical violence when suffragettes get excited.

In writing a "code" letter that may accidentally fall into other hands than those of the person for whom it is intended, it is better to avoid such words as "peach," and use "mud fence," "kangaroo," "turnip," or some equally harmless substitute.

Sheep-shearing machines are now used quite extensively in Australia. In Tasmania they are just beginning to be installed. It seems only a question of time when all the sheep shearing in this island will be done by machinery, driven by steam, electric or gasoline power.

A naval court-martial has declared that the delirious delights of a happy honeymoon are no excuse for desertion from the service. As long as the cold-blooded abstraction called naval service can command legs which march and arms which carry weapons little it recks of hearts that love.

That Americans find life especially sweeter than other nations is proved by the figures showing candy consumption. The candy bill of the United States for 1908 is $100,000,000. This not only shows a tendency to a greater sweetness in national life, but also that if times are growing more prosaic, romance is dying hard.

An injunction has been issued by a court in Ohio forbidding a man from making love to an attractive widow. When it comes to ordering a man not to fall in love, they might as well issue injunctions against ducks swimming. Even Shakespeare, who suggested that lovers should be put in a madhouse, did not go so far as to hint at jail.

China needs a ruler who will come out in the open, live the life of a good sovereign and keep in mind that this is the twentieth century, not the tenth. Until that land gets such an emperor her lack of modern civilization and her abhorrence of modern ideas will keep her far in the background among the progressive nations of the world.

The announcement is made of a decrease in the sale of darning cotton for stockings. This may be either the result of prosperity which allows people to buy new clothes and not mend their old ones so much, or it may corroborate the charge made recently that American women are the laziest on earth. The evidence on either side is bound to be interesting.

Prince de Sagan is said to be a social outcast in Paris, ostracised by the very select circle in which he formerly moved. It is not because of any more lapses of which he may be guilty. Far from it; society formerly received him gladly for all his well-known record. It is because he has refused to accept a challenge to fight Count Boni de Castellane, and has thereby "offended a gentleman." French "honor" is a funny thing. The whole business is like an act in a comic opera.

PARDONS FOR EXILES

ALLEGED CONSPIRATORS IN GOEBEL MURDER FREED BY KENTUCKY GOVERNOR.

MAY RETURN TO THE STATE

Taylor, Finley and Four Others Accused as Slayers, After Nine Years Are Relieved of Charges by Action of Executive.

Frankfort, Ky.—Pardons were granted Friday night by Gov. Willson which clear the dockets of the Kentucky courts of all charges growing out of the assassination of Senator William Goebel, who had been declared governor in January, 1900., except those against state's evidence witnesses. Those pardoned without trial are: Former Gov. W. S. Taylor and former Secretary of State Charles Finley, who have been fugitives in the state of Indiana for nine years; to John Powers, brother of Caleb Powers, who is believed to be in Honduras; to Holland Whittaker of Butler county, John Davis of Louisville, and Zach. Steele of Bell county, under indictment and who did not flee the state.

Those over whom indictments are left hanging are Wharton Golden of Knox county, now in Colorado; Frank Cecil of Bell county, now a railroad detective in St. Louis, and William H. Culton of Owsley county, said to have died in the west a few months ago.

These cases, with the possible exception of Cecil, will be dismissed, leaving Henry E. Youtsey, now serving a life sentence in the state penitentiary, the only person to suffer for the taking off of Goebel.

Reiterating the belief he expressed some months ago, when he granted pardons to Caleb Powers and James B. Howard, that no one but Youtsey had part in the murder, and that it was not a conspiracy, as the commonwealth charged, Gov. Willson says he believes it a "sacred duty, which I must no longer delay, to carry this belief into effect," and grant pardon to the men charged, and who fled the state as they "had the greatest reasons to believe" that they could not "have a fair trial," and if they stayed here would be forced to trial before a partisan jury under conditions which would give them no chance at all for a just decision.

In extending clemency in the Taylor case, the governor, after reviewing the state gubernatorial election of 1899 and the contest instituted before the legislature by Senator William Goebel, says:

"For years it seemed as if there never would be an end of the political use of the Goebel murder to keep up hatred and contention. In the campaign of 1907 it was again brought up, as it had been in every campaign since 1899, by speeches in which it was claimed that the Democratic nominee for governor would not pardon Taylor, Powers and others, and that the Republican nominee would pardon them if elected.

"I made no answer to these speeches until I came to the home of Powers in the mountains, where I told the people, his friends, that I would not prejudge these cases; that I would not promise anybody either to pardon or not to pardon these men, but that if the cases ever came before me I would take them up officially and decide them on their merits, and that I was as anxious for the conviction and punishment of every person guilty of the murder of William Goebel as anyone in Kentucky.

"There is no need to repeat here the statements of the Powers and Howard cases; they are well known to the people. The study of these records constrained me to believe, to the exclusion of a doubt, that Howard did not fire the shot which killed Goebel.

"The only evidence in all of the four trials of Powers and three trials of Howard by which the prosecution in any way attempted to connect Gov. Taylor with the murder was the testimony as to his writing to get Howard to come to Frankfort to kill William Goebel, and tending to show that Howard, on the request in that letter, did come to Frankfort, entered into the plot and committed the murder.

"But Howard did not kil Goebel, and Gov. Taylor could not be guilty of getting Howard to do what he did not do.

"From the fair, impartial study of all of the trials and from my knowledge of the conditions of these times, I believe that William S. Taylor had no guilty knowledge of the murder of William Goebel, and that he would never have been indicted but for political excitement and passion."

The governor then reviews the cases of the other defendants, against whom he says there was no proof of conspiracy.

In a statement issued at Indianapolis Taylor and Finley expressed their gratitude for relief from the burden of being exiles. Taylor will remain in Indianapolis but Finley will return to Williamsburg, Ky.

UNEASY LIES THE HEAD, ETC.

STARTS FIGHT ON HARRIMAN

TAFT FOLLOWS NEW POLICY IN ANTI-TRUST WAR.

Sends Complaint to Attorney General Instead of Interstate Commerce Commission.

Washington. — In directing that Attorney General Wickersham instead of the interstate commerce commission investigate the charges made by Senators Smoot and Sutherland and Mr. Howell of Utah against the Harriman railroads, President Taft Wednesday put his own anti trust policy into action.

The roads named in the complaint filed with Mr. Taft are the Southern Pacific, Union Pacific, Oregon Short Line, Oregon Railroad & Navigation, San Pedro, Los Angles & Salt Lake, Denver & Rio Grande, Missouri Pacific, Colorado Midland, Colorado & Southern, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, Rock Island, and Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe.

The charge is made that these roads discriminate in rates against Salt Lake and other intermountain cities on shipments from the east. The complaint cites numerous instances. As examples, they say that a car of cocoa beans shipped from Chicago to Utah cities costs $594 in freight tariff, while the same shipment to San Francisco costs but $225. A car of nails, 40,000 pounds, costs $440 to Utah points, while the same car, if carried 1,000 miles further west, to the coast, costs but $160.

In letters to the president accompanying the complaint it is pointed out that the enormous earnings of the Harriman lines from which big dividends are paid on stocks indicate that the railroad rates complained of are enormously profitable, and that Harriman derides power of any less importance than the federal government, and apparently cares little for that.

KIDNAPER TRIES SUICIDE.

Boyle Found in Cell, Ill from a Drug—His Sickness Prevents Escape.

Mercer, Pa.—The Mercer county authorities are greatly worried over an alleged attempt of James H. Boyle, the Whitla kidnaper, to commit suicide and later a well-planned attempt on the part of supposed friends on the outside to liberate the prisoner from the jail here.

While both affairs were frustrated, their successful conclusion seems to have been averted by the narrowest margin. Late Thursday afternoon it was learned that Boyle suddenly became ill Wednesday. He was found lying upon the floor of his cell in the agony of convulsions. Excepting that his illness was such as would have resulted from some powerful drug nothing can be learned.

A few minutes after midnight an attempt to liberate Boyle failed on account of the prisoner's illness. At that hour guards found a 20-foot ladder in position at a window in Boyle's cell. The supposition is that the men who were to free Boyle climbed this ladder and then found his cell empty.

Catch Kidnaper at Cairo.

Paducah, Ky. — Robert Lee Hawkins, alleged kidnaper of the 15-year-old son of James F. Estes of this city, is being held in jail at Cairo, Ill., pending the issuance of a requisition paper at Frankfort.

TEDDY SLEEPS IN TENT.

Ex-President Begins Real Hunt in Africa—Lions Prowl Around Camp.

Kapiti Plains, British East Africa. —Theodore Roosevelt has reached the hunting grounds and Friday night spent his first night in Africa under canvas.

A big camp has been established near the railroad station here for the Roosevelt expedition, and lions prowled about in the vicinity of the tents during the night.

The country is green, owing to the recent rains, and there is every prospect of good sport. The commoner varieties of game are plentiful, and the huntsmen will lose no time in getting started on their shooting trips to-day.

The camp established for Mr. Roosevelt is most elaborate. The caravan will have a total of 260 followers. There are 13 tents for the Europeans and their horses, and 60 tents for the porters. An American flag is flying over the tent to be occupied by Mr. Roosevelt. All the native porters of the expedition were lined up on the platform when the Roosevelt special pulled in, and as Mr. Roosevelt stepped down from the train they shouted a salute in his honor. In response Mr. Roosevelt raised his hat.

Mr. Roosevelt was on the cow catcher of the engine when the train pulled in, having occupied that position for the 79 miles between Makindu and Kapiti Plains. He said he was intensely interested in the country and expressed his gratitude and delight at the hospitality shown him by the acting governor and Mrs. Jackson.

MOVES FOR FREE WHEAT.

Representative Scott of Kansas Prepares Bill to Be Presented to the House.

Washington.—Representative Scott of Kansas will ask the ways and means committee of the house to curb the wheat-corner movement being conducted by James Patten in Chicago by temporarily removing the duty from wheat.

Mr. Scott has prepared a bill which he will submit to the committee asking it to report the bill to the house, recommending immediate action. The bill, as drawn, suspends the duty of 25 cents a bushel on wheat.

There is little chance that the committee will confuse congress by the interpolation of any legislation while the tariff bill is being considered. Members who heard of the Scott bill could see little good in it.

TORNADO KILLS TEN.

Many Are Hurt and Much Property Damaged at Cleveland and Ashtabula, O.

Cleveland, O.—Nine persos were killed, six fatally hurt, at least fifty sustained injuries and property valued at more than $1,000,000 was destroyed in a tornado which swept through Cleveland and northern Ohio Wednesday One man was killed and a dozen hurt at Ashtabula.

An unidentified woman was blown into a pond at Wade park and drowned.

In the blinding rain pedestrians were blown off their feet and hurled against buildings, in many cases struck down by flying bricks and timbers which filled the air.

YOUNG TURKS WIN

Commission of Notables Will Try Abdul Hamid.

EMPIRE TO BE CLEANED

Confirmation of the Report That 25,000 Were Killed in Streets of Adana—Victors Use Good Judgment.

London,, April 26.—The report has been received that the Sultan was taken out of the palace by force at a late hour last night and that Mohammed Reschad Effendi was installed in his palace.

Constantinople, April 26.—The Yildiz garrison has surrendered to the constitutionalist forces. The commanders of these battalions began sending in their submission to Mahmoud Schefket Pasha last night and the whole of the troops protecting the palace gave their formal and unconditional surrender.

Niaci Bey, who is called the hero of the July revolution, is now in command of the garrison.

Unsympathetic and resolute strangers are on guard around the sultan, as a precaution against his friends. He has not been deposed from his position as ruler, but his subjects talk openly of whether he shall remain even the nominal head of the empire.

Sultan Abdul Hamid has been permitted to remain within the walls of the Yildiz Kiosk, where in company with his ministers he waited for the outcome of the struggle between his loyal troops and the army of investment, each hour bringing to him word of a fresh disaster. Since victory rested with the constitutionalists, the sultan himself gave orders to his men not to resist.

Barricaded in the most impregnable part of the Yildiz Kiosk and surrounded by several hundred of his most loyal troops, a modern Swiss guard who have elected to die with him if need be, the aged ruler issued his defiance to the Young Turks' commanders, and the prospects now are that the bloodiest and most tragic fighting will be necessary to bring about his overthrow.

The young Turks have declared that by his refusal to accept their terms, Abdul Hamid has forfeited his last chance of escaping with his life. Even the leaders admit that his execution will follow the capture of the palace. They say he has demonstrated that there can be no assurance of peace as long as he lives.

Washington, April 26.—Ambassador Riddle, at St. Petersburg, informed the state department that he had received assurances from the minister of foreign affairs that all foreigners within the danger zone in and near Tabriz, Persia, would be protected by the Russian troops which left for that city this morning.

New Counterfeits Out.

Washington, D. C., April 26.—Discovery of two new counterfeits, a five dollar silver certificate and a twenty dollar national currency note on the National Bank of Washington, S. D., has been announced at the treasury department. The former is an imitation of the series of 1899, but bears the date of 1889 and in the portrait of the Indian chief the nose and mouth are entirely different from the original. The Wessington counterfeit is a pen and ink production from Chicago, a dollar note being bleached to obtain the desired paper.

Tornado in Nebraska.

Fremont, Neb., April 26.—A tornado northwest of Fremont wrecked the buildings on the Jackson farm and injured a number of the occupants. James Scholmar and Peter Greison, farmers on the way to North Bend, were caught in the wind, their wagons overturned and both badly injured. Greison's injuries are serious, Minor damage was done on other farms, but the storm was local.

To Des Moines Next Year.

Burlington, Ia., April 26.—The annual convention of the Travelers' Protective Association of Iowa, in their session held here, chose Des Moines as the convention city for 1910. A large delegation was present and much important business was transacted. A river excursion in honor of the visitors and ladies was given.

Six Drown; Boat Upsets.

New Orleans, La., April 26.—The tow boat Eagle of the Louisiana Petroleum company capsized in the Mississippi river about forty miles south of New Orleans and Captain George, Second Engineer Goodbill, Fireman Martin, a chambermaid and two negro deck hands are reported drowned.

AXATIVE FOR WOMEN FREE

There is a great difference in the urposes to which a laxative should e put. Tablets and pills, salts, etc., e usually violent purgatives or thartics, and altogether too power- l for the average person.

A woman at all times needs only a ild laxative—in fact, none other is eeded by anyone, weak or strong ough they may be, for the object is mply to move the bowels, and if a entle laxative will do it, what is the se of a violent one?

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has rned a well-deserved vogue among omen and children and old folks—eople who must necessarily be care- l of what they take.

t is a liquid laxative tonic and ad- ttedly the greatest stomach, liver and wel remedy before the American peo- . The price is only 50 cents or $1 a bot- , as it comes in both sizes, and all uggists sell it. Its pleasant taste and ntle action make it an ideal remedy for omen in constipation, torpid liver, sour omach, sick headache, heartburn and h like digestive complaints. Its use for short time will remove the trouble en- ely so that future medication will be necessary. Its tonic properties build up e stomach and intestinal muscles so t they act naturally again. That this so is the experience of many heads of milies, like Mrs. Brannan, of Alvarado, , Mrs. K. L. Stout, of Louisville, Ky., d numerous others; in fact, way out in illiams, Cal., as Mrs. J. E. Blackmore, that place, writes, the whole town ems to be using it.

f the remedy is new to you and you nt to make a trial of it before buying, d your name to the doctor's address as ow and a free test bottle will be sent u. Then, if results are satisfactory you can buy it of your druggist.

If there is anything about your ailment that you don't understand, or if you want any medical advice, write to the doctor, and he will answer you fully. There is no charge for this service. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 201 Caldwell bldg., Monticello, Ill.

COUNTRY IN MOVEMENT.

eeting of National Association for tudy and Prevention of Tuberculo- sis Will Be Largely Attended.

The fifth annual meeting of the Na- nal Association for the Study and evention of Tuberculosis will be d in Washington, D. C., at the New llard hotel, on May 13, 14 and 15. ing to the present interest in the mpaign against tuberculosis, the eting will be of unusual interest d importance. The membership of e national association now numbers arly 2,000, and is distributed in al- st every state in the United States e national association has also a nsiderable membership in Canada, ba, Porto Rico, Philippine islands, d in several of the European coun- es. Ex-President Roosevelt and William Osler are honorary vice- sidents of the national association. Vincent Y. Bowditch of Boston is president; Mr. Homer Folks of w York city, and Dr. Charles L. nor of Asheville, N. C., are the vice- sidents; Gen. George M. Sternberg Washington, D. C., is treasurer; Dr. nry Barton Jacobs of Baltimore, is retary, and Dr. Livingston Farrand New York is the executive secre- y of the association.

Prologue Required.

During dinner Mr. Galey began to le apropos of nothing.

"What are you thinking about now?" ed his wife, sharply.

"Why," began Galey, "the Cornell dow tells an awfully good story ut—"

"Indeed!" interrupted Mrs. Galey, ezingly. "Where did you meet this eresting lady, may I inquire?"—Il- rated Sunday Magazine.

FOOD FACTS
What an M. D. Learned.

A prominent Georgia physician went ough a food experience which he kes public:

"It was my own experience that first me to advocate Grape-Nuts food I also know, from having pre- ibed it to convalescents and other k patients, that the food is a won- ful builder and restorer of nerve brain tissue, as well as muscle. It proves the digestion and sick pa- ts always gain just as I did in ngth and weight very rapidly.

I was in such a low state that I to give up my work entirely, and t to the mountains of this state, two months there did not improve in fact I was not quite as well as n I left home.

My food did not sustain me and became plain that I must change. n I began to use Grape-Nuts food in two weeks I could walk a mile out fatigue, and in five weeks rned to my home and practice, ng up hard work again. Since that e I have felt as well and strong as er did in my life.

As a physician who seeks to help sufferers, I consider it a duty to e these facts public."

rial 10 days on Grape-Nuts, when regular food does not seem to sus- the body, will work miracles.

"There's a Reason."

ook in pkgs. for the famous little k, "The Road to Wellville."

er read the above letter? A new appears from time to time. They genuine, true, and full of human rest.

Iowa State News

Events of Recent Occurrence Throughout the Commonwealth

IOWA GIRL GONE AS A BOY

OSKALOOSA GIRL DONS FOSTER FATHER'S CLOTHING.

Police Search in Vain for Her and Her Parents Are Distracted.

Oskaloosa, Ia.—April 26.—Marian Hutton, the 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hutton of Rutledge, Wapello county, ran away from home, donning male attire belonging to her father, walked on the Milwaukee tracks twelve miles to Hedrick where she boarded the Iowa Central freight, west bound to Wright station where the trainmen put her off. She was given food and shelter at a hotel at Wright, where her masquerade was penetrated on account of her long black hair. The girl cut her hair off and boarded another train bound for Oskaloosa. The father found the girl to Wright and then rode to Oskaloosa and gave the girl into the hands of the police. The girl is thought to be demented on account of illness. She had a good home and every wish was granted. Her foster parents are almost crazed with grief over the disappearance of the child. He own mother died when the girl was three years old. The father was killed accidentally six months later, when the Hutton family adopted the waif.

Water Scandal Up Again.

Dubuque.—The waterworks scandal which stirred Dubuque three years ago and which resulted in the ousting of the first board in charge of the municipally owned institution in Dubuque and the sending to the penitentiary of the first superintendent for embezzlement, is again holding the center of the stage. The action of the city council in committee of the whole in voting, 6 to 2, to pay the bill of Martin-Strelau of $45,000 for coal, and which was contracted by the old board, has stirred up the tax payers to a stage of fever heat.

Old Merchant Retires.

Algona.—Undoubtedly one of the oldest merchants in northern Iowa in point of service in one city is L. W. Robinson, who has just disposed of his business to Leo M. Stalker of Oskaloosa. Thirty-seven years ago Mr. Robinson came to Algona and went into the hardware business and has attended promptly and capably to every detail of the business since then. He started in business just as soon as the C. M. & St. Paul had built through. That was in 1871 and for eight years it was the terminus of the road.

Cartridge Blew His Pipe Up.

Postville.—Fred Seybert while having a smoke went down into his pocket for the second pipe full and loaded up. He carries his tobacco loose. He started up and black smoke was curling up like smoke from a steam engine. All at once there was an explosion that blew the pipe in bits and filled Fred's face full of tobacco and smoke and pieces from the pipe. When all the fright was passed he found that he had accidentally put into his pipe a 22 caliber cartridge.

Verdict for $15,000 Damages.

Estherville.—The largest verdict ever awarded in Emmet county was returned by a jury in Judge Cooley's court in the case of C. W. Bradbury vs. The C., R. I. & P. Ry. Co. He was given $15,000. The plaintiff had received an injury while in the employment of the defendant as brakeman July 1, 1908, at Graettinger, Iowa, which resulted in the loss of his right arm below the elbow.

Let Clams Grow.

Clinton.—There has been an influx of clam fishermen from points on the upper Mississippi river, to the Illinois river this spring. Constant working of the clam beds on the upper Mississippi has largely depleted the beds, and the clam fishers now operate on the prolific beds of the Illinois river, giving the Mississippi clams an opportunity to increase.

Boy Killed in Ball Game.

Mount Ayr.—Baseball claimed a victim Saturday when Leonard De Long, a boy at Lamoni, met with fatal injuries while engaged in a game of baseball at that place.

MANUFACTURERS DAY IN IOWA

A General Observance to be Made Once a Month by Manufacturers and Jobbers.

Des Moines.—"Manufacturers' day," to be observed state-wide the first Tuesday in every month, for the purpose of awakening the state of Iowa to the necessity of industrial growth, will be established by the Iowa State Manufacturers' association.

It is proposed that manufacturers in every city of the state will meet together on "Manufacturers' Day" of each month, at luncheon or in the evening, to confer upon the various questions concerning Iowa's industrial expansion and to arouse general public interest.

Tuesday, May 4, will be the first "Manufacturers' Day." Waterloo and other Iowa cities have planned to make the first event a hummer, with big banquets in the evening.

MCNAMARA IS FOUND GUILTY

Seven Wanted to Free Parricide On The Theory He Was Insane at Time Deed Was Committed

Northwood, Ia., April 28.—Ed. McNamara was found guilty of murder in the second degree by the jury, which was out twenty-seven hours.

It stood seven to five in favor of acquittal up to the very last when the seven conceded to the second degree murder verdict.

June 1 has been fixed as the date for pronouncing judgment. At that time the motion for a new trial will be argued. If overruled sentence will be pronounced.

It may be either life, ten years, or anywhere between.

AT WAR OVER RIVER DAM

Suit Began at Avoca to Test Rights of Owners of Dam—Alleges Damage to Land.

Council Bluffs.—A suit filed at Avoca, Ia., complaining of the presence of a dam across the Nishnabotna river at Carson, and asking the court to issue a writ of mandamus restraining the owners from maintaining the dam, started a lively contest, the origin of which is contained in an effort of citizens of the northern part of Pottawattamie county to secure the construction of a ditch straightening the Nishnabotna river, one of the crookedest and most erratic streams in western Iowa.

Superintendent Six Times.

Anita.—At a recent meeting of the board of education Superintendent H. W. Chehock was reelected for the sixth time as superintendent of the city schools of Anita. Mr. Chehock, having decided to complete his college course next year, was not a candidate for reelection. The high school students learning this to be a fact unanimously petitioned the school board to reelect him anyway, which they did. In spite of the manifested confidence and good will he has resigned and will secure his master's degree at college next year.

Preparing State Fair Exhibits.

Onawa.—The manual training department of the Onawa High school is preparing a splendid exhibit of its work, to be placed in competition at the state fair. This work will consist of articles of furniture, drawings, examples of graded work in woodworking, sewing specimens, and other examples of industrial education.

Vinton Bankrupt.

Vinton.—The general fund of the city of Vinton is practically bankrupt. The county treasurer paid the city treasurer last Saturday the sum of $3,310.31, which is practically the only money the new city council will have to operate on during the summer, as the next semi-annual taxes are not due till September and are not generally paid in until October 1.

Paroled Boys Missing.

Mason City.—A couple of boys who are on parole from the Iowa Industrial school at Eldora and who have been farmed out to a couple of local business men, where they were employed at their trade, are missing. Supt. P. J. Harnett of the school was here in search of the runaways.

Odd Fellows to Celebrate.

Logan.—Logan lodge No. 355, I. O. O. F., will celebrate the ninetieth anniversary of the order in the United States Friday, April 30. Hon. Jerry Green will deliver the principal address.

Iowa Woman Advanced.

Charles City, Ia.—Miss Florence Greely of this city has just been appointed head surgical nurse in the Northwestern hospital at Minneapolis

A TORNADO

GREAT DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY AND LOSS OF LIFE.

A tornado of more or less severity has visited Iowa and other states so far this spring, destroying a large amount of property. There is no need of anyone in Iowa being without tornado insurance when they can get it at so small cost in the IOWA MUTUAL TORNADO INSURANCE ASSOCIATION of Des Moines. The association has been in operation twenty-five years, has paid $600,000 in losses, and only assessed its members 11½ mills in that time, and have $133,000,000 cash on hand to pay future losses. The Association has $134,000,000 in risks all on Iowa property. The average annual cost has been less than $1.00 per $1,000, insured for the twenty-five years.

Last year's business was a record breaker for business written, but the business so far this year exceeds last. The business for March amounted to $4,000,000, and the business so far in April to $175,000 per day.

The Association insures farm and city property, churches and school houses. It cooperates with the County Mutuals for farm property and the TOWN DWELLING for dwelling property. This is the Association of which N. Densmore is President and J. H. Herriman, Secretary.

NICE COMPLIMENT FOR PAPA.

Little Daughter's Pretty Way of Expressing Appreciation of Daddy's Thoughtfulness.

It was just four o'clock, and the rays of the rising sun had begun to peep over the eastern horizon. The father had gotten up to light the fires to get the house warm, and sneaked into the little daughter's bedroom to see that she was well covered up. In pulling the bed clothes up and tucking them in, he aroused the sleeper, and with half opened eyes, her face covered with curls, she asked:

"I don't have to go to school yet, do I?"

"No, no, daughter," replied the father. "It is only four o'clock. Turn over and go to sleep."

Little curly head, with half open eyes, pulled up the covers and said: "You're the bestest papa I ever had."

And who dares say that even such a little kindness as letting your little girl sleep until daylight is not appreciated?

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If You Suffer with Your Kidneys and Back, Write to This Man.

G. W. Winney, Medina, N. Y., invites kidney sufferers to write to him.

To all who enclose postage he will reply, telling how Doan's Kidney Pills cured him after he had doctored and had been in two different hospitals for eighteen months, suffering intense pain in the back, lameness, twinges when stooping or lifting, languor, dizzy spells and rheumatism. "Before I used Doan's Kidney Pills," says Mr. Winney, "I weighed 143. After taking 10 or 12 boxes I weighed 162 and was completely cured."

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"I want to buy a clarionet," said the man with a steely look in his eye.

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"I don't want it. I want one that'll produce nothing but blue notes. There's a man next door who is studying the trombone. I'm going to play the clarionet in self-defense."

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A true friend is one who makes us do what we can.—Phelps.

WESTERN CANADA'S HAPPY PROSPECTS.

In no year since the development of Western Canada began has spring brought a brighter outlook than it brings this year. In no preceding spring has there been greater assurance of advancing development and prosperity. The movement of immigration has already assumed large proportions, and is as desirable in character as it is satisfactory in volume; from across the Atlantic sturdy, industrious and thrifty newcomers are arriving in large numbers, homeseekers from Ontario and the other older Provinces are coming in a steady stream, and from across the international boundary a movement is already in full flow, which, it is confidently predicted, will beat the records of all previous years; special settlers' trains are crossing the line, loaded with effects, actual material wealth being thus brought into the country at the rate of millions of dollars' worth monthly.

The movement is so unprecedentedly large that extra Dominion Immigration officials have had to be provided at both North Portal and at Emerson, and it is estimated that the total number of new settlers from the United States this year will be 70,000, at least, and may run well up toward 100,000. Last year's total of new settlers from the South was 53,723; thus the area that will be placed in wheat and other grains this year will greatly exceed that of last year. Settlers are making extraordinary efforts to get on their lands and begin seeding operations. The price of wheat now, away above the dollar mark, is incentive enough, and when one has in view the splendid results that the past few years have shown, it is not to be wondered at that the present will be the banner year for Immigration to Canada. Ask your nearest Canadian Government Agent for rates of transportation, and he will also send you illustrated pamphlets.

Putting It Gently.

The sages of the general store were discussing the veracity of old Si Perkins when Uncle Bill Abbott ambled in.

"What do you think about it, Uncle Bill?" they asked him. "Would you call Si Perkins a liar?"

"Wall," answered Uncle Bill, slowly, as he thoughtfully studied the ceiling, "I don't know as I go so far as to call him a liar exactly, but I do know this much: When feedin' times comes, in order to get any response from his hogs, he has to get somebody else to call 'em for him."—Everybody's Magazine.

Don't Cough, But Live Long.

If every cough were cured before it got a strong hold, human life would be lengthened by many years. If every coughing sufferer knew that Kemp's Balsam would stop the cough in a few minutes, he would be glad to escape the serious consequences. If any medicine will cure a cough, Kemp's Balsam will do it. At druggists' and dealers', 25c.

Dressed as Scholars.

At the wedding lately of the head master of Eastbourne college, England, the threepages in the bridal procession were garbed as scholars in black satin knee breeches, buckled shoes, scarlet silk gowns, with white shirt fronts. Each carried a mortarboard hat and a scarlet-bound prayer book.

Shake Into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for your feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting, sweating feet. Makes new shoes easy. Sold by all Druggists and Shoe Stores. Don't accept any substitute. Sample FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Snubbed in Town.

"What are you doing now?"

"Striving for recognition."

"Seeking fame, eh?"

"Not exactly. I'm striving to get on speaking terms with a girl who promised to be mine at the seashore."

It's Pettit's Eye Salve,

that gives instant relief to eyes, irritated from dust, heat, sun or wind. 25c. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

The Subject's Nature.

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"I don't know, but they ought to be space rates."

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The man who is able to say: "The Lord is my strength," will never break down under his load.

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"Who cares if a duck of a girl is feather-headed?

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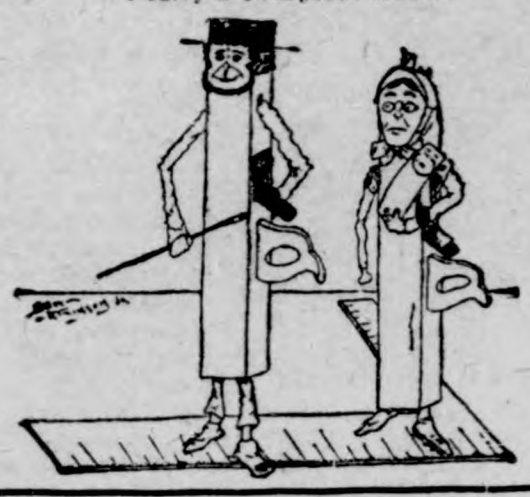

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Sired by Gerfaut 2d Reg. No. 2538 and he by Hercule No. 2522 Dam Wanne d'Ap No. 38165 and she by Marie No. 4523.

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RHEUMATISM

More than nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles due to cold or damp or chronic rheumatism. In such cases no internal treatment is required. The free application of Chamberlain's liniment is all that is needed and it is certain to give quick relief. Give it a trial and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain and soreness. The medicines usually given internally for rhenmatism are poisonous or very strong medicines. The are worse than usual in cases of chronic and muscular rheumatism. For sale by G A Pabst & Co.

C. H. Williams, traveling salesman for the Comstock Cigar Mfg. Co. of Clear Lake, Iowa. was in our city Tuesday introducing a very choice line of cigars. This tobacco is grown at Clear Lake and manufactured there. Mr. Comstock was formerly a tobacco grower in Wisconsin but of late years is introducing his tobacco in this part of the state which is giving the best of satisfaction. His "Washington" brand may be procured at either G. A. Pabst & Co. drug store or G. W. Kluckhohn's store. Give them a trial, they are a free and easy smoker and the quality is there.

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The terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings growing ripples and faster current. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—dropsy, diabetes or brights disease. Take Electric bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. After long suffering from weak kidneys and back one $1 00 bottle wholly cured me, writes J R Blackenship of Belk, Tenn. Only 50 at G A Pabst & Co.

RENEWALS.

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Henry Runge,	Garner
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Ira Robbins,	Garner
H. Priebe,	Klemme
A. Kirkwood,	Klemme
A. Kelly,	Garner
Mrs. L J. Stiehl, Hay Springs Neb.	
Harve Allen,	Klemme
C. W. Stiehl	"
Wm. Baack,	"
Dr. Geo. Zinn,	"
G. W. Kluckhohn,	"

WORDS TO FREEZE THE SOUL

Your son has consumption. His case is hopeless. These appaling words were spoken to Geo. E Blevens a leading merchant of Springfield. N C by two expert doctors—one a lung specialist. Then was shown the wonderful power of Dr. King's new discovery. After three weeks use, writes Mr. Blevens he was as well as ever. I would not take all the money in the world for what it did for my boy. Infallible for coughs and colds its the safest, surest cure of desperate lung diseases on earth. 50c and $1.00. Guarantee satifaction. Trial bottle free. G. A. Pabst & Co.

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A German physician, by means of a glass cabinet with a partial vacuum, has solved the problem of operating on the lungs. He probably has paved the way to successful surgery in cases of internal cancer, and possibly of consumption where the lung tissue is affected. By the use of his cabinet the patient, it is said, can breathe easily with the chest cavity open and without danger of collapse of the lungs, which has been the danger hitherto, owing to atmospheric pressure. After the surgeon and his assistants have taken their place inside this cabinet the subject is placed upon the operating table and his head allowed to project through a tight-fitting rubber collar in the wall of the cabinet. By means of a suction pump the air inside is then reduced to negative pressure.

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MRS. J. JOSTE

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LOCAL NEWS

Read Wellemeyer's ad.

Read the Times ad on 1st page.

My Bank Book title of ad. for te Savings Bank.

Miss Gertrude Parker visited ends at Goodell last week re ning Saturday.

Frank Schuldt, Garner's im ement and machine dealer, ove to Klemme Tuesday.

I have just added to my stock ice line of Lace Curtains at up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. huler's. tf

The first of this week started with pleasant weather and e farmers and everybody else getting busy.

Bobbie Carr is getting to be expert on the clarionette is also developing great uscle rolling nigger heads.

Our Black Smith's are getting the front while we have got c of them in our good little wn. One is intending to get Auto while the other has got n selt a Jack. It appears that e latter can get through the d where an Auto might fail.

Permanently relieves constiion and indigestion. Regules the bowels, builds up waste sue. Makes pure blood. You ow strong, healthy and robust llister's Rocky Mountain Tea e safest, nicest Spring tonic cents. G. A. Pabst & Co.

If you think of buying a rug will pay you to look over my ock which consists of Wilton elvets. Axminsters, Saxony xminsters, Colonial Velvets d Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. ours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

C W. Stiehl and Chas. Velau e putting in a tile drain from eir residence leading to the st main tile drain. Louis de, Chas. Kluckhohn and the ove named gentlemen are ing the work. As Velau and iehl are of fair large avoirdupois weight, Velau can only anage to get two spades down, hile Stiehl can only venture to et one spade down. What a lamity there would be if both harlies would loose their foot old and fall into the entire pth of the ditch a block and ckle would surely be needed r their rescue.

A new ad. for the State Savings Bank.

The old maid butts in at the Union Depot, May 7th.

Misses Esther and Nellie Lau were Garner visitors Monday.

Wednesday we had a strong southeast wind with a drizzly cold rain.

P. M. Griesemer and Dr. Missman were transacting business at Garner Monday.

Forty passenger trains leave the Union Depot in the Garner Opera House. May 7th.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Our residence property in Garner.

Mrs. L. Mann.

The dutchman wants a special train for $2 00. Union Depot, Garner Opera House, May 7th.

Rev. F. H. Wellemeyer of Charles City, visited the first of this week with his son Arthur and family.

C. J. Kraus who has been afflicted with rheumatism all winter, is able to be about some these warm days.

Mrs. G. R. Waterman and children visited with Charles Behrens and family at Garner last week Saturday.

The Josten millinery store is undergoing some repairs in the front. Harve Allen and Thed Henschen are doing the work.

WANTED—Having leased the Schroeder pasture, I will be in a position to pasture your stock the coming season.

36tf Fred C. Griewe.

Builds up your whole body. Regulates the bowels. clears the blood, aids digestion, makes you well from head to feet. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do, greatest spring regulator. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. G. A. Pabst & Co.

Mr. W. T. Georg arrived from Minneapolis last week Saturday for a visit with his mother and other relatives. He is a member of one of the Minneapolis fire companies, having served the past sixteen years. We acknowledged a pleasant call.

GRACE: Pimples, blotches rough, shiny skin are from the blood and stomach. A simple and never failing remedy—one that makes clear, healthy complexions, pure blood, perfect digestion, is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Surprise yourself. Tea or tablets 35 cents. G. A Pabst & Co.

Friday evening May 7th, the ladies of the Recital Club of Garner will give a unique entertainment at the Garner Opera House entitled "A Day in the Union Depot." The play depicts the incidents and scenes enacted daily in the big union depots of our large cities and is extremely funny. No one who can possible go can afford to miss it.

German M. E. Church Items

Mrs. H. Brockmeyer left for her home in Colesburg Tuesday.

Geo. Gruetzmacher filled the pulpit in Klemme Sunday evening

Mrs. Louis Sampson returned Tuesday from her visit to Clayton County.

The English services in Germantown were well attended last Sunday night.

Mother Gruetzmacher and Mrs. Jno. Gruetzmacher were Garner caller last Saturday.

A number of Klemme young people attended the services in Germantown Sunday evening.

Mother Kraus was able to be in church again last Sunday after being confined to the house several weeks.

Charley Lenz returned from Mason City last Saturday. He may decide to locate in Klemme we are informed.

Rev. F. H. Wellemyer arrived in town Monday afternoon and went out ont his farm in German township the next day. returnig Thursday.

William Georg arrived from Minneapolis last Saturday to visit his aged mother. Mr. Georg has been on the fire department in the twin city for a number of years.

W. V. Schlung of Dubuque will be in Klemme the latter part of this week to tune pianos, repair organs and clean clocks. He guarantees his work and his prices are reasonable.

The writer has, in the past twenty years performed many marriage ceremonies under various kinds of circumstances, but the one he was called upon to solemnize last Saturday night was something out of the ordinary. On a bed lay the groom, seemingly at death's door. At the bed side stood the bride in tears bending over the sick form. Every one in tears moved about as quietly as possible and spoke in the room only in subdued tones. The preacher placed the sick man's hand in the hand of the bride and holding both in his own, spoke the words which made John Brehmann and Anna Hanson husband and wife. Both were deeply moved and it was, without a doubt, the most solemn marriage we ever performed. As the groom is some better at this writing, we sincerely hope that their marriage may end as bright and happy as it began gloomy and sad.

The lecture Tuesday evening was well attended and we think enjoyed by all. The speaker was well supported by his enthusiastic audience. One man alone made movements enough to enliven the drowsiest speaker. Mr. Adams is a whirlwind with nouns and adjectives. He has a well supplied vocabulary and fires them like a gatling gun. He said a great many good, true and wholesome things. It is true our thoughts have a powerful influence over us for good or evil. But one would conclude from Mr. Adams lecture that to think was all. Think bad things and you become bad, think good things and you become good. We all know this is not true. Man is all matter, man has a soul as the speaker admitted. It is not in the chamber of the brain where the change is wrought but in the heart Paul says: With the heart man believeth." There is a divine faculty in the human heart to receive these impressions from the out side world and these thoughts only develop this inner life. If there is a little devil in man he naturally inclines and craves for unclean low and degrading things which feed and develop this evil spirit. If the God-life is established in the heart it is natural to feed on clean, enabling thoughts. This Mr. Adams failed to bring out.

Reminisence.

Is the old Castle which towers far above the city like a guardian angel keeping watch. The forest on the hillside is threaded with countless paths completely sheltered from the sun, all winding up the steep incline to the castle. The banks and boulders on either side of the path look wild and romantic, frequently interlined by half running arches crowded with luxurient wild flowers and caressed by the clinging fingers of hundreds of vines. We were informed that in early spring time the scene is still more beautiful. Passing through the huge gate of the massive wall, which incloses the grounds. The first glimpse almost makes one shudder. A feeling of lonliness creeps over one passing in the deep shadow of the wooded hillside. There are plenty guides who offer us their services for a mark. They tell us we will loose ourselves without their aid, but we are Americans with a spirit of independence. If ever we did loose our selves we always found our selves again

We pass through the great court yard to the south wall which gives us a magnificent view. At our feet rolls the river like a flood of silver to the Rhine not many miles away. The great forests all about us are like a beautiful rug of deepest green. As the morning sun lights up the valley the situation is glorious. The castle is not one building, but a number of buildings joined together forming one great circle and offering a display in variety of architecture. Each portion of the building differs in style and finish from its neighbor. The reason for this is that it was not the work of one architect or of one age, but rather a series of old palaces erected by various princes through 300 years. The great round tower is unique. We climbed up the 116 steps and took a snap-shot. We can not take the space to describe each building nor speak of the underground passages or the blasted tower. Perhaps the most impressive part is the old court in which may be seen the sculptered kings and warriors which seem like living beings gathered here to speak of the old times when these grand halls were filled with valient knights, sweet voiced minstrals and great men of history We thought of the scripture passage: "And the world passeth away and the lust thereof; but he that doeth the will of God abideth forever."

Read ad. of State Savings Bank.

PAY UP—All those owing me on book account in 1908 are requested to make settlemement by May 1, 1909. F. H. Ridder.

The relatives who attended the Mrs. Yahnke funeral at Buffalo Center from here were: M. Palmby and wife, C L. Yahnke and wife, Mrs. R. Elder, Henry Yahnke, E. G. Ell and wife, Wm. Fuller and wife.

Since the Kirkwood restaurant and bakery store have opened up here, they have realized a nice business. They are keeping a neat and tidy store. Their restaurant goods are fresh and their bakery goods are home made and unexcelled.

I'D RATHER DIE, DOCTOR

than have my feet cut off, said M L Bingham of Princeville, Ill. but you'll die from gangreen which had eaten away eight toes. If you don't said all doctors. Instead he used Bucklen's arnica salve till wholly cured. Its cures of eczema, fever sores, boils, burns and piles astound the world. 25 cts. at G A Pabst & Co.

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The only livery in town
Good rigs and careful drivers
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Call in.

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Have you read the wonderful stories of success in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas? Send for our pamphlet.

$30 to $35 will take you to principal points in the Southwest and return. Tickets sold first and third Tuesdays of each month.

When traveling to and from Colorado use the best! "The Rocky Mountain Limited."

Hundreds of people are going to California on the Golden State Limited. Why not you?

Mr. Jno G. Farmer, D. P. A., Cedar Rapids, will gladly inform you about any trip you may consider taking. Remember, I sell tickets.

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WHAT COLORS SHALL I USE?

This Question Is Important in Painting a House or Other Building.

A proper color scheme is extremely important in painting a house. It makes all the difference between a really attractive home and one at which you wouldn't take a second glance. And it makes a big difference in the price the property will bring on the market.

As to the exterior, a good deal depends upon the size and architecture of the house, and upon its surroundings. For a good interior effect you must consider the size of the rooms, the light, etc.

You can avoid disappointment by studying the books of color schemes for both exterior and interior painting, which can be had free by writing National Lead Company, 1902 Trinity Building, New York, and asking for Houseowner's Painting Outfit No. 49. The outfit also includes specifications, and a simple instrument for testing the purity of paint materials. Pure White Lead which will stand the test in this outfit will stand the weather test. National Lead Company's famous Dutch Boy Painter trademark on the keg is a guarantee of that kind of white lead.

ANOTHER BORING QUESTION.

"I say, pa, is a man from Poland called a Pole?"

"Yes, my son."

"Then, pa, why isn't a man from Holland called a Hole?"

CURED ITCHING HUMOR.

Big, Painful Swellings Broke and Did Not Heal—Suffered 3 Years.

Tortures Yield to Cuticura.

"Little black swellings were scattered over my face and neck and they would leave little black scars that would itch so I couldn't keep from scratching them. Larger swellings would appear and my clothes would stick to the sores. I went to a doctor, but the trouble only got worse. By this time it was all over my arms and the upper part of my body in swellings as large as a dollar. It was so painful that I could not bear to lie on my back. The second doctor stopped the swellings, but when they broke the places would not heal. I bought a set of the Cuticura Remedies and in less than a week some of the places were nearly well. I continued until I had used three sets, and now I am sound and well. The disease lasted three years. O. L. Wilson, Puryear, Tenn., Feb. 8, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

A DOUBLE EVENT.

Mrs. Highfly—And has she really got two servants?

Mrs. Flutter—Yes—one coming and one going.

DAILY AND SUNDAY FOR ONLY $1.00.

The Des Moines News, Daily and Sunday six full months for only $1.00. This trial offer should appeal to the reading public. Send in your one dollar bill to-day.

The Reverend and the Irreverent.

Bishop Doane of Albany, N. Y., who wears a shovel hat and leggings and is accused of signing himself "William of Albany," was a guest at dinner where the irreverent Dr. Hosmer was also dining.

They sat down. "I suppose," said the bishop, "that I shall ask grace."

"But why, my dear bishop," interposed Hosmer; "why talk shop at the table?"—Saturday Evening Post.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

When Love Is Young.

Mabel—Who was the best man at your wedding?

Ethel—Why, my husband, of course.

Chew WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT—promote saliva—release mint leaf juice—Fine for digestion!

In one year the escapement wheel of a watch makes 731,860 revolutions.

IS BARRED IN IOWA

Lodges and Organizations Cannot Wear Khaki

MILITARY BILL IS SWEEPING

Lodges May Wear Their Uniforms in Halls, But Not on the Streets. New State Law.

Des Moines, Ia., April 24.—No more wearing of uniforms on the streets, without being a member of a military organization.

Last winter, when Moore of Wapello introduced this bill in the house it created such a furore that it was quickly withdrawn. It had as its sponsor some of the officers at Fort Des Moines, who had become disgusted by the sale of soldier's effects to Des Moines young men.

It has developed that the same bill has been made a part of the military laws of the state in the big military bill passed. It provides a fine of from $50 to $100 for the wearing of either the real articles of soldier wear, or uniforms similar to this, unless the wearer is a member of the regular army, the state militia, or a military school.

A special provision is made that lodge members may wear similar uniforms in their hall drills, but this does not allow them to appear on the streets.

No one noticed this provision in the bill when it appeared in the large measure re-organizing the state guard, and it passed both houses of the legislature without a protest.

VACANCY STILL REMAINS OPEN

Board Considers the Abandonment of Position Held by the Late Mary Whitcomb.

It is reported at the state house that the state library board may not name a successor to the late Mary Whitcomb, who had charge of the library books in the west wing of the historical building prior to her death a few days ago. This department is known as the "genealogical department" and contains books on family trees, etc. The idea is said to be that there is enough room in the east section of the library to remove the "genealogical department" across the hall, put it under the direct supervision of Mr. Brigham and thus remove the necessity for anyone in Miss Whitcomb's place. The salary accorded Miss Whitcomb was $1,200 yearly.

The library board, which is composed of the judges of the supreme court, state superintendent and a couple of other state officials, expects to meet this week to take some definite action upon the vacancy.

Will Trace Corporations.

Approximately $4,000 in postage and clerks' hire is to be spent by Secretary of State Hayward within the next six months in finding out how many corporations are actually doing business in Iowa and what companies have gone out of business since articles of incorporation were filed at the secretary's office. The expense will be borne by the corporations themselves, which, under a law passed by the Thirty-third general assembly, are required to pay an annual $1 fee to the state. Since the office of secretary of state was established about 16,000 corporations have filed articles, and no one knows how many of these are still in existence.

Examine Doctors.

Examinations will be held by the medical examiners of state at the capitol building, June 1, 2 and 3, and for three days beginning June 22. The first examination is for Des Moines medical students, while the second will be to accommodate the students of eastern colleges who do not get out of school until after the middle of the month.

Insurance Tax Helps Treasury.

During the first three months of the year Auditor Bleakley collected the insurance taxes and fees and turned them over to the state treasury. They aggregate $361,880.02, of which $44,405. 17 were fees for certificates and examinations. This is the largest collection on record.

Must Compile Report.

Every two years on the September prior to the convening of the legislature, the executive council must compile a complete report showing all expenditures, amounts paid out for every possible expense, printing, supplies, fees, per diem, etc., which will be ready for the legislators when the assembly convenes.

NEW BOARD IS NOW DIVIDED

Resolution Adopted by New Board Invites the Old Boards to Offer Advice and Assistance

Des Moines, Ia., April 22.—After electing James H. Trewin of Cedar Rapids president and appointing a committee of three to visit and become familiar with each of the three state schools, Iowa's new board of education closed its first meeting at the state house, without electing a finance committee and adjourned until May 12, when the members will meet with the board of regents of the state university at Iowa City.

Immediately following the Iowa City joint session the new board will go to Cedar Falls and then to Ames to hold similar joint sessions with the trustees of the state normal school and the state college. A resolution was adopted to the effect that the board will welcome advice and help from the three separate boards which it will supplant.

Three members of the board of nine will visit each of the three schools and devote considerable time to becoming familiar with the details of administration. This was decided upon as the best means of preparing the board as a whole for an intelligent discharge of its duties after July 1, when it first comes into official existence. Visiting committees were named as follows:

For the state university—James H. Trewin, P. K. Holbrook, A. B. Funk.

For the state college—T. D. Foster, E. P. Schoentgen and C. R. Brenton.

For the state teachers' college—D. D. Murphy, G. T. Baker, Roger Leavitt.

Treasurer Can Collect Fees.

Under the laws of the state of Iowa the county treasurer may charge a fee of from 30 to 50 cents for receiving and answering payments of taxes through the mails. There seems to be an impression abroad that the county treasurer can not charge such fees, but this is incorrect and the law especially provides a minimum fee of 30 cents. It has been the practice in this county, and in fact in all counties in the state, to make the charge. The object of the law was to provide for the extra expense entailed in the clerical work necessary to handle the payment of taxes made by non-residents.

Buildings to Cost $100,000.

State Architect Liebbe and his assistant, B. F. Egbert, at the state house are completing plans for new state structures which will cost about $100,000.

The boy's custodial building at Glenwood, to cost $40,000, is to be commenced as soon as the contract is let on May 5.

At Oakdale, the seat of the State Tuberculosis hospital, many improvements are to be made. A new $5,000 residence for the superintendent is to be the first building erected. Then there are to be twenty cottages for the patients, to cost $1,000 each. A big building for the helpers and nurses is being designed to cost when completed $20,000. The plans contemplate a system of water works which will cost $1,000.

Affects Cigarette Smokers.

"It shall be unlawful," says the Proudfoot act, "for any person under 21 years of age to smoke or use a cigarette or cigarettes on the premises of another or on any public road, street alley or park or other land used for public purposes or in any place of business or amusement, except when in company of his parent or guardian." Under the new law boys under 21 years of age may be arrested for smoking cigarettes in almost any place except their own homes, unless accompanied by their guardians or parents. The bill was introduced by Senator Proudfoot by request, and the Iowa Anti-Saloon league intends to see it enforced.

Much Merit in New Law.

State Labor Commissioner Van Dyne says that the new child labor law, passed by the recent legislature will prove of more benefit to his department than any other enactment of the legislature. The amendment which the legislature added was backed by Representative Holmes. It forces the employer of labor to have always on hand a certificate of the proper age of any juvenile employes so that when the labor inspector comes around, he may be satisfied at once that the child labor law is not being violated.

Secretary of State Busy.

Bills which went to the secretary of state with Governor Carroll's signature are the omnibus appropriation bill, the joint resolution for expenses of state offices, the drainage bill, the Peterson-Lee amendment to the primary law and the bill permitting school bonds for East Des Moines to run for twenty years.

DOCTOR ADVISED OPERATION

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Paw Paw, Mich.—"I suffered terribly from female ills, including inflammation and congestion, for several years. My doctor said there was no hope for me but an operation. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I can now say I am a well woman."
EMMA DRAPER.

Another Operation Avoided.

Chicago, Ill.—"I want women to know what that wonderful medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, has done for me. Two of the best doctors in Chicago said I would die if I did not have an operation, and I never thought of seeing a well day again. I had a small tumor and female troubles so that I suffered day and night. A friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it made me a well woman."—Mrs. ALVENA SPERLING, 11 Langdon St., Chicago, Ill.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has proved to be the most successful remedy for curing the worst forms of female ills, including displacements, inflammation, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, and nervous prostration. It costs but a trifle to try it, and the result has been worth millions to many suffering women.

FITS

If you suffer from Fits, Falling Sickness, Spasms or have children or friends that do so, my New Discovery will relieve them, and all you are asked to do is send for a FREE Bottle of

Dr. May's Epilepticide Cure.

It has cured thousands where everything else failed. Sent free with directions. Express Prepaid. Guaranteed by May Medical Laboratory, under the National Food and Drugs Act, June 30th, 1906. Guaranty No. 18971. Please give AGE and full address.

DR. W. H. MAY,
548 Pearl Street, New York City.

A Time Mix-Up.

Author—What kind of a play has the best chance now of acceptance?

Manager—The one with a future is that of the lady with a past at present.

Red, Weak, Weary, Watery Eyes Relieved by Murine Eye Remedy. Compounded by Experienced Physicians. Murine Doesn't Smart; Soothes Eye Pain. Write Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, for illustrated Eye Book. At Druggists.

Vast Area for Trees.

England has 17,000,000 acres of land available for forestation.

Gleaming teeth! The more WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT you chew, the fewer dentist's bills you pay!

A brother is a mirror that never flatters.

Have you Rheumatism or any Ache or Pain? Try **A-B-C LINIMENT** The Best for Man or Beast.

If afflicted with sore eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**

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ING WATER FROM STREAM

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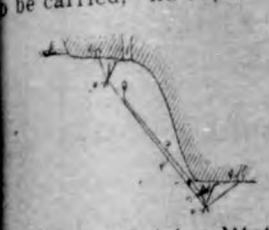
solution of a serious problem of g water to a bluff 120 feet above ning stream is given by Mr. J. tterson of Washington. There o springs on his farm, except e water's edge. "All the water be carried," he says.



Device for Raising Water.

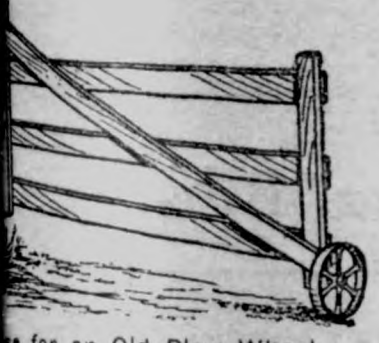
ug a well, to tap one of these s near the river, g, and rigged e device for drawing water as in the cut. I set up two sets kes as shown at a.

er one I ran a wire from top of down to and over the other. The nds of the wire are fastened sts or deadmen in anchor beds The wire was stretched taut lowing the stakes to lay away permanent point of erection unchors were secured, when they raised up and against the wire d. hen rigged a windlass, e, at the f the hill, over which was run e, e, holding the bucket which astened to trolley, d, by a subal pulley. The rope passes gh a second pulley suspended trolley at c. A block is secured e trolley, d, so that when the in descending strikes the block cket will pull the rope through nder pulley and so lowers into all. In raising the bucket will to top and strike pulley before ckle starts to top."

P GATE FROM SAGGING.

dy to Prevent Gate from Getting Out of Proper Position.

t farm gates are heavy, and aflittle time they sag. When they is way it takes a strong man en and shut one. Here is a y. Get a wheel, either big or



se for an Old Plow Wheel.

from an old piece of ma-, and bolt it to the front end gate in such a way that the will be held level. Now the st child can open the gate for Try it, for it is a saver—saves patience, your back, and the

The Use of Lime.

ot make the error of supposing ime is a manure. Lime will n acid soil and will promote the ation of organic matter in the nd will release mineral plant it. But in truck growing lime be used with caution, as some bles are injured by it. Where s a large amount of humus in ll from a long application of e it may be well to harrow in bushels of slacked lime an acre lowing the land for crops.

A HOME MADE GREENHOUSE.

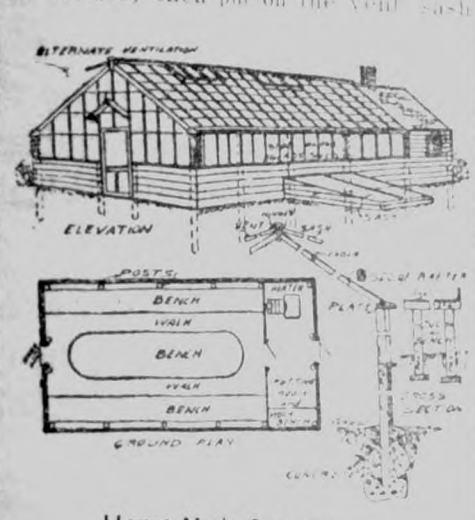
How to Grow a Cheap Small One That Will Grow Vigorous Plants.

Examine the accompanying plans carefully. Elevation shows walls and roof supports. Paint all the woodwork before erecting.

The posts are of five-inch round cedar, set below grade about three feet and tamped with concrete. These posts should be set between five and six feet apart, according to size of the house wanted and the length of lumber you intend to use for siding.

Now put on the plate; and measure down the depth of the side glass and put the glass sill on. The siding should be double with good water proof paper between.

Next put up the ridge and rafters. Be sure to allow one-eighth inch for the glass to play—in the glass groove or rebate; then put on the vent sash



Home-Made Greenhouse.

and headers (see cross-section showing post in concrete, siding, glass sill, plate, header, vent and sash).

Separate hotbed sash should be on the south side of the building, if possible; they are of great assistance to the greenhouse.

The ground plan shows the benches and walk arrangement; also heater, potting and workroom.

Sectional view of bench shows posts set in ground eight inches with a 2x4 across top, and 1x6's on the sides and bottom of bench.

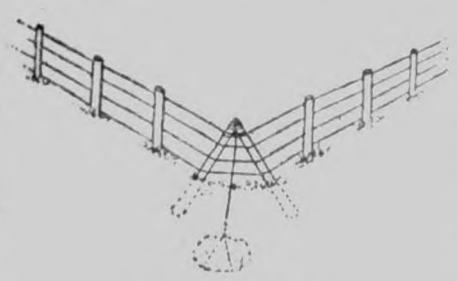
The heating plant should be a sectional hot water boiler; you can then increase the capacity of the boiler by additional sections at any time you may wish to enlarge the greenhouse.

With the aid of plans here given, any local carpenter, or any man handy with tools, should be able to erect a satisfactory greenhouse. Probably your local lumberman or planing-mill can furnish the desired materials, and your hardware man or plumber can furnish the boiler and piping. The necessary glass, glass points, putty or mastica, etc., are easily obtainable in almost any town.—Farm Journal.

BRACING STRAINED POSTS.

A Plan Is Given Below for Strengthening Corner Posts When Weakened.

Where a heavy strain comes upon a corner post, an arrangement such as shown in the cut will be found useful. Place two posts solidly in the ground, slanting toward each other, and fasten



A Post Braced.

the tops together securely by a bolt or by winding them with wire. To these attach a wire, the other end of which may be buried in the ground. If the stone is firmly secured, these posts will resist all pressure from the wires.

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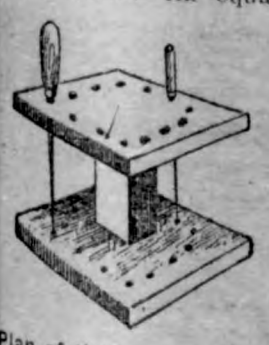
make the convenient tool stand in the accompanying illustrase two boards about 12 or 16 square. Three boards are fassecurely on each end of a square r centerpiece. An equal num-



Plan of the Small Stand.

holes are bored in each board ive the tools as indicated. handle is placed in the center top board the stand can be used nch or on the floor as desired.

Build Good Driveways.

The building of a good driveway is largely a matter of common sense. Any proficient landscape engineer can make a good driveway—a perfect one, in fact. His difficulty lies in getting the consent of an estate owner to build it as it should be built, says a writer in the Country Gentleman. Men of wealth who willingly lavish any amount of money on some temporary amusement usually balk at the expense of a perfect driveway, although such a driveway would remain a permanent source of pleasure not only to them but to several generations of posterity after them. Besides, it would prove the most economical in actual dollars and cents during the lives of the builders.

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Fluctuation in Tea Imports.

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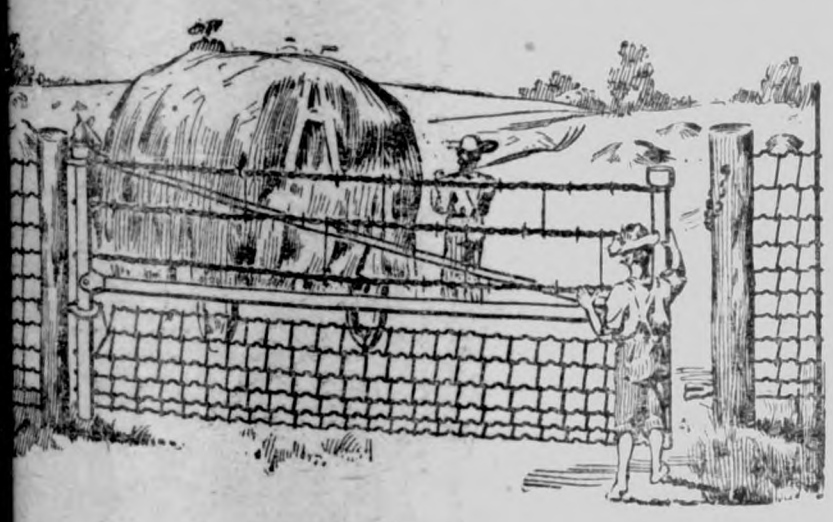

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How Do You Do?

After an absence of nearly seven years spent in different places of more or less importance (mostly less) the undersigned is back again at the helm and will hereafter control the destinies of the Klemme Times, having on May first purchased this paper from C. H. Mann & Co. We notice on our subscription list many familiar names, some new ones, and we are sorry to say, some of the old names are missing. Seven years is a short time we sometimes think, but still many changes are brought about in even such a short space of time. New faces are seen while some of the once familiar ones are missing, having moved on to different spheres of action or perhaps having been called to their Maker to render their final account. On the other hand, the old town looks familiar and home-like and we have had the pleasure of meeting many old friends and acquaintances, and we hope the pleasure was not one sided.

We are glad to note the many fine improvements that have been made in our little town, especially in the way of handsome residences which our people have erected in recent years. It is also good to note the fire protection which the town has provided. These things all speak well for the best little town in the state of Iowa.

We have returned to Klemme with the intention of making this town our home; of building up a business which will enable us to realize a fair remuneration for our labor, and to give the town a paper as good as lies in our power and one which may be a credit to the town. As to the policy of the paper, it is not necessary for us to make any long by explanations. Suffice it to say that we believe in a square deal for everybody and equal rights for all. We will play no favorites. Our desire is to get out a newsy paper. We want all the news that's fit to print and we hope there wont be any other kind. If you know any news items, kindly bring or send them in.

All money due on subscription is now payable to the undersigned and we will fill out all unexpired subscriptions.

C. H. Mann & Co. have published the paper for nearly five years and Henry Mann, who has had charge, has many friends here who will wish him well wherever he may conclude to locate.

We hope that we may be able to please all our readers and patrons and ask for a continuation of your valued patronage. The Times will be found boosting for Klemme in every legitimate way all the time. Klemme is a good town, but let us not lose sight of any opportunity to make it better. This paper will always try to do its share. We trust that our business relations with our townspeople may be always pleasant and mutually profitable. Now is the time to subscribe.

ALLEN C. FLINT.

Good Bye.

With last week's issue of the Klemme Times we issued our last paper, having sold our interest and good will to Allen C. Flint, formerly editor of this paper.

During our five years here we have realized a nice patronage from the business men of Klemme and have also added a nice list of new subscribers.

We also appreciate the support we received from our correspondents and especially wish to mention Rev. G. H. Wessel with his regular columm of news.

Mr. A. C. Flint who is now at the helm is a competent printer and a genial good fellow and is deserving of your support.

Just where I will locate I have not yet decided, but expect to continue in the printing business. Wherever I may locate I will hold the people of Klemme in most pleasaant remembrance.

I will close by once more saying, good bye to the people of Klemme.

Yours very truly,

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Klemme, - - Iowa

Naples has lost Roosevelt, but it still has Vesuvius.

Yes, the wages of sin is death—and nine times out of ten it is paid to the woman.

The trouble with many of those fair agitators of pure food is that they are unwilling to cook it.

The news that the south pole is on a high plateau will excite no surprise. Poles are generally found on platforms.

A Boston woman is said "to have embraced 23 different religions," but it is not known how many of them she has practiced.

The needleless compass has been invented. The next thing on the program in logical order to be announced is the northless pole.

Twenty Prussian children under the age of 15 killed themselves because disappointed in love last year. Poor little rare-ripes!

Chicago butcher gets a $1,000 fine for making sausage of bad horseflesh Something must be done to improve the breed of horses.

Crown Prince George of Servia will probably be happier as a plain citizen in some democratic country than as king of a troublesome empire.

It may seem a little lonely for Cuba to proceed as a hard-working, business-like country instead of being an object of international concern.

A girl in a New York town, whom a young man of the place jilted, lost her speech too late for the false lover to realize what he had missed in chances for a happy marriage.

It appears to be a fact that the social whirl leads to more nervous prostration, melancholia and even suicide than hard work. And in this fact lies a moral which he who runs may read

Only about 314 miles of frozen wastes remain to be covered to bring the explorers to both poles. But every mile can be a fearful distance when men are at the extreme limit of their endurance.

The new emperor of China, with all the wealth and power of oriental despotism to be his, cries day and night for the nurse from whom he has been taken. Here is an anti-climax of human greatness!

The trouble with psychotheraphy in churches, according to the Rev. Dr Leighton Parks, is that it identifies health with salvation. On the other hand, it might be remarked that the trouble with the churches where psychotherapy is anathema is that they take too little heed of the welfare and happiness of their members this side the grave. Health and salvation are not necessarily inconsistent.

A man detained in New York under sentence of deportation has been promised leniency if he saws his way out of the detention jail, and is now working on the job. It may be all very well for officials to test thus the stoutness of their bars and the integrity of their employes, which happens to be involved, but to the community at large, whose interests are also involved, it seems a queer test to apply to undesirable citizens.

Los Angeles is slow in arriving at the conclusion that it endures an unjust burden in being compelled to care for consumptives who are shipped out there without sufficient means properly to care for themselves. Denver reached this conviction some time ago. Since the fact is becoming known that it is not climate so much as fresh air and plenty of nourishing food that builds up consumptives the rush of such sufferers to the west and south has received a desirable check.

Official figures give a grim picture of conditions that have prevailed in Russia up to a recent date. The police department of the empire reports that from January 1, 1905, to January 1 1909, there were 3,319 condemnations to death and 1,435 executions. No doubt there has been a great deal of turbulence and crime in Russia, but the statement contains more than a hint that in some instances at least the authorities have worked strenuously and mercilessly to punish political offenses.

If Diogenes had attended a suit in a New York court lately, he would have gasped with amazement, fainted with delight and then doused the glim of his lantern for all time, for that suit developed an honest man, the kind for whom Diogenes looked in vain and who, Shakespeare declared, was one picked out of 10,000. He was a plumber, who testified that after giving an estimate on work he cut down the bill because he found the work less than the estimate called for.

HER INFINITE VARIETY

by BRAND WHITLOCK

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CHAPTER I.

Amelia came running eagerly down the wide stairs, and though she was smiling with the joy of Vernon's coming, she stopped on the bottom step long enough to shake out the skirt of the new spring gown she wore, with a manner that told she had it on that evening for the first time. Vernon hastened to meet her, and it was not until he had kissed her and released her from his embrace that she saw the dressing-case he had set down in the hall.

"What's that for?" she asked in alarm. Her smile faded suddenly, leaving her face wholly serious.

"I have to go back to-night," he replied, almost guiltily.

"To-night!"

"Yes; I must be in Springfield in the morning."

"But what about the dinner?"

"Well," he began, helplessly, "I guess you'll have to get somebody in my place."

Amelia stopped and looked at him in amazement.

"I thought the senate never met Mondays until five o'clock in the afternoon?" she said.

"It doesn't, usually; but I had a telegram from Porter an hour ago; there's to be a conference in the morning."

They started toward the drawing room. Amelia was pouting in her disappointment.

"I knew something would spoil it," she said, fatalistically. And then she added, presently: "I thought that Monday afternoon session never lasted longer than a minute. You never went down before until Monday night."

"I know, dear," said Vernon, apologetically, "but now that the session is nearing its close, we're busier than we have been."

"Can't you wire Mr. Porter and get him to let you off?" she asked.

Vernon laughed.

"He isn't my master," he replied.

"Well, he acts like it," she retorted, and then as if she had suddenly hit upon an unanswerable argument she went on: "If that's so why do you pay any attention to his telegram?"

"It isn't he, dear," Vernon explained, "it's the party. We are to have a very important conference to consider a situation that has just arisen. I must not miss it."

"Well, it ruins my dinner, that's all," she said, helplessly. "I wanted you here."

Vernon had come up from Springfield as usual for the week's end adjournment, and Amelia had counted on his waiting over, as he always did, for the Monday night train, before going back to his duties in the senate. More than all, she had counted on him for a dinner she had arranged for Monday evening.

"What time does your train leave?" she asked, in the voice of one who succumbs finally to a hopeless situation.

"Eleven twenty," he said. "But I brought my luggage over with me, so I could start from here at the last minute. I'll go over to the Twenty-third street station and catch it there."

Amelia had had the deep chair Vernon liked so well wheeled into the mellow circle of the light that fell from a tall lamp. The lamp gave the only light in the room, and the room appeared vast in the dimness; an effect somehow aided by the chill that was on it, as if the fires of the Ansley house had been allowed to die down in an eager pretense of spring. It was spring, but spring in Chicago. Sunday morning had been bright and the lake had sparkled blue in the warm wind that came up somewhere from the southwest, but by night the wind had wheeled around, and the lake resumed its normal cold and menacing mood. As Vernon sank into the chair he caught a narrow glimpse of the boulevard between the curtains of the large window; in the brilliant light of a street lamp he could see a cold rain slanting down on to the asphalt.

"How much longer is this legislature to last, anyway?" Amelia demanded, as she arranged herself in the low chair before him.

"Three weeks," Vernon replied.

"Three—weeks—more!" The girl drew the words out.

"Yes, only three weeks," said Vernon. "And then we adjourn sine die. The joint resolution fixes the date for June second."

Amelia said nothing. She was usually disturbed when Vernon began to speak of his joint resolutions; which was, perhaps, the reason why he spoke of them so often.

"Of course," Vernon went on, with a certain impression of relief in his words, "I have another session after this."

"When will that be?" Amelia asked.

She Stopped on the Bottom Step Long Enough to Shake Out the Skirt.

"Winter after next. The governor, though, may call a special session to deal with the revenue question. That would take us all back there again next winter."

"Next Winter!" she cried, leaning over in alarm. "Do you mean you'll have to be away all next winter, too!"

The significance of her tone was sweet to Vernon, and he raised himself to take her hands in his.

"You could be with me then, dearest," he said, softly.

"In Springfield!" she exclaimed.

"Why not?" asked Vernon. "Other members have their wives with them—some of them," he qualified, thinking how few of the members cared to have their wives with them during the session.

"What could one do in Springfield, pray?" Amelia demanded. "Go to the legislative hops, I suppose? And dance reels with farmers and West side politicians!" She almost sniffed her disgust.

"Why, dearest," Vernon pleaded, "you do them a great injustice. Some of them are really of the best people; the society in Springfield is excellent. At the governor's reception at the mansion the other night—"

"Now, Morley," Amelia said, with a smile that was intended to reproach him mildly for this attempt to impose upon her credulity.

"And, besides," Vernon hurried on, suddenly taking a different course with her, "you could be a great help to me. I never address the senate that I don't think of you, and wish you were there to hear me."

"I should like to hear you," said Amelia, softening a little. "But of course I couldn't think of appearing in the senate."

"Why not? Ladies often appear there."

"Yes, overdressed, no doubt."

"Well, you wouldn't have to be overdressed," Vernon retorted. He seemed to have the advantage, but he decided to forego it. He sank back on the cushions of his chair, folding his hands and plainly taking the rest a senator needs after his legislative labors.

"Of course," he said, "we needn't discuss it now. The governor may not call the special session. If the party —" but he paused, thinking how little interested she was in the party.

"I wish you'd let politics alone," Amelia went on relentlessly. "It seems so—so common. I don't see what there is in it to attract you. And how am I ever going to explain your absence to those people to-morrow night? Tell them that politics detained you, I suppose?" She looked at him severely, and yet triumphantly, as if she had reduced the problem to an absurdity.

"Why," said Vernoon, "you can tell them that I was called suddenly to Springfield; that an important matter in the senate—"

"The senate!" Amelia sneered.

"But, dearest," Vernon began, leaning over in an attitude for argument.

She cut him short.

"Why, Morley, do you think I'd ever let on to those Eltons that I know any one in politics?"

"Don't they have politics in New York?" he asked.

"They won't even know where Springfield is!" she went on irrelevantly.

"What'll they say when they receive our cards next fall?" he asked with a smile.

"Well, you needn't think your name will be engraved on them as senator, I can assure you!" Her dark eyes flashed.

Vernon laughed again, and Amelia went on:

"You can laugh, but I really believe you would if I'd let you!"

They were silent after that, and Amelia sat with her elbow on the arm of her chair, her chin in her hand, meditating gloomily on her ruined dinner.

"If you did any good by being in politics," she said, as if speaking to herself. "But I fail to see what good you do. What good do you do?" She lifted her head suddenly and challenged him with a high look.

"Well," he said, spreading his hands wide, "of course, if you don't care enough to look in the newspapers!"

"But how could I, Morley?" said Amelia. "How was I to know where to look?"

"Why, in the Springfield dispatches."

"I began by reading the papers," Amelia said. "But, really now, ley, you know I couldn't find any in them about you."

"The most important work in legislature isn't done in the new pers," said Vernon, with a signific that was intended to hide his in sistency. "There are committee ings, and conferences and caucu it is there that policies are ma out and legislation framed."

He spoke darkly, as of secret sions held at night on the upper f of hotels, attended only by those had received whispered invitation

"But if you must be in politics," said, "why don't you do something something great, something to a stir? Show your friends that are really accomplishing somethi

Amelia sat erect and gave a str ous gesture with one of her little clenched. Her dark eyes showed excitement of ambition. But Ver drooped and placed his hand wea to his brow. Instantly Amelia sta up from her chair.

"Does that light annoy you?" tone was altogether different from ambitious one. She was stretching a hand toward the lamp, and the w flesh glowed red between her fing held against the light.

"Never mind," said Vernon. doesn't bother me."

But Amelia rose and twisted shade of the lamp about, and then she was taking her seat again, went on:

"I suppose it'll be worse then after—after we're—married." She tered, and blushed, and began mak little plaits in her handkerchief, st ing the effect with a sidewise turn her head.

Vernon bent over and took both hands in his.

"If it were only Washingto There was a new regret in her tone there was in the inclination of head.

"It shall be Washington, dear," said.

Amelia's eyelids fell and she blus again, even in the glow the lamp s upon her face. They were silent a moment, and then suddenly looked up.

"Washington would be ever so m better, Morley," she said. "I sho feel as if that really amounted to so thing. We'd know all the diplom and I'm sure in that atmosphere would become a great man."

"I will, dear; I will," he declar "but it will be all for you."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Eve Was a Lunger.

Man still carries the original nu ber of ribs, but he is short of a l lobe. Where did he lose it? Eve it. Man's right lung to-day consi of three lobes; man's left lung to- consists of two lobes. Let us consi the missing lobe on the left. T lungs, mind you, are the life. was made out of Adam's third r lobe on the left, the lobe nearest heart. She was constructed out wind mostly. That is—she took p of Adam's breath away. Adam's p terity of the male persuasion in th latter days can count on only f lobes to both lungs; while Ev daughters can count on seven; wh accounts for woman having the l word in a controversy.—New Yo Press.

Value of Trees in Towns.

"The planting of trees in stre and public places is a sure means increasing the healthfulness of town, as well as adding to its beau But," says a writer in Building Wor "not all trees are suitable for to planting; and in order to insure s cess, a nursery in which to grow t selected trees should be establish in the neighborhood. London appe to be well provided in this respe The London county council maintai its own nurseries, and large tracts ground at Avery Hill are reserved rearing of young trees, whose u mate destinations are the vario parks and public gardens of t metropolis."

The Psychology of the Badge.

"I've always noticed," spoke Old Jim, "that us farmers, when git on a biled shirt and a derby h feel about the same as a city fell wearin' a soft shirt and a slouch h We sort o' b'lieve that it's our d to over-in-dulge. In the old days wuz one o' them kind what could even pin a badge on my coat witho a-feelin' that I had a license ter pa the town red."

"Yes," laughed Cal, "there hain no sadder sight than ter see a p fectly sober man all covered with ri bins and badges."—From "Old Ji Case of South Hollow."

Reciprocity.

There is a little shop in Park pla before the door of which is a sm box. The top is fastened by a padlock The key is kept in a hiding pla known only to the man who keeps t shop, and to the postman. When th postman has a letter for that numb he unlocks the little box, drops in th mail, finds a cigar, locks the box an proceeds on his way. This has bee going on a long time. The man wh keeps the shop lives over on Lon island. He has no clerk and comes t business whenever the spirit move him.—New York Times.

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...daughter of Gladstone Proved ...he Had Not Read Scriptures for Nothing.

...s Dorothy Drew, who was pre...d at court a few days ago, was ...vorite granddaughter of the late ... Gladstone, and among the ...es told of her childhood days is ...ollowing: One morning she re... to get up, and, all other things ...g, Mr. Gladstone was called to ... "Why, don't you get up, my ...?" he asked. "Why, grandpa, ... you tell me to do what the ... says?" replied Dorothy. "Yes, ...inly." "Well, it disapproves of ... rising—says it's a waste of ..." rejoined the child. Mr. Glad... was unable to agree, but Dor... was sure of her ground. "You lis... then," she said, in reply to his ...mation of astonishment, and, ...g up her Bible she read Psalm ..., laying great emphasis on the ...s: "It is vain for you to rise up ...."—Tit-Bits.

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...y little boy had an awful rash all ... his body and the doctor said it ... eczema. It was terrible, and used ...ater awfully. Any place the water ... it would form another sore and it ...d become crusted. A score or ...e physicians failed utterly and dis...y in their efforts to remove the ...ble. Then I was told to use the ...icura Remedies. I got a cake of ...icura Soap, a box of Cuticura Oint...t and a bottle of Cuticura Re...vent, and before we had used half ... Resolvent I could see a change in ... In about two months he was en...y well. George F. Lambert, 139 ...t Centre St., Mahanoy City, Pa,. ...t. 26 and Nov. 4, 1907."

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...atient—Ah, that's lucky! You are ...e familiar with my complaint, ...n?

...octor—Familiar? My dear sir, I've ... it myself—er—this 20 years!

A Frank Opinion.

...Once a youth thought it his solemn ...y to learn something about Henry ...mes. So, to the great admiration ...his frivolous friends, he picked up ...he Wings of the Dove" and disap...ared into its pages.

...Two weeks later he was thinner, but ...ll at it, when one of the afore-men...ned frivolous friends came into the ...om, and, for the first time showed ...erest.

..."Say," he observed, "is 'The Wings ... the Dove' a collection of short ...ries or one long story?"

...The delver into James glanced up ...m the pages.

..."One darned long story," he replied, ...rowing his whole soul into the ...rds.

Future Ideal Town.

...In the ideal town of the future, as ...tured by Sir Oliver Lodge, the ...uses will have gas for heating by ...en fires and for cooking, and elec...city for lighting. The gas, pro...ced from the coal at the mine, will ... sent long distances through pipes, ... water is now distributed. It is ...ped that the experiment will be tried ...on, the burning of crude coal in town ...ng absolutely forbidden, and at least ...o English towns are already consid...ing the plan. The purification of ...e air is one of the greatest needs in ...e improvement of the conditions of ...y life.

A Famous Health Builder.

...A medicine that will cleanse the bowels ...d put them in condition to do their ...per work unaided will do more than ...ything else to preserve health and ...rength. Such a medicine is the tonic lax...ve herb tea, Lane's Family Medicine. ...t a 25c package to-day at any druggist ... dealer. No matter what you have tried ...fore, try this famous herb tea.

Seeking to Be a Comforter.

..."You are consuming a great deal of ...luable time with your tariff argu...ent."

..."Yes," answered Senator Sorghum, ... find satisfaction in trying to demon...trate that here is one case where the ...nsumer doesn't pay the tax."

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...fore they multiply. A DAISY FLY ...ILLER kills thousands. Lasts the sea...n. Ask your dealer, or send 20c to H ...mers, 149 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y

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DECLARE LAW VOID

Railroads Can Issue Passes Say Attorneys

TAKEN TO HIGH COURTS

Illinois Central Company Will Carry the Case to the Nation's Highest Court for Decision.

Des Moines, Ia., May 3.—The Illinois Central railroad has begun an attack on the Iowa anti-pass law that will not end until the statute has been passed upon by the United States supreme court.

The attack of the railroad is centered upon that portion of the law which provides that a company attorney or surgeon may not receive transportation unless his work for the company is his "main or chief occupation." This provision is held to be unconstitutional and invalid on four grounds, and incidentally the arguments of the appellant contends that this portion of the anti-pass law so influenced the passage of the entire act that the entire law must be declared void.

Mr. Schultz signed a contract with the Illinois Central road after the enactment of the anti-pass law with a stipulation that he should receive free transportation as a part of his compensation. The contract was made openly and largely for the purpose of testing the Iowa statute. The grounds on which the law would be attacked did not appear until the argument of the appellant was filed.

That the provision of the law preventing attorneys and surgeons from receiving passes unless their work for the road is their chief or main occupation is unconstitutional is argued on two grounds. The first of these is that it interferes with the right of contract between master and servant. It is contended that the railroad company has a perfect right to make a contract agreeing to pay for services partly in cash and partly in transportation.

No matter how the case is decided in the Iowa court, an appeal will be taken to Washington and the filing of the opening argument means the beginning of a long legal struggle. Attorney General Byers will file an answer within two weeks.

QUEER VAGARIES OF RIVER

River at Belle Plaine Moves Over Into Another County Leaving Bridge High and Dry.

Belle Plaine.—The supervisors of Iowa county are blasting away stumps and making a straighter channel for the Iowa river west of the Iowa county river bridge about two miles south of Belle Plaine. The river formerly had its main channel under a fine, large, iron bridge in Benton county, but gradually a slough which had water only in times of high water, became the main channel. Curiously enough, although this crosses the highway only a few yards to the south of the former main channel, it is in another county, and it is there that the work of straightening the river channel to protect the Iowa county bridge is now being done.

Mail Clerk Sues Railroad.

Iowa Falls, Ia., May 1.—Is a railroad company required to maintain heat in a United States mail car at all times when it is in service is a question that must be answered in a $10,000 damage suit filed by Mail Clerk Earl Chapman who runs on the north end of this division of the Rock Island road. That road is made the defendant in the action and Chapman in his petition claims that the car in which he was working was set out during a big blizzard at Ocheydan and that being returned to work in a car not properly heated, he contracted pneumonia, resulting in pain, anguish and heavy expense for nurse hire, medical attendance, etc.

Boost For Good Roads.

Iowa Falls, Ia., May 1.—The Des Moines Short Line is making a hit with some of the towns along its lines between Mason City and Des Moines by offering to furnish gravel at the depot for grading the main traveled street from the town to the company's depot. This is done in the interest of good roads and to facilitate the transportation of heavy freight, express, mail and passengers from the company's depot up town.

Arrested for Wife Desertion.

Sigourney.—The grand jury in session has reported a bill against Philip Warnerus of Richland for wife desertion. He was caught by Sheriff Grimes in Davenport, and is lodged in jail awaiting the fall term of court.

HELD AN ANNUAL CAMPFIRE

Over Hundred Members of the Famous Spanish-American War Regiment Meet.

Creston, Iowa, April 28.—The Fifty-first regiment of the Iowa National Guard was in session here Monday, over one hundred veterans being present. The reunion was held in the county court house and the business meeting in the afternoon was presided over by Captain Keating, commander of the Army of the Philippines. The Fifty-first was the only Iowa regiment that took part in the real fight during the Spanish-American war and many reminiscences were recalled that made the reunion a particularly gratifying one to the members.

Telegrams from absent members who could not be present were received and read, and the evening was given over to a campfire, at which a large number participated in the program and an enjoyable evening and one long to be remembered was spent. A committee was appointed to compile a roster and history of the Fifty-first organization and is composed of Adjutant General Guy E. Logan, Dr. Wilbur Conklin and Captain Brewer of Corning. Red Oak was selected for the next reunion meeting place and Major Dan Turner of Corning was elected as commander.

The other officers elected were: Vice-commander, Guy S. Brewer of Des Moines; corresponding secretary, Ed. Okey of Corning; recording secretary, Frank Grounds of Greenfield; treasurer, W. S. Conklin of Des Moines.

MANUFACTURERS DAY IN IOWA

A General Observance to be Made Once a Month by Manufacturers and Jobbers.

Des Moines.—"Manufacturers' day," to be observed state-wide the first Tuesday in every month, for the purpose of awakening the state of Iowa to the necessity of industrial growth, will be established by the Iowa State Manufacturers' association.

It is proposed that manufacturers in every city of the state will meet together on "Manufacturers' Day" of each month at luncheon or in the evening, to confer upon the various questions concerning Iowa's industrial expansion and to arouse general public interest.

Tuesday, May 4, will be the first "Manufacturers' Day." Waterloo and other Iowa cities have planned to make the first event a hummer, with big banquets in the evening.

Council Bluffs.—A suit filed at Avoca, Ia., complaining of the presence of a dam across the Nishnabotna river at Carson and asking the court to issue a writ of mandamus restraining the owners from maintaining the dam, started a lively contest, the origin of which is contained in an effort of citizens of the northern part of Pottawattamie county to secure the construction of a ditch straightening the Nishnabotna river, one of the crookedest and most erratic streams in western Iowa.

Put Off Train; Walks.

Des Moines.—Mrs. Olive Sanderson who says her home is in Clermont county, Ohio, walked from Colfax to Des Moines pushing a rickety baby cart before her, in which were two small children, but poorly protected from the cold. According to the woman's story she was put off the train at Colfax because she had no money to pay her fare farther. Determined to reach Council Bluffs, where she hopes to find relatives, Mrs. Sanderson wrapped up her children as best she could and pushed the cart before her through the mud and biting rain. Sympathetic farmers aided her, and believing that all Iowa farmers are charitable, the woman is willing to walk the remainder of the distance. She was given aid in Des Moines by the Volunteers of America.

Discovered Dead Body.

Vinton.—While building a fence on his farm Mr. Ed Burrell and his farm hands, D. L. Wilson and Douglas Lindsay, discovered the dead body of a male child. Mr. Burrel's farm is about a mile and a half northwest of Urbana.

Coming From China.

Iowa City.—Dr. Charles E. Riggs will sail soon from Peking, China, to come to Iowa City, after his retirement as a surgeon for the United States government. Dr. Riggs is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Riggs of this city.

Masqueraded As a Boy.

Grinnell.—There was considerable excitement at the glove factory when one of the employes, who had been passing as a boy named "Willie Thompson," proved to be a 15-year-old girl named Marian Hutton, who comes from Rutledge, near Ottumwa.

DOLLAR WHEAT HAS COME TO STAY

IN LESS THAN FIVE YEARS CENTRAL CANADA WILL BE CALLED UPON TO SUPPLY THE UNITED STATES.

A couple of years ago, when the announcement was made in these columns that "dollar wheat" had come to stay, and that the time was not far distant when the central provinces of Canada—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—would be called upon to supply a large part of the wheat consumption in the United States, there were many who laughed at the predictions and ridiculed the idea of wheat reaching the dollar point and staying there. Both of these predictions have come to pass. Dollar wheat is here—and it is not only here, but is here to stay; and at the same time, whatever unpleasant sensations it may arouse in the super-sensitive American, Central Canada is already being called upon to help keep up the bread supply, and within the next five years will, as James J. Hill says, literally "become the bread-basket of our increasing millions."

There are few men in the United States better acquainted with the wheat situation than Mr. Hill, and there are few men, if any, who are inclined to be more conservative in their expressed views. Yet it was this greatest of the world's railroad men who said a few days ago that "the price of wheat will never be substantially lower than it is today"—and when it is taken into consideration that at that time wheat had soared to $1.20, well above the dollar mark, the statement is peculiarly significant, and doubly significant is the fact that in this country the population is increased at the ratio of 65 per cent., while the yield of wheat and other products is increasing at the rate of only 25 per cent. For several years past the cost of living has been steadily increasing in the United States, and this wide difference in production and consumption is the reason.

This difference must be supplied by the vast and fertile grain regions of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. There is now absolutely no doubt of this. Even the press of the country concedes the fact. Results have shown that no other country in the world can ever hope to equal those provinces as wheat producers, and that no other country can produce as hard or as good wheat. Said a great grain man recently, "If United States wheat maintains the dollar mark, Canada wheat will be well above a dollar a bushel, for in every way it is superior to our home-grown grain."

With these facts steadily impinging their truth upon our rapidly growing population, it is interesting to note just what possibilities as a "wheat grower" our Northern neighbor possesses. While the United States will never surrender her prestige in any manufacturing or commercial line, she must very soon acknowledge, and with as much grace as she can, that she is bound to be beaten as a grain producer. It must be conceded that a great deal of the actual truth about the richness of Canada's grain producing area has been "kept out of sight," as Mr. Hill says, by the strenuous efforts of our newspapers and magazines to stem the exodus of our best American farmers into those regions. It is a fact that up to the present time, although Canada has already achieved the front rank in the world's grain producers, the fertile prairies of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta have as yet scarcely been scratched. Millions of acres, free for the taking, still await our American farmers; and when these millions are gone there are other millions in regions not yet opened up to immigration. A few years ago the writer, who has been through those wheat provinces several times, laughed with others of our people at the broad statement that Canada was bound to become "John Bull's Bread Basket." Now, after a last trip (and though he is a stanch American) he frankly believes that not only will Canada become John Bull's bread-basket, but it will within the next decade at least BECOME THE BREAD-BASKET OF THE UNITED STATES. Perhaps this may be a hard truth for Aemricans to swallow, but it is a truth, nevertheless. And it is at least a partial compensation to know that hundreds of thousands of our farmers are profiting by the fact by becoming producers in this new country.

The papers of this country have naturally made the most of the brief period of depression which swept over Canada, but now there is not a sign of it left from Winnipeg to the coast. Never have the three great wheat raising provinces been more prosperous. Capital is coming into the country from all quarters, taking the form of cash for investment, industrial concerns seeking locations, and, best of all, substantial and sturdy immigrants come to help populate the prairies. Towns are booming; scores of new elevators are springing up; railroads are sending out their branch lines in all directions; thousands of prosperous farmers are leaving their prairie shelters for new and modern homes—"built by wheat:" everywhere is a growing happiness and contentment—happiness and contentment built by wheat—the "dollar wheat," which has come to stay. Notwithstanding this, the Canadian Government is still giving away its homesteads and selling pre-emptions at $3.00 an acre, and the Railway and Land Companies are disposing of their lands at what may be considered nominal figures.

THE TWO SIDES OF HISTORY.

Some Pertinent Observations Made by Writer Evidently Not Fond of Subject.

History is a running account of how King Somebody-or-other either did or did not get to a certain place, which nobody ever heard of, before King Somebody-else got there, from which we are usually supposed to conclude that it would have made quite a difference whether he did not not.

Like nearly everything else, history has two sides. The history of the Garden of Eden depends upon whether it is related by a man or a woman. The history of the American revolution reads quite different in English books from the way it reads in our own books. The history of the civil war depends upon which side of the Mason and Dixon line you happen to be sitting when you write it.

History is a bore, not only because you are unacquainted with the people who figure in it, but because it repeats itself.—Life.

Eyes Are Relieved By Murine

when Irritated by Chalk Dust and Eye Strain, incident to the average School Room. A recent Census of New York City reveals the fact that in that City alone 17,928 School Children needed Eye Care. Why not try Murine Eye Remedy for Red, Weak, Weary, Watery Eyes, Granulation, Pink Eye and Eye Strain? Murine Doesn't Smart; Soothes Eye Pain. Is Compounded by Experienced Physicians; Contains no Injurious or Prohibited Drugs. Try Murine for Your Eye Troubles; You Will Like Murine. Try It in Baby's Eyes for Scaly Eyelids. Druggists Sell Murine at 50c. The Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Will Send You Interesting Eye Books Free.

The Small Brother Again.

It was the first warm night of springtime, and they sat out in the park under the stars. Suddenly there was the sound of a snapping twig in the tree near them.

"Dear me, George," she whispered. "What kind of a tree is that?"

George looked up and discovered a pair of juvenile eyes peering through the branches.

"H'm" he muttered, sheepishly. "Looks to me like a rubber tree."

A Cure For Colds and Grip.

There is inconvenience, suffering and danger in a cold, and the wonder is that people will take so few precautions against colds. One or two Lane's Pleasant Tablets (be sure of the name) taken when the first snuffly feeling appears, will stop the progress of a cold and save a great deal of unnecessary suffering. Druggists and dealers generally sell these tablets, price 25 cents. If you cannot get them send to Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y. Sample free.

Too Wise.

"Will you take a chance on kissing a pretty girl?" asked the young lady with the raffle tickets at the church fair. The crusty and confirmed bachelor held up his hands in horror. "What, me!" he gasped. "No, indeed, I don't take any such chances as those. Chap took a chance like that one time and six months later he married the young lady."

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Omissions of History.

Romulus, having built Rome, was constructing a wall around it.

"What's the use of putting a wall on the north side?" jeered Remus. "Evanston will never try to break in."

Then ensued the first boxing contest in the new city, with the result, as all the world knows, that Remus was permanently knocked out.

Mamma's Orders.

"Mamma has given me orders that when a young man gives me anything I must give it right back."

"All right, prepare yourself."

"What for?"

"I'm going to give you a kiss."—Houston Post.

A Rare Good Thing.

"Am using ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE, and can truly say I would not have been without it so long, had I known the relief it would give my aching feet. I think it a rare good thing for anyone having sore or tired feet.—Mrs. Matilda Holtwert, Providence, R. I." Sold by all Druggists, 25c. Ask to-day.

If thy friends agree in calling thee an ass, go and get a halter around thee.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle

And they get the biggest tips who only stand and wait.

TERHUFEN BROS.

—PROPRIETORS OF THE—

One Price Cash Store

We carry a complete line of

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Groceries, Paints, Oils, Flour

and other articles too numerous to mention in the Grocery and Hardware line.

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in connection where you can get your work done promptly.

We solicit a share of your patronage.

Yours for business,

TERHUFEN BROS.

KLEMME, IOWA

HELLO THERE

Where are you going? I'm going to H. Lau & Son. They handle all kinds of farm implements, Port Huron threshers also the Aultman & Taylor machinery, the 20 Century and Appleton manure spreader, McKinnon and Clinton wagons, Anchor and Velie buggies, Ohio and Kingman cultivators, stirring and gang plows, the open mould board sulky plows the lightest draft, Towers cultivators, Imperial and Challenge wind mills, hog fencing, barb wire, smooth wire gates, pumps and piping of all kinds, feed mills and the international gas engines from 1 to 40 H. P., Milwaukee mowers, binders, Dane hay loaders and buckers, nails and fence staples, wind mills and pump repairing on short notice, the sharpless cream separator the best made today, the Crack a-jack line of samples for tailor made suits.

In the Household—As Hygeno is regularly used by thousands as a household remedy, disinfectant, germicide and insecticide the greatest cleanliness is exercised in its manufacture. For sale here.

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STYX NO. 24964.

The imported stallion **STYX** is a jet black free from white and weighs over 2000 lbs. as a eight year-old.

Sired by Gerfaut 2d Reg. No. 2538 and he by Hercule No. 2522 Dam Wanne d'Ap No. 38165 and she by Marie No. 4523.

This horse was shipped from Brussels, Oct. 15, 1903 by the Livermore Horse Importing Co. of Livermore, Iowa

Will make the season at the following places:

Frank Glanville on Monday and Tuesday.
G. O. Miner on Tuesday and Wednesday.
W. S. Glanville on Thursday.
C. L. Yahnke Livery Barn Friday and Saturday.

TERMS—To insure a live colt to stand up and suck $15.

M. Palmby, J. E. Johnson,

Owners.

A. Kirkwood, Manager.

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

The dog poisoner is at work in Corwith.

Chas. Bracher has purchased the Robt. Elder property in Garner.

Tom Fong is no longer "washee" at Garner, he having moved to Sac City.

Great arrangements are being made for a bigger and better Hancock County Fair this year.

H. E. Baumgartner of Garner expects to run the Oaks hotel at Clear Lake again this summer.

Henry Groen's barn on his place near Meservey was struck by lightning and burned to the ground.

Britt will celebrate Independence Day on July 3rd and Clear Lake on July 5th. The 4th comes on Sunday this year.

Owing to the M. W. A. annual convention in Belmond on June 17th, the Odd Fellows doings in Corwith will be held on June 9th.

Thos. Fotheringham has resigned his position as agent for the Qneal Company at Garner, and his place will be filled after June first by Jack Shaeffer of Comfrey, Minnesota. Mr. Fotheringham has made a most efficient manager for the company and is a good honest business man. He has not yet decided upon his future location or vocation.

Perry Lehman, one of the section hands of the M. & St. L. was dangerously injured in an accident which occurred about a half mile south of the depot yesterday morning. The section men have a sail which is used on the hand car on windy days and while making the trip over the south section yesterday morning the car left the track, seriously injuring all on board with the exception of Miss Lanta Prince who was riding on the car to her school southwest of town. When the car left the track young Lehman who was on the front of the car was run over, and one leg was broken in two places above the knee, his head badly bruised, but it is thot that if not mentally injured he will recover. Sander Peterson was cut about the face and hands and badly shaken up while Fred Willodson, the other section hand, had one finger broken and otherwise bruised and shaken up. Miss Prince escaped with only a severe shaking.—Britt Tribune.

Avery Center.

The town of Meservey has a great many cases of typhoid fever.

Mrs. C. Guitner called on Mrs W. L. Sherwood one day last week.

Miss Marve Chase returned home Friday, after a two months visit with her grandparents.

Anthony Shaver and his sister Hazel attended the dance given at Walt Braga's home Saturday evening.

John Bachman is getting along nicely at this writing, after suffering with typhoid fever for the past four weeks.

The seeding is about through with except some low lands which is too wet to sow now, which will be sown to buckwheat later in the season.

Mrs. T. M. Hamilton and sister, Miss Laura Meyers, Mrs. J. T. Griggs and Mrs. W. L. Sherwood called at the home of J. W. Griggs last Sunday.

Much Obleeged

A. C. Flint, late of Dickens, Iowa, has purchased the Klemme Times and will assume charge May 1. We are glad to welcome Mr. Flint back into Hancock county. He is a good newspaper man and a first class printer, so Klemme is assured of a good paper —Corwith Hustler.

CHAMBERLAIN'S LINIMENT

This is a new preparation and a good one. It is especially valuable as a cure for chronic and muscular rheumatism, and for the relief from pain which it affords in acute inflamatory rheumatism. Those who have used it have invariably spoken of it in the highest terms of praise. Lame back, lame shoulder and stiff neck are due to rheumatism of the muscles, usually brought on by exposure to cold or damp, and are quickly cured by applying this liniment freely and massaging the affected parts. Soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, is allayed by this liniment. For sale by G. A. Pabst & Co.

Such a Suit as this for $8.00

THINK OF IT!

A new dark brown Suit, with fancy stripe, fancy cuffs and pocket flaps, all for $8.00. Yes, this is one of our

Suits for Hard-Wear

We have a long table piled high with just such Suits. We sell them at

$5.00 $6.50
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Look these over before you buy your Spring Suit. IT WILL PAY YOU.

Arthur Wellemeyer.

Where your Dollar does its duty.

City Dray Line

All work done promptly and guaranteed to give satisfaction. Give me a call.

G. R. WATERMAN,
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WE

Have the largest and finest display of Spring Millinery ever shown; has excited more admiration and attention than any we ever had.

We have some of the most beautiful and striking effects in Pattern Hats, Trimmed Hats and Childrens headwear. The latest in Hair Rolls also a fine line of the best ladies Corsets. We have quite an assortment of the latest ladies waists, and a fine line of Collars, Rushes and Belts.

Our Trimmer is an experienced one who will be sure to please.

MRS. J. JOSTEN.

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OCAL NEWS

Wellemeyer's ad.

Elder's little girl has ite sick.

Post visited friends at Monday.

A. Muehlmeier held ser- Thompson last Sunday.

riewe and Ralph Blank t Garner on business y.

Fuller has been busy ek building a tool house emetery.

a good plan. Read the of the State Savings n 1st page.

Aggie Blank visited at Tuesday with her sister, m. F. Lau.

Geo. Wessel, Arthur eyer and H. Griewe were visitors Monday.

e just added to my stock ine of Lace Curtains at o $6.00 a pair at G. F. s. tf

H. Busemann and chil- who have been visiting th relatives, returned to ille Monday.

TED—Having leased the der pasture, I will be in a to pasture your stock ing season.

Fred C. Griewe.

at sewing machine auc- s pulled off at Welle- store last Saturday. A. nwetter was the lucky o got the Goodrich Sew- chine.

H. Schroeder and son rrived in Klemme from Monday evening. They cking their household preparatory to moving o Chicago, where they ke their home and where roeder is employed.

the nice weather started of the week, everybody g busy, the farmers get- the balance of their crops paring their corn ground town people putting in May the good weath- nue.

think of buying a rug ay you to look over my hich consists of Wilton Axminsters, Saxony ters, Colonial Velvets ssels made in sizes 6 x 9, 0 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. or rugs G. F. Schuler.

State Savings Bank ad.

W. R. Bloom is remodeling his hog house.

The First National Bank has a change of ad this week Read it.

Parties owing me on account are requested to pay as soon as possible. Dr. Geo. Zinn. 40 2

Arthur Wellemeyer has some interesting reading on Men's Suits in his ad this week. Look it over carefully.

Anyone wishing their lots in the cemetery graded up or taken care of make arrangements with Wm. Fuller. 2w*

We asked Dr. Zinn for some news this week and he said all he knew was that it was "distressingly healthy."

Tom Elder added his name to our subscription list this week. We cordially welcome him to our family of readers.

August Lau has his house and the addition to the house completed, and it makes him a first class, up to-date residence.

We acknowledge a pleasant call last Saturday from E. H. Schuldt, one of our valued readers and a substantial farmer.

Don't overlook the new ad of J. H. Queal & Co. on our first page this week. They have a talk about the famous "Iowa Gate for the Farm" for which they are agents.

H. C Lau shipped one car of hogs last week and one car Sunday morning. August Lau shipped a car of cattle to Chicago Sunday morning, H. C. Lau going in with the shipment.

John Farmer sold eighteen head of fat steers to August Lau, for which he received six cents per pound, or a total of $1492.80. Mr. Lau says that this was the best car of steers shipped from Klemme in the last six years. Mr. Farmer knows how to finish cattle. We call this making money.

We publish this week the financial statement of the First National Bank, one of our strong banking institutions, to which your attention is respectfully called. The report shows a good healthy business, the deposits showing up strong. Klemme is indeed to be congratulated on its splendid banking facilities.

After a most disagreeable spell of cold, wet, unseasonable weather, it cleared off last Monday and things soon began to look more cheerful. With good weather from this on, things will brighten up. We need a good warm and reasonably dry summer, and then old Hancock County will again take rank with the best countries on earth. Here's hopin'.

After this week the Times will be printed every Thursday morning. This will enable us to reach our subscribers who live on the rural routes of our neighboring towns in better season and we believe it will give better satisfaction all around. Copy for changes of ads should reach this office as early as possible in the week so that we may give the proper time to get them up in good readable shape. We are going to make an effort to gradually improve the paper and we ask your co-operation. A good newspaper is unquestionably a good thing for a town. If you are interested in the town, be also interested in helping us to get out a good paper. Tell us the news. The more the better.

A Kirkwood & Son have a new ad.

Our hot weather of yesterday took a bad chill during the night.

Read the new ad of W. R. Bloom in this issue of the Times.

Boost for Klemme, the best little town in the state of Iowa.

G. A. Pabst & Co. have a talk on paint in their new ad this week.

Wm. Schaper and Sam Fiero, of Garner, are putting down a well for August Barz.

Mrs. Catherine Mann, of Garner, visited in Klemme the first of the week at the home of her son, Henry Mann.

Miss Avis Sage came down from Britt Tuesday evening to visit with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Flint, and to assist in the Times office.

German M. E. Church Items

Willie Ridder commenced work for C. C. Schaefer last Saturday.

Chas. Lenz has rented Mrs. Lembgen's house and will move in this week sometime.

The Klemme Womans Missionary Society meets with Mrs. Wessel this afternoon (Thursday)

The executive board of the campmeeting association met in Garner Monday but came to no definite arrangement.

The typo of last week made us say some absurd things last week, all on account of the omission of a few small words.

Arthur Wellemeyer went to Charles City Monday to visit his parents and bring his family with him when he returns.

The high price of eggs has induced a great many farmers to purchase incubators. In so many homes you find the wooden hen at work.

A few warm days has helped the farmers to forget many of their despondencies and they have gone to work with a vim and new hope for a fair crop after all the snow storms.

Rev. Schlung is finding all kinds of work since he has been among us. He has cleaned and tuned pianos repaired organs, set balky sewing machines running and fixed clocks.

The Germantown Womens Foreign Missionary Society and the "Standard Bearer" Society met with Mrs Ulrich Tuesday afternoon. The attendance was good and a nice program was carried out

Rev. W. U. Schlung of Dubuque preached a helpful sermon to our Germantown people last Sunday noon and in the evening he was listened to with rapt attention by a large audience in Klemme.

G. A Wolff, a student in the Charles City College, will fill the pulpit in Klemme Sunday morning and deliver an address in the evening on "Intercollegial Prohibition Movement" He will also deliver his address in Germantown.

The Epworth League of Klemme met Wednesday evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, E. H. Bettie; First Vice-President and Chairman of the Spiritual Department, Minnie Lenz; Second Vice President and Chairman of the Missionary Department, Bertha Bettien; Third Vice-President and Chairman of the Literary Department, Martha Lau; Fourth Vice-President and Chairman of the Social Department, Esther Gruetzmacher; Secretary, Emil Sampson; Treasurer, Anna Griewe; Librarian, Ralph Blank; Assistant Librarian, Leonard Sampson; Organist, Hulda Gruetzmacher.

Garner Gleanings

Albert Johnson has gone to Glencoe, Minn.

A. M. Deyoe has moved into the Asplin house.

Earl Keat was over from Mason City Monday.

Chas. Schmalle returned from Mason City Saturday.

Chas Behrens is having a hard fight with Mr. LaGrippe.

Earl Terwilliger and wife have returned from their honeymoon trip to Minneapolis and other points.

Sheriff Suurballe was at Cherokee the first of the week, where he went to place Claus Johnson in the insane asylum.

The Ladies' Cemetery Association is planning on building a cement sidewalk from State street out to the cemetery. This will be a noteworthy improvement.

Report of the Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Klemme, in the State of Iowa, at the close of business April 28, 1909

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts		$104,722 91
Overdrafts secured and unsecured		3,688 78
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		25,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		1,032 75
Banking house furniture and fixtures		2,050 87
Due from National banks		11,665 14
Due from approved reserve agents		19,443 31
Checks and other cash items		331 84
Notes of other National banks		1,060 00
Fractional paper currency nickels and cents		103 59
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Specie	$ 7,545 00	
Legal tender notes	220 00	7,765 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer		1,250 00
Total		178,114 19

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000 00
Surplus fund	901 15
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	83 17
National bank notes outstanding	24,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check	32,349 29
Demand certificates of deposit	95,280 58
Total	178,114 19

STATE OF IOWA, } ss
Hancock County, }

I, F. A. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. A. ARNOLD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of May, 1909.

C. H. BURKE,
Notary Public.

[SEAL]

Correct—Attest:

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AUG. LAU
AUG. BARZ
} Directors

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Grain and Live Stock

Best Grades of Hard and Soft Coal. Will be prepared to furnish my patrons with the celebrated Petroleum COKE about July 1st. Leave your orders while you can get the coke.

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Try our Van Camp's Sterilized Evaporated Milk
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Good rigs and careful drivers
Rates reasonable
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Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.
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This year you can make the trip you have had in mind for so long—a trip to the Pacific Coast. Go now, while rates are low and routes arranged so you can see the most at lowest cost, including the great exposition at

SEATTLE, WASH.
June 1 to October 16, 1909

It covers an area of 250 acres, located on two beautiful lakes, overlooked by snow-capped mountains, and will interestingly exhibit the wonderful development and possibilities of Alaska and the countries of the Pacific. Very low fares daily during the summer. Let me tell you how comfortably and conveniently the trip is made

Thro' Scenic Colorado
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VIA
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Ask for descriptive folder.

L. O. TURGASEN, Agent,
Rock Island Lines,
Klemme, Iowa

NEW STRENGTH FOR OLD BACKS.

No Need to Suffer Every Day from Backache.

Mrs. Joannah Straw, 526 North Broadway, Canton, S. D., says: "For three years I suffered everything with rheumatism in my limbs and a dull, ceaseless aching in my back. I was weak, languid, broken with headaches and dizzy spells, and the kidney secretions were thick with solids. I was really in a critical condition when I began with Doan's Kidney Pills, and they certainly did wonders for me. Though I am 81 years old, I am as well as the average woman of 50. I work well, eat well and sleep well."

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Judge Will Wait and See.

An earnest plea was made by Attorney Charles Pettijohn to Judge Pritchard of the criminal court for leniency to a client who had entered a plea of guilty to larceny. The burden of the attorney's argument was that his client was the father of twins and was tempted to theft in order to feed the mouths of the infants.

"Your honor, I will say frankly," said Mr. Pettijohn in closing, "that if I were the father of twins and needed food for my family, I would not hesitate to go out and steal it."

"Mr. Pettijohn, when you are the father of twins I will consider your proposition," said Judge Pritchard.—Indianapolis News.

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Every Farm Product Known in Iowa Is Raised by Inmates of State Institutions.

With more than $1,000,000 worth of farming land in their charge, the state board of control and in particular Chairman John Cownie are today the busiest farmers in Iowa. Mr. Cownie is now advising with superintendents and farm foremen at the state institutions to determine what crops shall be planted on the more than 7,000 acres belonging to the state.

Every farm product known to Iowa from potatoes and corn to tobacco, apples and sauerkraut will be produced this summer at one or the other of the fourteen institutions where farming operations are carried on. Just how many acres will be planted to potatoes and how many to corn is a question that is left largely to Mr. Cownie.

State Owns Many Farms.

A total of 7,333 acres of land is now owned by the state, including the 200 acres purchased at Fort Madison last week for the use of the state penitentiary. Mr. Cownie estimates that this land is worth considerably more than $1,000,000, or in excess of $100 per acre. The acreage is divided as follows:

Soldiers' home, Marshalltown	150
Soldiers' Orphans' home, Davenport	298
College for the blind Vinton	41
School for the deaf, Council Bluffs	157
Institution for feeble minded children, Glenwood	662
Tuberculosis sanatorium, Iowa City	274
Industrial school at Eldora	840
Industrial school at Mitchellville	175
Mount Pleasant state hospital	586
Independence state hospital	1228
Clarinda state hospital	859
Cherokee state hospital	990
Knoxville hospital for inebriates	183
Fort Madison penitentiary	229
Anamosa penitentiary	257

Since 1901 the amount of land owned and farmed by the state has more than doubled, the acreage increasing from 3,164 to 7,333. Members of the board declare that farm work in the open air is the greatest agency in the world for reforming vicious men and women and for making useful citizens of backward boys.

In addition to farming, stock raising is an important part of the work at the state institutions. More than 2,000,000 gallons of milk were produced at the institutions in 1908. The board has charge of $24,000 worth of horses, $24,000 worth of hogs and $23,000 worth of cows.

VACANCY STILL REMAINS OPEN

Board Considers the Abandonment of Position Held by the Late Mary Whitcomb.

It is reported at the state house that the state library board may not name a successor to the late Mary Whitcomb, who had charge of the library books in the west wing of the historical building prior to her death a few days ago. This department is known as the "genealogical department" and contains books on family trees, etc. The idea is said to be that there is enough room in the east section of the library to remove the "genealogical department" across the hall, put it under the direct supervision of Mr. Brigham and thus remove the necessity for anyone in Miss Whitcomb's place. The salary accorded Miss Whitcomb was $1,200 yearly.

The library board, which is composed of the judges of the supreme court, state superintendent and a couple of other state officials, expects to meet this week to take some definite action upon the vacancy.

Would Have County Roads.

That 50 per cent of the roads of Iowa should be eliminated in considering the good roads problem is the belief of State Railroad Commissioner N. S. Ketchum, who has given study to good roads and believes he has a solution for the problem which Iowa faces. Mr. Ketchum would have the supervisors in each county levy a tax for building roads toward the county seats of adjoining counties, believing that tax payers who would not profit directly from a system of roads connecting the county seats should give their approval to such a plan because it would be the most feasible of the good roads problem.

SUPERINTENDENTS WILL MEET

Three Day's Conference Will Begin Tuesday, May 11—All Counties Represented.

Des Moines, Ia., April 27.— County superintendents of Iowa will meet with State Superintendent Riggs in Des Moines on May 11, 12 and 13 for the annual three day's conference and at that time will decide whether to begin a statewide campaign looking to a radical change in the school laws.

Advocates of better rural schools, higher salaries, the county unite and a more centralized rural school system are not discouraged by the defeat of the commission bill and it is expected that the country superintendents will undertake a campaign for a modified measure containing many of its features.

All Saturday forenoon will be devoted to a discussion of the topic: "Shall there be a statewide campaign looking to radical charges in our school laws? If so, what shall be the salient features of the legislative programme"

State Superintendant Riggs is a determined and enthusiastic advocate of the county unit and other changes recommended by the commission, and his influence is expected to go for the proposed capaign. He said yesterday that he had prepared no defite legislative programme to submit to the conference and that the entire matter would be left to the county superintendents.

The conference will begin on Thursday evening, May 11, with a banquet at the First Presbyterian church. Superintendents from all the ninety-nine counties are expected to attend. There will be no outside speakers and Friday and Saturday will be devoted to informal discussions led by county superintendants.

MILITARY BILL IS SWEEPING

Lodges May Wear Their Uniforms In Halls, But Not on the Streets. New State Law.

Des Moines, Ia., April 24.—No more wearing of uniforms on the streets, without being a member of a military organization.

Last winter, when Moore of Wapello introduced this bill in the house it created such a furore that it was quickly withdrawn. It had as its sponsor some of the officers at Fort Des Moines, who had become disgusted by the sale of soldier's effects to Des Moines young men.

It has developed that the same bill has been made a part of the military laws of the state in the big military bill passed. It provides a fine of from $50 to $100 for the wearing of either the real articles of soldier wear, or uniforms similar to this, unless the wearer is a member of the regular army, the state militia, or a military school.

A special provision is made that lodge members may wear similar uniforms in their hall drills, but this does not allow them to appear.

No one noticed this provision in the bill when it appeared in the large measure re-organizing the state guard, and it passed both houses of the legislature without a protest.

Treasurer Can Collect Fees.

Under the laws of the state of Iowa the county treasurer may charge a fee of from 30 to 50 cents for receiving and answering payments of taxes through the mails. There seems to be an impression abroad that the county treasurer can not charge such fees, but this is incorrect and the law especially provides a minimum fee of 30 cents. It has been the practice in this county, and in fact in all counties in the state, to make the charge. The object of the law was to provide for the extra expense entailed in the clerical work necessary to handle the payment of taxes made by non-residents.

Much Merit in New Law.

State Labor Commissioner Van Dyne says that the new child labor law, passed by the recent legislature will prove of more benefit to his department than any other enactment of the legislature. The amendment which the legislature added was backed by Representative Holmes. It forces the employer of labor to have always on hand a certificate of the proper age of any juvenile employes so that when the labor inspector comes around, he may be satisfied at once that the child labor law is not being violated.

Buy State Farm at Ft. Madison.

The state board of control has purchased a 200-acre farm near Fort Madison for the use of the prisoners, or rather on which to work the prisoners in raising crops for the prison use. The farm is on high land but flat and a good deal of tilling will be needed. The pison labor will be used exclusively on this farm and it will go far toward adding to the comfort of the prisoners.

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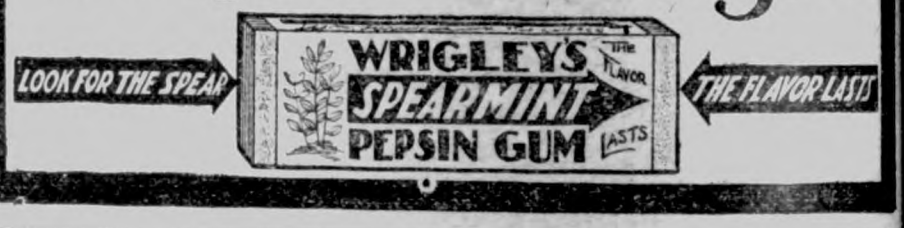

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0 DEAD IN STORM

DDLE AND SOUTHERN STATES SWEPT BY FIERCE TORNADOES.

ENNESSEE SUFFERS WORST

ny Towns Are Totally Destroyed by Winds—Wide Area Covered and Hundreds Are Left Homeless—Partial List of Dead.

Chicago.—At least 130 persons were lled and 300 injured by the tornaes which swept the middle and uthern states Thursday. The propty losses will total several million llars. Only meager reports had en received Friday from the stricken stricts. Two were killed and half a zen hurt in this city.

The tornadoes touching here and ere carried their devastation through inois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Arnsas, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kencky and Missouri.

An incomplete list of deaths folws:

icago, Ill..... 2
xas City, Ill..... 4
rn Lake, Miss.....18
yetteville, Tenn.....15
mmerville, Mo..... 3
lden, Mo.....11
heatley, Ark..... 2
est Marion, Ark..... 1
oung's Crossing, Tenn..... 5
edina, Tenn..... 4
rest City, Ark..... 2
ammoth Springs, Ark..... 3
les County, Tenn.....20
artsell, Ala..... 4
nville, Ala..... 2
oblesville, Tenn..... 1
erdeman County, Tenn..... 1
arksville, Tenn..... 1
nterville, Tenn..... 1
anklin, Tenn..... 1
llsboro, Tenn..... 4
conia, Tenn..... 2
lls, Tenn..... 2
nito, Tenn..... 8
lton, Mo..... 6

Nashville, Tenn.—Advices being reived by the Banner show that the orm was the worst ever known in is state. The indications are that e death list in this state will foot up venty or more, and the damage will n into the millions of dollars. The ires are prostrated in every direcon, and it will be several days bere the full extent of the loss of life d damage will be known.

Twenty persons were reported to ve been killed and 40 injured in the rnado which swept over the eastern ction of Giles county. Bee Springs, village in the southeast section, 16 les from Pulaski, was reported to ve been totally destroyed. The untry in this section is devastated d details are meager.

Mammoth Springs, Ark.—A tornado assed 18 miles east of here killing ght persons and injuring many hers The known dead: B. F. Sanrs, wife and daughter; George Whitorth and wife, Robert Frost and ife, Miss Holland.

South Bend, Ind. — Six hundred et of the west wall of the orthern Indiana state prison at ichigan City was blown down by a clone which passed over this secon of the state. The prisoners were l in their cells at the time of the acident, and any possible outbreak was revented by the prompt action of arden Reid, who placed patrols in e corridors with orders to use their les to put down any attempt at esape. Although the convicts were exted, no effort was made to effect a elivery. Company F, Third regient Indiana National Guard, received ders from Gov. Marshall to proceed mediately to Michigan City to preerve order and prevent any possible tbreak. No lives were lost by the lling of the walls.

Evansville, Ind.—A wind storm in uthern Indiana and western Kencky caused many thousands of dolrs' damage in the destruction of outildings and fences. The gale blew the velocity of 50 miles an hour. ats could not leave port. The damge along the river is quite heavy.

Detroit, Mich.—A tidal wave ten et high at South Haven, on the east ore of Lake Michigan, was the most usual feature of the terrific wind d rain storm which swept over wer Michigan. The wave caused out $2,000 damage to water front operty at South Haven.

Cincinnati.—A violent wind storm at swept over Kentucky hit Latonia th almost the severity of a tornado, using a damage of $10,000 to the tonia race track and from $10,000 $15,000 damage to the town of Lania and the vicinity.

At Piqua, O., a tornado 20 miles ide dived down in this section and used a property damage estimated $100,000. The path of destruction tends over several counties, and exeme damage was done by the wind the towns of Piqua, Sidney, Houston, Fletcher, St. Paris and Kirkwood. o loss of life.

ARE NEAR TURKEY

American Cruisers Are Close To Destination

PROTECT ALL AMERICANS

American War Vessels Will Reach Turkey Tomorrow and Will Protect American Interests.

Washington, D. C., May 3.—The American armored cruiser squadron, composed of the North Carolina and Montana, which left Guantanamo Cuba, on April 23, under orders from the navy department to hurry to Alexandretta, Turkish Asia, to protect Americans there during the present disorders, passed Gibraltar today, according to a cablegram received at the department.

A wireless dispatch from the North-Carolina was received aboard the Chester, which with the Birmingham, is coaling at St. Vincent en route to Monrovia, Liberia, from New York, with the members of the United States Liberian commission. The vessels are traveling at the rate of 15.5 to 16 knots an hour, and at that speed, officials of the bureau of navigation say, the squadron should reach Gibrauseder on Tuesday or Wednesday next. They received orders to communicate with stations in the Mediterranean waters.

Marines Mutiny.

Constantinople, May 3.—The marines in the Kassim barracks, which are situated behind the American embassy, mutined. They refused to embark for distribution to the various ports.

The marines belong to the old disaffected garrison and although they had nominally surrendered were in an ugly mood. They wer easily persuaded by agitators to make an armed protest against exile from the capital.

When the American ambassador, Mr. Leishman, looked out of his bedroom window yesterday morning he observed a battery of mountain howitzers occupying a commanding position near the embassy.

General Schefket, commander of the forces, lost no time in bringing the mutineers to terms.

ROOSEVELT BAGS 3 LIONS

Kermit Bags One Mighty King of Beasts—Exciting Hunt Is Successful.

Nairobi, British East Africa, May 3.—Four lion are trophies of ex-President Roosevelt's camp in the Mau hills and the two hundred or more native followers are joining with the American party in the celebration of the unusually good luck.

The lions were bagged Saturday and Colonel Roosevelt's mighty gun brought three of them to earth, each on the first shot. Thus one of the president's fondest ambitions has been realized, and he is proud, too, that the fourth of the jungle kings fell before the rifle of his son, Kermit, who, however, took three shots to kill his quarry. Both father and son are jubilant. It was their first lion hunt and so magnificent a kill was far beyond their expectations, but it had been predicted by native hunters that the hunting was good.

Castro to Bring Suit.

Paris, May 3.—Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, is reported to be consulting with lawyers here with a view to bringing a damage suit against the French government for his recent expulsion from Martinique. As the government has the power to expel foreigners at its discretion, Senor Castro, it is said, purposes basing his action on the fact that he was forcibly placed aboard a ship at Martinique and compelled to return to France without being given the option of choosing his destination.

Liquor Dealers to Meet at Clinton.

Clinton, Ia., May 3.—The annual convention of the Iowa Liquor Dealers' association will be held in Clinton, June 8 and 9, and the local committees are making preparations to give the liquor men a royal reception. and entertainment in Clinton. The program will include an excursion on the Mississippi, trolley rides and a banquet.

Tariff Bill Finished by June 1.

Washington, D. C., May 3.—Chairman Aldrich of the senate committee on finance and other members of both houses who call at the White House almost daily to talk tariff with President Taft, adhere to the opinion that a bill will be ready for the president's signature by June 1. The president is much pleased with the prospect.

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Auto Enthusiast—Why, certaintly—especially when I run over somebody.—Harvard Lampoon.

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"Hello, who's there?"

The answer came back: "I'm 105."

"Go on," said the boy. "It's time you were dead."

A Little Slip.

Rev. Mr. Spicer had for three days enjoyed the telephone which had been his last gift from an admiring parishioner. He had been using it immediately before going to church.

When the time came for him to announce the first hymn, he rose, and with his usual impressive manner, read the words. Then in a crisp, firm tone, he said: "Let us all unite in hymn six double o, sing three."—Youth's Companion.

By Elimination.

"All the latest popular novels," sang out the train boy. Then, holding out a copy of the "The Guest of Quesnay" to a prosperous-looking passenger, he urged: "Buy Booth Tarkington's latest work, sir?"

The man looked annoyed.

"No! I am Booth Tarkington himself."

"Then buy a copy of 'Three Weeks,'" persisted the boy. "You ain't Elinor Glyn, too, are you?"—Everybody's Magazine.

OLD SOAKERS

Get Saturated with Caffeine.

When a person has used coffee for a number of years and gradually declined in health, it is time the coffee should be left off in order to see whether or not that has been the cause of the trouble.

A lady in Huntsville, Ala., says she used coffee for about 40 years, and for the past 20 years was troubled with stomach trouble.

"I have been treated by many physicians but all in vain. Everything failed to perfect a cure. I was prostrated for some time, and came near dying. When I recovered sufficiently to partake of food and drink I tried coffee again and it soured my stomach.

"I finally concluded coffee was the cause of my troubles and stopped using it. I tried tea and milk in its place, but neither agreed with me, then I commenced using Postum. I had it properly made and it was very pleasing to the taste.

"I have now used it four months, and my health is so greatly improved that I can eat almost anything I want and can sleep well, whereas, before, I suffered for years with insomnia.

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"A RUSHING MIGHTY WIND."

Iowa State Register and Farmer, May 29, 1908.

On May 12th, at about six o'clock p. m., a terrible cyclone passed over the southwestern portion of Page county, destroying buildings, trees and fences in its path. In this storm the undersigned,

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Bert Higgens, household goods, farm implements, horses, wagons and harness amounting to $644.00, fully paid by the MERCHANTS AND BANKERS May 21, 1908;

Also smaller losses for W. A. Sherman, Clyde Culbertson, Rebecca McIntire and others.

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(Signed)

Cliff Carpenter, Claus Meyer, Thos. A. Anderson, G. H. Barton, Clyde Culbertson, W. A. Sherman, Bert Higgens.

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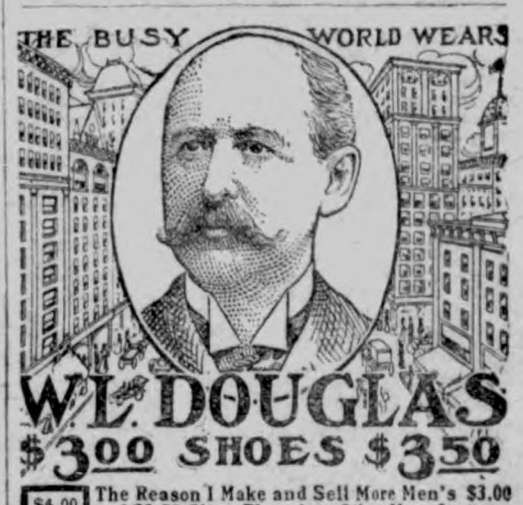

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Many Derived from Trades or Occupations—Towns and Sections of Countries Have Been Responsible for Some Others.

There was appropriateness in the Lincoln celebration in Lincoln, England; for undoubtedly "Father Abraham" was derived from some long-forgotten man who left that city bearing some such name as George or Wat o' Lincoln.

London, York, Boston and Berlin or Berliner appear as family names in the same way. Redfield and Oldfield are farm patronymics once used as the names of Scottish farms are now for their proprietors. Titles of nobility similarly come from a county like Cumberland, a battle like Magdala or a town like Ragusa.

Occupation names like Smith (spelled in more than forty ways), Webster and Fletcher are the most common; they include some arts not now practiced, as Lorimer, Balestier, Archer. Others in this class had once a humbler sound, as Howard (hogward) and Gilpatrick (Padruig's servant). And many are derived from trade names in other languages than English.

Gen. Baden Powell explained in a Latin verse after Mafeking that his name meant Ap-Joel; so Pughe is Ap-Hugh. Family names made by an added "s" are often Welsh. The Welsh names Hughes (or Huws), Williams, Johns and Edwards mean Hughson, Williamson, Johnson and Edwardson, the English termination being "son," the German "sohn" and the Norse "sen."

Emigration has supplied many names. Hollander, Fleming, French and Frank speak of national origin, though the last may mean simply a freeman. Other names of characterization are Shakespeare, Breakspear, Armstrong, Crook, Leonard (lion heart) and some few names of color, as Black, when applied to a man of dark complexion, like Roderigh Dhu or "Black Jack" Logan; but most of the early Greens, Whites and Browns must have been so named for varying reasons.

Names of animals were too obvious to be ommitted: Bernard, Fox, Palfrey. Elephant is turned into a proper name in Italy; why not in England? Coon is hardly ever if ever an animal name; it may be cut down from Colquhoon or some other longer spelling as d'Uberville in Hardy's "Tess" was changed into "Darbyfield." Along our northern border French Canadian names are spelled by sound, with queer results, like "Lavake" for l'Eveque and "Fobare" for Faubert. Napoleon guessed that his name Buonaparte came from the Greek Kalomeros, with the same meaning of "good part."

The Fishes, Birds, Becks, Brooks and Hollys show how names were early given by observation. Traced to their source, indeed, few names have a less prosaic or fanciful origin than the Indian Thunder-Cloud or Young-Man-with-a-Wart.

Horse Had Earned His Ease.

Old Putnam, the 18-year-old pet horse of battery C, Fifth United States artillery, died at Fort William McKinley, near Manila, December 12. Old Putnam, who had been enjoying well-earned ease on the retired list, after his useful life, first went to the Philippine islands in 1898 with the Astor battery. He was later assigned to Capt. Reilly's battery F, Fifth field artillery, with that battery in China. When the allied armies arrived at Peking, Putnam and another horse by the name of Corregidor were pulling the first of the American light field guns. Just as they had started up a hill to gain one of the positions overlooking the city, Corregidor's traces broke, and a moment later, after that horse had been cut away from the gun, Putnam, straining every muscle, started up the hill, arriving there in time for the American gun to open the first fire in the storming of Peking.

SAD STORY OF A WASTED LIFE.

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"Half a century ago a young Englishman, while traveling, met a beautiful girl and promptly fell in love with her. A few days later he returned home and his first act was to write her a love letter. In it he told her, that if she regarded his proposal favorably he would expect a reply by the next mail. To this letter he received no answer, and so disappointed was he that, from that time until his death, which occurred recently, he shut himself up in his home and lived like a hermit. Most of his time was spent in reading, and the day after his funeral the heirs began to search the books of his library, for they thought it quite possible that the eccentric old man might have hidden some bank notes in them. They found none, but in a tattered old pamphlet they found another kind of note—the love letter which was written 50 years ago, and which the writer had forgotten to mail."

Bride of the Young Officer.

Consider, my daughter, ere thou hast said yea to the cadet of the slim waist and haughty air. For verily I say unto you, sad is the fate of the bride of the regimental goat. For her lord is haughty no more, but even the sergeants speak of him as a shavetail. Thou shalt have many nuptial gifts, yea, many of silver and glass, so that the packing of them is a weariness to the flesh, and thou shalt have no cupboards to stow them therein. And as soon as thy curtains hang fair at thy windows, then shalt thou be ranked out, till no spot on the post shall deem to be thine own. And at last it may be that rooms in the bachelors' building shall be assigned thy spouse; then shall bursts of music trouble thy dreams, and in weariness of spirit thou shalt say: "Why did I wed me to a shavetail? for only those of rank have spacious dwellings. Had I but wed the son of a banker my wedding gifts had not been fractured with many movings."—Army and Navy Life.

As to Cats.

The cat is the most active of all animals. As an acrobat it has no equal. I know that every friend of the column likes to read about animals; therefore I venture once in awhile to say something about cats and dogs. Every now and then I receive letters from people who insist upon "more cat and dog stories." Last night a fine specimen of a man called on me. After some refreshment, and as he was about to depart, I asked if he was married. "Sure," he replied; "many years." "Got any children?" "No, we had two and lost both; all we have in the house now is a cat and a canary bird. They in a measure keep my wife from being lonesome when I'm down town at business."—New York Press.

Their Fallen Idol.

Two little newsboys, ragged and soiled, recognized Napoleon Lajoie as he stood on a downtown corner, talking to an acquaintance.

"Lookee!" exclaimed the first boy in a hoarse whisper, "there's Larry!"

"He's nothin' but a hen an' goose farmer now," returned the other lad, without any show of hero worship.

"But he's the greatest ball player on earth," retorted the young admirer of the second baseman.

"Mebby he is," admitted the other one, "mebby he is in the summer time, but—" disgustedly—"think of a feller raisin' chickens all winter! Poiper, mister?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Diplomatic Clerk.

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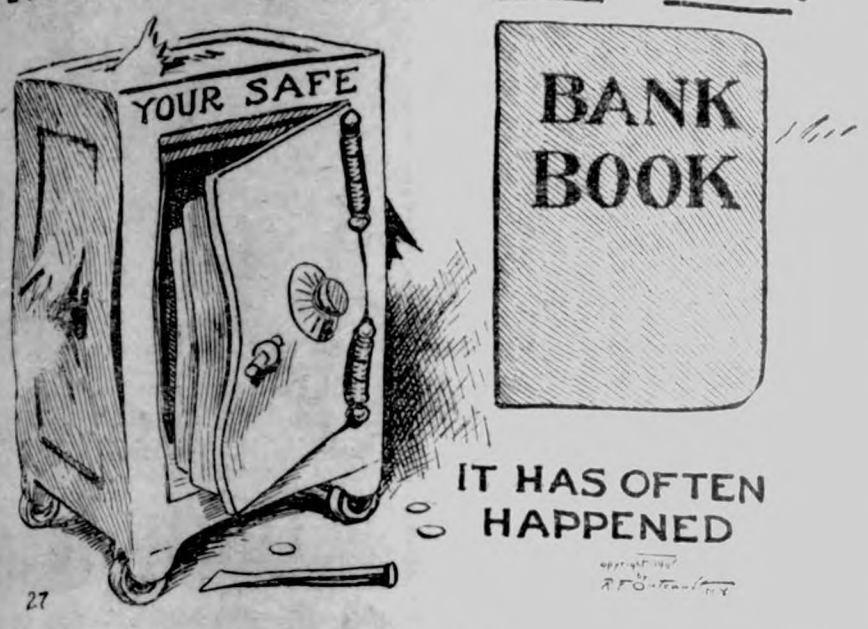

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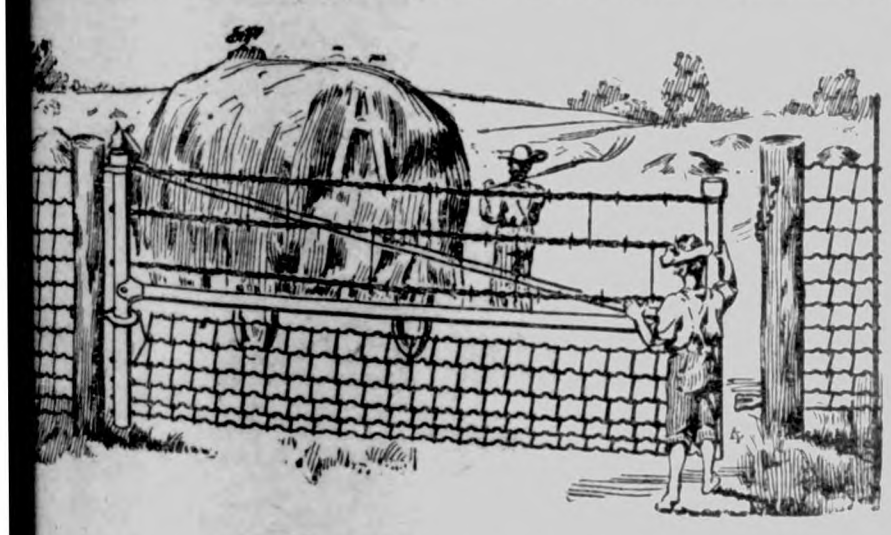

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NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

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Roy Jones has purchased the A. B. Thompson barber shop at Belmond.

J. L. McGuire and family have moved from Goodell to Washta, Iowa.

A Union depot at Corwith is the latest report, according to the Hustler.

The Goodell Globe reports that A. Christie lost two valuable farm horses last week.

The Corwith band has been engaged to furnish music at Britt's celebration on July 3rd.

Some of our exchanges report the mercury at 90 above in the shade last week Wednesday.

Charley Howlett and wife, of Britt, expect to leave on May 14th for a visit at their old home in England.

Rev. W. U. Parks of Belmond has accepted a call to take the pastorate of the Congregational church at Allison, Iowa.

John Rein, agent for the Queal Lumber Co. at Leland, Iowa, is dead from the results of an operation for appendicitis.

F. L. Applegate, of Corwith, has accepted a position as agent for the Independent Grain and Lumber Co. at Cartersville.

C. E. Edwards, of Britt, has been elected principal of the Crystal Lake schools for next year. Miss Verona Reed will teach the primary room.

The farmers in the vicinity of Belmond have purchased one of the elevators there and took possession last week. W. E. Werts will be the manager.

Floyd Williams, who lived at Goodell a short time and is quite well known through his connection with traveling medicine shows, died a short time ago at Phoenix, Arizona. He had gone there for his health, being afflicted with tuberculosis.—Kanawha Record.

The preliminary hearing in the prosecution of Mrs. Dietz for acting as a physician without a license was held before Justice Tracy, Tuesday night. As yet Mr. Tracy has not given his decision. Mr. and Mrs. Dietz and Mr. Hargan will contest the case and plead not guilty to the charge of "publicly professing to cure or heal." Public sentiment in Belmond is almost universally in favor of the defendants and the progress of the case is being watched with intense interest.—Belmond Press.

Married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bachman, on Wednesday, May 5th, at 5 p. m., Lena Bachman to B. F. Remer, of LeMars, Iowa, Rev. A. B. Wolfe officiating. Only a few of the intimate friends of the bride and groom were present at the marriage. The bride has grown to young womanhood in Goodell and is well known to everyone. The groom we are not acquainted with but hear that he is an exemplary young man and will make an excellent husband for the woman of his choice. After a dainty supper prepared by Mrs Bachman, Mr. and Mrs. Remer departed for their home at LeMars, Iowa, on the 7:55 train.—Goodell Globe.

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Last Legislature Passed Many School Measures

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Actions of Legislature as Relating to Schools and Teachers Are Synopsized and Scattered.

Des Moines, Iowa, May 8.—Although the recent legislature turned the proposed revision of the school laws down cold the solons enacted several laws of especial interest to teachers as a synopsis just completed by State Superintendent Riggs indicates. Copies of the synopsis are being sent out.

Briefly stated, the new laws as they apply to education are:

Compulsory education law, extending time of attendance from four months per year to six months, excusing children from attending because of religious duties and employing the city marshal as probation officer in small towns.

Exemption of school bonds from taxation, extending duration of school bonds to twenty years when amount issued exceeds $450,000.

Providing for renewal of certificates upon showing certificate of professional study.

Compelling all doors of school houses to open outward.

Prohibiting high school secret societies.

Authorizing school boards to estimate $20 per person of school age for teachers' fund and $7 for contingent fund.

Authorizing independent districts to become indebted for school purposes up to 2 1-2 per cent.

Authorizing educational board of examiners to determine when library catalogs shall be issued.

These laws all take effect July 4.

Carroll Instructs New Board.

Governor B. F. Carroll called the members of the state pharmacy commission before him, told them that they will be expected to keep correct and complete data as to their travels about the state and their per diem expenditures and discussed with them the new laws relative to drug stores, such as the Hammill liquor sale law, the law forbidding the sale of cocaine, etc. The board has practically decided that examinations will be held every other month as at present and not quarterly.

Muster Out Company.

Adjutant General Logan has issued orders that Company E of the Fifty-third Iowa National Guard at Cresco be mustered out. The action is the result of the report of Inspector Martin of the war department, who recently inspected the companies of the state. Lieutenant Martin reports that the Cresco company is below the standard of efficiency and recommends that it be mustered out and General Logan has adopted the recommendation.

National Guardsmen to Shoot.

Rifle practice by the Iowa National guard will begin June 9, at the range, which has been constructed by the state near the Belgrade station on the Inteurban. This will be the first practice engaged in by the entire militia since the completion of the new grounds. About one hundred men from different companies will make up each detail, and each shoot will last about ten days.

Optometrists Submit Names.

Before the state optomertrists meet in this city in annual convention two weeks hence, Governor Carroll will be expected to name the new state board of optometry examiners provided for at the recent session of the legislature. The executive committee of the association has given the governor a list of men from whom he may make his selections and who will be satisfactory to the optometrists throughout the state.

Combine Two Expositions.

A joint meeting of the executive committees of the Iowa Corn exposition of the Iowa Dairy association will be held in Des Mines May 20 to try and arrive at a basis for a consolidation of the annual dairy convention and show with the Iowa Corn exposition and contest to be given in the new Coliseum, November 29 to December 11.

Sends Power to Guard.

Adj. Gen. Guy Logan has sent 300,000 rounds of ammunition to the various companies of the Iowa National guard, and there is going to be some shooting. The ammunition is for the target shooting, which starts May 1.

SYSTEM IS A BIG SUCCESS

Water is Heated to Ninety-Five Degrees and Flows Constantly Through The Bath Tubs.

Des Moines, Ia., May 6.—Arrangements have been completed by the state board of control for the installation at the Cherokee and Independence state hospitals of equipment for treating violent and maniacal patients by immersing them in bath tubs filled with water heated to about 95 degrees and kept flowing constantly through the tubs.

Without straps, chains or straightjackets, the raving maniac who is sent to one of these hospitals will be put into the magic bath and in a few moments the disturbed brain of the lunatic will be soothed and calmed until he becomes as docile as a child. If necessary patients will be kept in the tubs continuously for three or four days, although twelve hours is usually long enough to quiet their nerves.

System Called Wonderful.

Four such tubs for each institution were purchased yesterday by the board of control and will be installed at once. The system is known as the Kraepelin hot water continuous bath treatment and in adopting it Iowa will be one of the first states to make use of what is declared to be the most wonderful method of treating violently insane ever devised.

Violent patients will be required to strip and lie in a hammock-like canvas, which folds over them in the tub. A system of tubes around the outside of the tub allows the water to flow into it at five different places on the same level, while an outlet higher up discharges the water as it cools. Thus the water is continually flowing in and out.

According to members of the board who have investigated the new water treatment, patients eat and sleep in the water contentedly and are with difficulty induced to leave the tubs. The treatment induces sleep and that is what the excited cases need most. The object of the treatment is to quiet and soothe the patient, and in some cases it is declared to have worked a complete cure. It is equally valuable for patients suffering with melancholia or mental depression.

What is Value of Iowa.

Governor Carroll has begun the herculean task of ascertaining how much the state of Iowa is worth. Land, stock, personal property—everything that is assessable will be ascertained by the governor and laid before the executive council for use in making up the assessment next July. Six years ago it was stated that the railroads were not paying their share of taxes. Thereupon this same procedure was adopted and full reports received from every county auditor. The result was that railroad taxes went up $25,000,000. This year the procedure will be followed for the first time since then, but the executive council has directed the governor to make the inquiry simply on a basis of information and not because the members have any particular interest in mind. The letter which the governor is sending to every county auditor is sent under direction of a section in the code which places this power in his hands.

May Re-Collect.

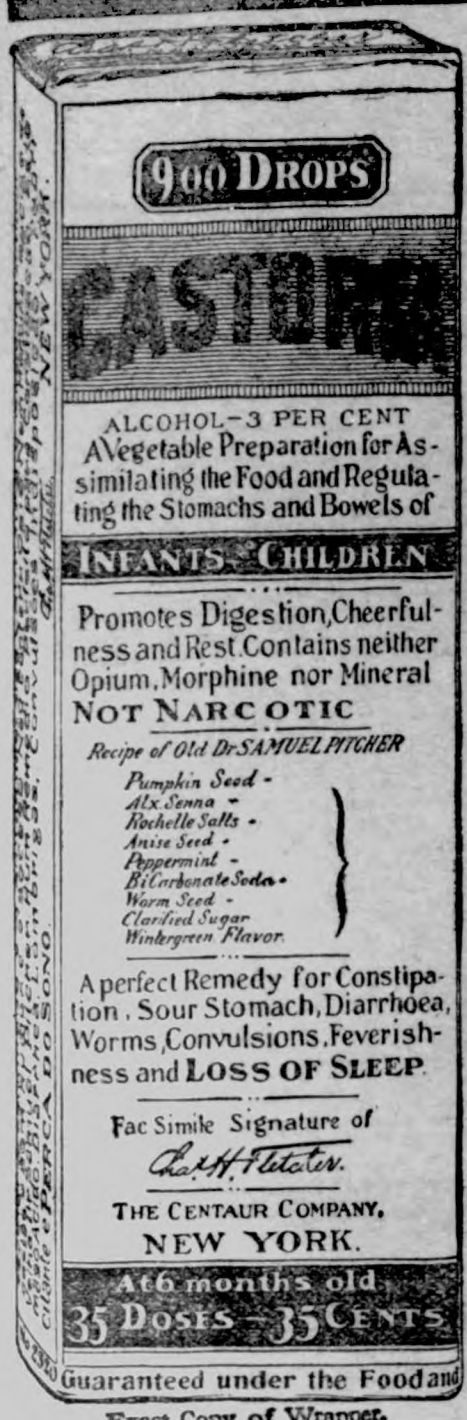
An important ruling to the effect that a bank, if it mistakenly overpays a man may recollect the amount of the overpayment, was handed in today by the state supreme court. The Fidelty Savings bank of Marshalltown paid John A. Reeder $1,385.22 when he went to draw out his savings, which was $100 more than he had on deposit. The bank discovered the error and sought to re-collect the $100. It was claimed that Reeder admitted the mistake and agreed to make it good, but later denied that any mistake had been made. The jury found for Reeder. The bank appealed and the supreme court has sent the case back for a new trial. The court says that the right to recover money paid by mistake is well established.

Asks for Bank Reports.

The National Monetary commission wants to know how much money is in the Iowa state and savings banks. Accordingly State Auditor Bleakley has issued a special call to these institutions requesting a report as to condition on April 28. This report is to be forwarded to the state auditor and turned over to the government. The reports will not need to be published by the banks unless they so de-

Apointed Oil Inspector.

Gen. Melvin H. Byers, of Mills county, former adjutant-general, has been apointed head Iowa oil inspector, to succeed Captain Pickell. Mr. Byers was a candidate for appointment as adjutant-general under Governor Carroll, but was induced to step aside to help in the restoration of harmony in the ranks of the Guard.



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LY 5 ALSO APPLICABLE

s Suggested That if the Saloons Consult Their Own Interests They Will Not Open May 31.

es Moines, Ia., May 10.—While not nding in an official opinion on the ject, Attorney General Byers in a ter written to City Solicitor Jos- R. Frailey of Ft. Madison, says May 31, although it may be obved as Memorial day, is not a legholiday as designated by the sta- and therefore saloons cannot be pelled to remain closed on that . The attorney general suggests if the saloons consult their own interests, however, there will be hing doing in the alcoholic bever- line on May 31.

his view of the attorney general l not only affect the Monday after morial day, but likewise the Mon- following July 4, which also falls Sunday. Interest in the question been intense in all sections of the te.

The attorney general quotes from a ision of the supreme court of Neska, which says that where staes designated certain days as legholidays and prohibited the courts m transacting business on such ys, the restriction is confined to the ys named in the statutes and where such days falls on Sunday the ceeding Monday is not to be obrved as such holidays, as far as it affect the presentment and dend of commercial paper.

The Iowa statute designates May 30 a legal holiday. Hence under the ebraska decision that date and day a legal holiday and May 31 is not.

LECT FINANCE COMMITTEE

. R. Boyd of Cedar Rapids, Presiident, D. A. Emery of Ottumwa, Secretary, and Thos. Lambert.

Iowa City, Ia., May 7.—The state ard of education met at Iowa City d elected the finance committee as llows:

W. R. Boyd of Cedar Rapids, presint; D. A. Emery of Ottumwa, secrety, and Thomas Lambert of Sabula. r. Emery is also secretary of the ard of nine. Offices will be at the ate capitol.

This committee will assume their ties July 1. The committee will ve virtually powers under the state ard as an executive committee and s charge of the state university at wa City, the agricultural college at mes and the state normal at Cedar alls.

Body is Still in the River.

Iowa Falls.—Many people in this rt of the state are taking much inrest in the case of Chris Anderson, ho was drowned in the Cedar river Waterloo several weeks ago and hose body has not been recovered. nderson formerly resided at Popey and Dows and was well known in e country north of here. It now evelops that he carried a policy of ,000 on his life, but the insurance mpany refuses to pay the widow e insurance money unless the body produced. After many efforts to cover the body hope of doing so ems about abandoned, and in hopes adding an incentive to another effort to find the body the widow has fered a reward of $1,000. Two oth- men lost their lives at the time nderson was drowned.

Oats Crop a Failure.

Fort Dodge.—It is believed that ractically the entire oats crop of ebster county will be a failure this ason owing to the fact that the seed ready in the ground is rotting and rmers have begun to plow up their ats and small grain fields in prepartion for the planting of corn. The old and damp condition of the round is believed to be responsible r the situation.

Producing Sugar in Iowa.

Waverly.—That the sugar beet inustry in Iowa is making headway is hown by the fact that the Iowa Sugar ompany has placed at different staions tributary to Waverly on the Rock Island and the Great Western ailways sixty families of beet workrs numbering about 300 people.

Kicked to Death by Horse.

Oskaloosa.—A fatal accident ocurred at the Temple home, five miles south of Keota, when Clifford, was killed. He was currying a horse which backed him into a corner. He struck the animal with the currycomb to make it move out of the corner, and it kicked him in the abdomen.

VIOLATED ORDER OF COURT

MEMBERS OF THE FARMINGTON SCHOOL BOARD HELD GUILTY.

Must Answer to the Grand Jury for the Payment of Alleged Illegal Warrants.

Fairfield, Ia., May 10.—The Farmington school board, consisting of B. F. Ketchman, treasurer, George C. Junkins, H. F. Barton, Joseph Steinmeyer, M. L. Barger and Fred Venkfall, arrested on a bench warrant for violating an injunction of the court restraining them from paying or attempting to pay certain warrants to the amount of $11,044.40, which had been declared by both the district court of Van Buren county and the supreme court of Iowa to be void and worthless, were convicted of the charge by Judge Eichelberger and bound over to the Van Buren county district court in bonds of $200 each, which through the courtesy of counsel for the prosecution, William Walker of Keosauqua, were reduced to $100 each. Mr. Walker also dismissed the complaint as to Henry Mulvihill on account of being confined to his bed by illness.

The news of the decision of Judge Eichelberger was sent to Farmington by telephone, where it was said to meet with the joyful approval of citizens.

IN PRISON SINCE YEAR 1878

He Awaits With Childish Joy His First Glimpse of Modern Cities

Des Moines, Ia., May 7.—By an unanimous vote the state board of parole went on record favoring a pardon for William B. Glyndon, who has served thirty-one years in the Fort Madison state prison for a crime, which members of the board say there is grave doubt of his having committed. The recommendation has been submitted to Governor Carroll.

Only a stroke of the governor's pen now stands between the old man whose strength and hope and soul have all but died within the walls of an Iowa prison and freedom. That stroke will be backed by the united conviction of three men appointed as a competent advisory tribunal, that Glyndon has suffered long enough, that he not improbably is the victim of an appalling miscarriage of justice and that he should be allowed to pass his twilight days a free man.

Glyndon is 70 years old, and since 1878 he has breathed prison air, worn convict's clothes, and passed his days with the companionship of criminals within the four walls of the Fort Madison penitentiary. He has been in prison longer than any other man, living or dead, in the United States.

WOULD KNOW REALTY VALUE

Secretary Davison is Sending a Circular Letter to the Auditor of Each County in the State.

Des Moines, Ia., May 5.—Secretary A. H. Davison of the executive council is mailing a circular letter to the county auditor of every county in Iowa asking for a comparative statement of the real and assessed valuation of lands within the county. The information will be used in determining the assessments of Iowa railroads next summer.

Six years ago a similar canvass was made by the council and the result was a 10 per cent boost in the railroad assessment. It was found in 1903 that the average rate of assessment of land was 80 per cent of the real value, and this percentage was applied with some modification to the assessment of railroad property.

In 1902 the total assessed valuation of railroads in Iowa was $51,307,950. After a canvass ordered by Governor Cummins had shown that farm lands were paying taxes on 80 per cent of their real value, the total assessed valuation jumped to $56,541,513, or about 10 per cent. Increases in earnings since 1903 have increased the assessed valuation until last year it was $63,457,616.

No attempt will be made by the council to ascertain the comparative valuations of personal property or of city real estate.

Attempt to Extort $500.

Centerville.—Nathan Chapman, a prosperous merchant in South Centerville, received a "black hand" letter in which he was told to deposit $500 under the doorstep of his place of business or his life would pay the forfeit. Arming himself, Mr. Chapman and son sat up all night guarding their place of business and watching for someone to come and get the $500 which had been placed under the step. No one appeared and it is thought that persons making the threats knew that the place was watched. As yet no attempt has been made on Mr. Chapman's life.

BEST STOMACH REMEDY FREE

It is an old saying that if the stomach is sound the whole body is safe, because so much depends upon the proper working of the stomach. Many persons find themselves with a disorder of the stomach which produces dyspepsia or a peculiar state of biliousness.

If you suffer from both stomach trouble and constipation you are on the way to a very serious disease. From just such conditions come appendicitis, rheumatism, skin diseases and similar disorders, because the waste matter that should have been dispelled from the system through the bowels has found its way into the blood and vitiated it. What is needed at this point is not simply a violent cathartic tablet or salt, which usually does more harm than good, but a gentle laxative tonic like Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which people have been using for these ailments for nearly a quarter of a century. It cured J. C. Lanham, of Warrensburg, Mo., of stomach trouble of long standing, also William Voll, of 903 Ellison St., Louisville, Ky., who had the trouble for fifteen years.

However, if you have stomach trouble you want to know from personal experience what Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will do for you, If so, send your name to the doctor and a free trial bottle will be sent you. You are urged to send for the free bottle, as the results from it will be the best recommendation of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Then you will do as over two million people did last year—go to your druggist and buy a regular bottle at 50 cents or $1, according to the size you prefer. We could mention hundreds and hundreds of families who are never without it. You can never tell when some member of the family will need a laxative, and then no time should be lost taking Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

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Fattest French Soldiers.

Occasionally our Paris contemporaries entertain their readers with an account of the tallest and the shortest conscript. Now a journal has gone one better and discovered the fattest recruit in the French army, who has been found at Corbeil. This honorable distinction belongs to M. Laverdit, the son of a merchant in the locality. The young man turns the scale at 268 pounds, avoirdupois, or rather over 19 stone.

Cow Never Said a Word.

When one of the fenders of the City railway cars picked up a young heifer at the corner of Third and Jersey streets the conductor filled out the required report blank to Superintendent Edward Howell. In answer to the question: "What did the victim say?" the employe wrote: "She was carried along on the fender for a short distance, then rolled off and ran away without saying a word."—Dayton Columbus Dispatch.

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Hains, the murderer of Annis, has something new in the way of defense, called "circular insanity." We believe that disease is curable. How would it do to try a long piece of rope fixed in the proper manner on some of these insane murderers? Perhaps there would then be less insane.

The pure food law is causing the mail order houses a lot of grief. A couple of fellows at Hampton have recently got into trouble over selling tea which does not come up to the required test. People will in time come to know that the home dealer is the man who sells the reliable goods.

Senator A. B. Cummins, of Iowa, is making some of the old heads in the Senate sit up and take notice. He is giving voice to his views on the subject of the tariff, thus establishing a precedent in the American House of Lords. Of course a man isn't expected to open his head in that august body until he has served from six to ten years, but Senator Cummins has some decided opinions on the doings of one Aldrich and he is "speaking out in meeting" Dolliver is also getting into line on the wants of his constituents in the matter of tariff revision, so that Iowa is now well represented in the U. S. Senate.

Land Brings $145 an Acre

A farm near Odebolt was sold the other day for $145 an acre. H Hollander was the owner of the farm which consisted of 200 acres, and Oscar Anderson was the purchaser. A couple of days later, Mr. Anderson was offered $1000 for his bargain, but refused.

Hotel Orleans Burns

The Orleans Hotel at Spirit Lake, which was to be ready for occupancy on May 15th, burned to the ground Monday. The fire was caused by an overheated gasoline stove. A house maid was doing some cleaning preparatory to getting the house ready for the opening.

This is the second time this hotel has caught fire, the old hotel being burned two years ago. The loss to the building and furniture was well covered by insurance

The Register and Leader having observed that Jefferson walked on foot to the oath of office when he was inaugurated, moves the Cedar Falls Record to remark:

"If Jefferson really walked on foot he was carrying out a physiolcgical principle that obtains even in this day. It is hard for a fellow even in these days of advancement and inventions to walk any other way. To do otherwise would be on a par with vocal music by a brass band. We are glad that Jefferson and the other fathers of the republic walked on foot. We of a later generation are following gloriously in their footprints."

This is one on a Garner boy who has been coming down to see a Klemme girl for some time: He was making his usual call a few evenings ago and valiantly offered to brave the dangers of the back yard to bring a bucket of water. He got outside all right, set the bucket down and turned a crank vigorously for several minutes. His efforts met with utter failure and he returned to the house with the statement that the pump was out of order. On inspection it was found that he had set the bucket by a wash tub and had been busy turning a dilapidated clothes wringer.

A new drainage district is wanted by a large number of farmers in the vicinity of Ventura to the north and west of Clear Lake. This drainage district is to be asked for in a petition, the names of the signers of which are to be headed by N. J. Nelson.—Mason City Times.

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OCAL NEWS

h fruits, strawberries, Kluckhohn's.

Mrs. Josten's new mil- ad in this paper.

John Gruetzmacher was at Garner Saturday.

R. Bloom is having his r building re-shingled.

mine the Wisconsin bee handled by N. L. Palmer.

Marguerite Costello, of l, was in Klemme last Sat-

Becker, one of our val- bscribers, called on us eek.

Fuller, of Belmond, was st Saturday in his Inter l auto.

N. L. Palmer and Mrs. C. kow were Garner visitors turday.

R Bloom shipped one car s Sunday morning and one dnesday morning.

ufen Bros. came to the with a change of ad this Don't fail to read it.

p cool. Try our cool sum- rinks, ice cream and Sun The place is Kluckhohn's.

ial prices on Wheeler & and Singer Sewing Ma- at Frank Gruetzmacher's.

t overlook our last page week. Boys and girls read the article on the Contest on that page.

n Schneider, of Garner, n Klemme last Thursday way to Belmond. This acknowledges a pleasant

Standard oil wagon was mme yesterday. This is a item, as the oil man has en able to make this town ny moons.

NTED—Having leased the eder pasture, I will be in a n to pasture your stock ming season.

Fred C. Griewe.

mme has the necessary ial with which to make a nd and a good, fast ball and these things all help ls making a live town. someone start something?

y for changes in ads should this office not later than ay of each week, and if possible. We like to me to set the ads in good which can't be done when ome in at the last minute.

ou think of buying a rug pay you to look over my which consists of Wilton s, Axminsters, Saxony nsters, Colonial Velvets russels made in sizes 6 x 9, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. for rugs G. F. Schuler.

Times last week received y of the Dumont (Iowa) al, published by G. A. Gris- at one time publisher of aper. The Journal appar- is enjoying prosperity. Its ns are well filled with well- s and good readable news. is a good fellow and we ad he is prospering.

Ice cream every day at Kluckhohn's.

For bee keepers supplies call on N. L. Palmer. 41-3

August Wenz was at Britt Monday and Tuesday.

Reports say that the small grain that is up is looking fine.

What is ten dollars worth? Read the StateSavings Bank ad.

The Northern Lumber Co. have a new ad on the first page. Read it.

FOR SALE—Choice Rhode Island eggs. Mrs. J. P. Larsen, Klemme, Iowa. 41-2

Parties owing me on account are requested to pay as soon as possible. Dr. Geo. Zinn. 40-2

P. M. Griesemer and Lawrence Larsen were transacting business at the county hub Monday.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Anyone wishing their lots in the cemetery graded up or taken care of make arrangements with Wm. Fuller. 2w*

Miss Vera Duffey, who teaches the Newberger school east of town, was a Garner visitor Saturday and visited here Sunday with Miss Avis Sage.

Our good friend Herman Stroemer found time from the strenuous work on the farm to make us a pleasant call last Monday, which we enjoyed very much.

Fern Suckow, Mattie and Martha Muehlmeier and Esther and Gail Bloom did a little "Weston" stunt last Saturday afternoon, walking up to Garner and returning on the evening train.

Ed. Schaefer, a prosperous Germantown farmer, sold a fine bunch of eleven months'-old hogs to W. R. Bloom this week. There were six of these famous mortgage lifters and brought Mr. Shefer $125.60.

Wm. Lau and family of Garner spent Sunday in Klemme at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blank. Will is figuring on building some nice porches on his house in South Klemme, occupied by the Times family.

We made a mistake in names in one of our items last week, where we gave John Farmer credit for selling August Lau that fine bunch of fat steers. It was that good farmer, John Tanner, who made the sale. We hope to be able to get these names correctly when we get better acquainted.

C. C. Suckow is painting the exterior of the hotel building this week. This building has been repaired and thoroughly renovated inside and outside and will soon be opened to the public, so Klemme will soon have a good, clean up-to-date hotel. This will be a grand thing for the town and we hope Mr. Elder will do a satisfactory business, and we feel confident that he will

The Klemme High School ball team will cross bats with the Dows aggregation on the Klemme diamond next Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The boys are figuring on a good, close game, as the Dows team is playing fast ball. Turn out and root for the home team. To help meet the expense necessary in getting this game, an admission fee of 25 cents for gentlemen and 15 cents for ladies and children, will be charged.

Try those fine ice cream sodas and Sundaes at Kluckhohn's.

Read the new ad of the State Savings Bank on the first page.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schaper were down from Garner yesterday.

Fishing is now the popular pastime with a number of our people.

Don't forget the ball game Saturday afternoon. Encourage the boys with your presence.

The Times wants correspondents to write the news from all our neighborhood points Call and see us.

Mrs. C. H. Mann who has been visiting with her son and family, left for her home at Garner Friday.

Mrs. Arnold Sr., and her daughter, Mrs. L. Larson and children were Garner visitors last week Friday.

C. J. Schneider and M. Hyde, of Garner, whizzed through town Monday morning in Charley's gasoline go-devil.

L. Alberts, one of our good subscribers, called on us last Thursday and dropped the price of a year's subscription in our till.

Mrs. Gittie M. Sweigard and Miss Church of Goodell, visited at the home of A. R White and family east of town Friday and Saturday.

If the weather continues favorable, the majority of our Hancock county farmers will be planting corn the latter part of this week.

Miss Rose Jordon, teacher in our public school, left Friday for Spencer, Iowa, called there on account of the sudden sickness of her sister.

As May 30th comes on Sunday this year, Monday, the 31st, has been recommended to be observed as Memorial Day. We fail to see why Sunday would not be a most appropriate day for the observance, but most of the towns are planning to honor the soldier dead this year on the 31st.

Rev. Wessel left last evening for Kirkwood, Missouri, with Mr. Wm. Brandt, who will take treatment in the Osteopath Infirmary at that place. Mr. Brandt has been a sufferer with a spinal trouble. We sincerely hope he may find relief and eventually be restored to good health.

Much credit is due those in charge of the cemetery for the great improvements which have been and are being made in the same. A cemetery well kept up and taken care of speaks well for a community. Wm Fuller has charge of the grounds and is setting out evergreens, grading up the lots and otherwise beautifying the premises, and he is doing the work well.

We dislike very much to dun our readers through the columns of this paper, and we hope it will not be necessary to do so very often, but the fact of the matter is that our subscription list shows that a number of our readers are delinquent and we kindly ask those who owe us to call and see us as soon as convenient. We have purchased the list as it stands and as we have been to considerable expense in getting here and getting settled, we need the money that is due us on subscription. If you will attend to this at once it will help us to give you a better paper and enable us to meet our obligations as they become due.

W. R. BLOOM
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Grain and Live Stock
Best Grades of Hard and Soft Coal. Will be prepared to furnish my patrons with the celebrated Petroleum COKE about July 1st. Leave your orders while you can get the coke.
Stock wanted 6 days in the week

German M. E. Church Items

Grace Blank is assisting Mrs. H. Griffen with her work this spring.

Rev. C. A. Schuldt was in Klemme Tuesday, delivering nursery stock for Mr. Dueseberg.

Rev. W. V, Schlung is kept busy in Germantown this week. There ought to be "music in the air" when he gets all the instruments tuned and cleaned.

The Klemme "Standard Bearers" Society will meet with Hulda and Esther Gruetzmacher, Friday evening for their monthly missionary study.

Rev. Wessel preached in Giard and Pleasant Ridge last Sunday. Monday he canvassed in the interest of the college endowment, returning Tuesday evening.

The third quarterly meeting for Klemme and Germantown will be held Saturday and Sunday in Klemme. Rev. W. H. Rolfing, the district superintendent, will conduct the same.

Rev. W. Berg came up from West Grove, Iowa, last week and got Mrs. Berg who has been staying with her mother several months. She has improved a little, but is still quite helpless. The Rev. has charge of four appointments and a promising field.

There were two men in town last week who pretended to be very religious, at any rate they were profuse with their shouting. But instead of being pleasant and winsome, as a Christian ought to be, they acted repulsive and abusive in many homes Tney tried to sell books and a paper, and as many of our people would not buy, they felt it their duty to shake the dust from their garments and pronounce a curse on our village. They said the people of Klemme were nearly all going to hell. As near as we could find out they are Mormons with which this country is flooded, and yet many of our people do not detect them and ignorantly patronize this dangerous octopus of our republic.

Anna Griewe closed her work as teacher in No. 7, German township last Friday. That she has given good satisfaction and endeared herself, not only to her pupils, but parents as well, was well attested in various ways. She had arranged a picnic for the last day, which will long be remembered by those present. A four course dinner was served by the older ones, and the little ones—well, they went at it like little pickaninnies after melons. The afternoon was spent in playing games, and it would be difficult to say who played the hardest and enjoyed it the most, the little ones or the parents. To wind up, ice cream, cake and coffee were served. Those present as visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stille, Donald and Elvira, Mrs. E. H. Schuldt, Lydia and Geneva, Mrs. W. J Schuldt, Minnie Lau, Friede Schuldt, Mrs. H. Griewe, Owen Nuehring, Cyrus and Opal Griewe, Mr. and Mrs. J. E Stille and Andrew Wellemeyer.

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THE KLEMME TIMES

ALLEN C. FLINT, Publisher

KLENNOSE - - - IOWA

Other Washington papers are so bright that it is a wonder the Congressional Record doesn't speed up a little.

Florida is flourishing in spite of occasional spring freezes. A cold March induces tourists to stay a month longer.

"Green hats for greenhorns," suggests an Indiana paper. Whoever wears a green hat and the new green shoes will be a devil of a fellow.

A slump in diamonds is predicted. If agreeable to Her, you'd better wait a few days and you may pick up a real bargain in an engagement solitaire.

Elbert Hubbard suggests that "for a whole year we let the heathen rest." But maybe those Newport swells would object to no mention whatever for 12 months.

A new fraternity is known as "The Amalgamated Order of Moose." From a gastronomic point of view, an amalgamated moose might properly be called hash.

An interesting suggestion that the continental powers might induce Great Britain to cut down her navy by reducing their own. But somewhat academic, eh?

Observers declare that wild geese, when they fly overhead nowadays, do not honk so much as formerly. It may be that they dislike the idea of being mistaken for automobiles.

A Maryland expert says that not one man in a thousand who eats terrapin knows whether it is the genuine diamond backed article or not. Then what difference does it make?

Some English statesmen are in favor of taxing bachelors in order to appease the suffragettes. We were under the impression that some of the English suffragettes were married.

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Since other British possessions have set the example we may expect to hear almost any day now that William Waldorf Astor has put a Dreadnought in the slot and drawn out a peerage.

Atlanta Constitution: Countries in search of a new constitution are informed that we have an old one which, when taken from the top sheif and thoroughly dusted, is a model for the world.

Surely the burglars have not yet cleaned up things so thoroughly that they are now driven to the extremity of stealing things so cumbersome and hard to dispose of as horses and vehicles.

As to the Boston woman who sued her husband for divorce because he threw a pie at her, there may be two sides to the question. Possibly it was a cherry pie of her own baking, with the pits in it.

A Georgia court rules that to call a man a liar in the south is a breach of the peace. As Washington practically is in the south it would seem that a certain distinguished citizen has got away just in time.

Government experts have been testing a rifle provided with electric lights for night work. Soon the luxurious soldier will refuse to fight unless his weapon be provided also with consoles and janitor service.

Lieut. Shackleton has named a south pole mountain peak after Queen Alexandra of England. But if he expects her to traipse down there to unfurl a flag or break a bottle of champagne, he will be disappointed.

Thirteen men were killed in Maine by deer hunters last season. It is only just to say for the hunters that none of them has made any complaint concerning the ammunition that was wasted when the mistakes were made.

At last the hired girl, butt of heartless generations of jokers as she has been, is getting her innings and can throw her proud "defi" at the chorus girl. A kitchen maid in New York has just fallen heir to a fortune of a million dollars.

A congressman is sending the Congressional Record to the public schools in his home town, hoping in that way to induce the pupils to take an interest in the doings of congress. He is counting his readers, too, just as the baseball season is opening.

When Gen. Booth establishes the Salvation Army in Russia it is hard to see how he is going to avoid the organization of a few good active Cossack regiments to bring the thing to the attention of the plain people in the way they are accustomed to

HER INFINITE VARIETY

By BRAND WHITLOCK

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SYNOPSIS.

Senator Morley Vernon's visit with his fiancee was interrupted by a call from his political boss at the state capital. Both regretted it, the girl more than he, because she had arranged to attend a dinner that evening with him. She said she yearned for a national office for him.

CHAPTER II.

When Vernon went into the senate that Tuesday morning and saw the red rose lying on his desk he smiled, and picking it up, raised it eagerly to his face. But when he glanced about the chamber and saw that a rose lay on every other desk, his smile was suddenly lost in a stare of amazement. Once or twice, perhaps, flowers had been placed by constituents on the desks of certain senators, but never had a floral distribution, at once so modest and impartial, been made before. Several senators, already in their seats, saw the check this impartiality gave Vernon's vanity, and they laughed. Their laughter was of a tone with the tinkle of the crystal prisms of the chandeliers, chiming in the breeze that came through the open windows.

The lieutenant governor was just ascending to his place. He dropped his gavel to the sounding-board of his desk.

"The senate will be in order," he said.

The chaplain rose, and the hum of voices in the chamber ceased. Then, while the senators stood with bowed heads, Vernon saw the card that lay on the desk beside the rose. Two little jewels of the moisture that still sparkled on the rose's petals shone on the glazed surface of the card. Vernon read it where it lay.

"Will the Hon. Morley Vernon please to wear this rose to-day as a token of his intention to support and vote for house joint resolution No. 19 proposing an amendment to section one, article seven of the constitution?"

The noise in the chamber began again at the chaplain's "Amen."

"New way to buttonhole a man, eh?" said Vernon to Bull Burns, who had the seat next Vernon's. "What's it all about, anyway?"

Vernon took up his printed synopsis of bills and resolutions.

"Oh, yes," he said, speaking as much to himself as to Burns; "old man Ames's resolution." Then he turned to the calendar. There it was—house joint resolution No. 19. He glanced at Burns again. Burns was fastening his rose in his buttonhole.

"So you're for it, eh?" he said.

"To hell with it," Burns growled in the gruff voice that spoke for the First district. In trying to look down at his own adornment he screwed his fat neck, fold on fold, into his low collar and then, with a grunt of satisfaction, lighted a morning cigar.

"But—" Vernon began, surprises multiplying. He looked about the chamber. The secretary was reading the journal of the preceding day and the senators were variously occupied, reading newspapers, writing letters, or merely smoking; some were gathered in little groups, talking and laughing. But they all wore their roses. Vernon might have concluded that house joint resolution No. 19 was safe, had it not been for the inconsistency of Burns, though inconsistency was nothing new in Burns. Vernon ventured once more with his neighbor:

"Looks as if the resolution were as good as adopted, doesn't it?"

But Burns cast a glance of pity at him, and then growled in half-humorous contempt. The action stung Vernon. Burns seemed to resent his presence in the senate as he always resented the presence of Vernon's kind in politics.

The rose still lay on Vernon's desk; he was the only one of the 51 senators of Illinois that had not put his rose on. He opened his bill file and turned up house joint resolution No. 19. He read it carefully, as he felt a senator should before making up his mind on such an important, even revolutionary measure. He remembered that at the time it had been adopted in the house every one had laughed; no one, with the exception of its author, Dr. Ames, had taken it seriously.

Ames was known to be a crank; he was referred to as "Doc" Ames, usually as "Old Doc" Ames. He had introduced more strange bills and resolutions than any member at that session; bills to curb the homeopathists, bills to annihilate English sparrows, bills to prohibit cigarettes, bill to curtail the liquor traffic, and now this resolution providing for the submission of an amendment to the constitution that would extend the electoral franchise to women.

His other measures had received little consideration; he never got any of them out of committee. But on the female suffrage resolution he had been obdurate, and when—with a majority so bare that sick men had to be borne on cots into the house now and then to pass its measures—the party had succeeded, after weeks of agony, in framing an apportionment bill that satisfied every one, Dr. Ames had seen his chance. He had flatly refused to vote for the reapportionment act unless his woman-suffrage resolution were first adopted.

It was useless for the party managers to urge upon him the impossibility of providing the necessary two-thirds' vote; Ames said he could get the remaining votes from the other side. And so the steering committee had given the word to put it through for him. Then the other side, seeing a chance to place the majority in an embarrassing attitude before the people, either as the proponents or the opponents of such a radical measure—whichever way it went in the end—had been glad enough to furnish the additional votes. The members of the steering committee had afterward whispered it about that the resolution was to die in the senate. Then every one, especially the women of Illinois, had promptly forgotten the measure.

As Vernon thought over it all he picked up the rose again, then laid it down, and idly picked up the card. Turning it over in his hand he saw that its other side was engraved, and he read:

MARIA BURLEY GREENE
Attorney and Counselor at Law.
The Rookery Chicago

Then he knew; it was the work of the woman lawyer. Vernon had heard of her often; he had never seen her. He gave a little sniff of disgust.

The senate was droning along on the order of reports from standing committees, and Vernon, growing tired of the monotony, rose and sauntered back to the lobby in search of company more congenial than that of the gruff Burns. He carried the rose as he went, raising it now and then to enjoy its cool petals and its fragrance. On one of the leather divans that stretch themselves invitingly under the tall windows on each side of the senate chamber sat a woman, and about her was a little group of men, bending deferentially. As he passed within easy distance one of the men saw him and beckoned. Vernon went over to them.

"Miss Greene," said Senator Martin, "let me present Senator Vernon of Chicago."

Miss Greene gave him the little hand that looked yet smaller in its glove of black suede. He bowed low to conceal a surprise that had sprung incautiously to his eyes. Instead of the thin, short-haired, spectacled old maid that had always, in his mind, typified Maria Burley Greene, here was a young woman who apparently conformed to every fashion, though her beauty and distinction might have made her independent of conventions.

The Femininity of It Touched Him.

Physically she was too nearly perfect to give at once an impression of aristocracy; but it was her expression that charmed; it was plain that her intellectuality was of the higher degrees.

As Vernon possessed himself he was able to note that this surprising young woman was clad in a black traveling gown that fitted her perfectly. From her spring hat down to the toes of her boots there was nothing in her attire that was mannish, but she was of an exquisite daintiness wholly feminine and alluring.

All these superficial things faded into their proper background when, at last, his eyes looked full in her face. Reddish brown hair that doubtless had been combed into some resembiance to the prevailing fashion of the pompadour, had fallen in a natural part on the right side and lightly swept a brow not too high, but white and thoughtful. Her other features—the delicate nose, the full lips, the perfect teeth, the fine chin—all were lost in the eyes that looked frankly at him. As he gazed he was conscious that he feared to hear her speak; surely her voice would betray her masculine quality.

She had seated herself again now made a movement that sugge a drawing aside of her skirts to m a place for some one at her side, then she spoke.

"Will you sit down, Senator non?" she said, with a scrupulou gard for title unusual in a woman must make a convert of Senator non, you know," she smiled on other men about her. Her accent plied that this conversion was of utmost importance. The other me whom she seemed to be quite s evidently felt themselves under compulsion of withdrawing, and fell back in reluctant retreat.

CHAPTER III.

The surprise had leaped to Ver eyes again at the final impressio perfection made by her voice, and surprise changed to a regret of and irreclaimable opportunity he reflected that he had lived for y near this woman lawyer and yet n had seen her once in all that When Miss Greene turned to look in the face again, after the of were gone, Vernon grew sudd bashful, like a big boy. He felt face flame hotly. He had been m tating some drawing-room speech; had already turned in his mind a p ty sentence in which there was a creet reference to Portia; Vernon just at the age for classical allusi But when he saw her blue eyes f on him and read the utter seriousn in them he knew that complim would all be lost.

"I am one of your constituents, ator Vernon," she began, "and I down, frankly, lobbying for this r lution."

"And we both," he replied, "ar believe, members of the Cook co bar. Strange, isn't it, that two cago lawyers should have to wait til they are in Springfield to meet

"Not altogether," she said. "I not so very strange—my practice almost wholly confined to office wo I am more of a counselor than a rister. I have not often appeared court; in fact I prefer not to do s am—well, just a little timid in part of the work."

The femininity of it touched h He might have told her that he not often appear in court himself, he was new enough at the bar to h to practice the dissimulation of young professional man. He indul himself in the temptation to allow to go undeceived, though with a p he remembered that her practice, f all that he had heard, must be m more lucrative than his. Somethin the pretty embarrassment she felt fore courts and juries was evide on her in this her first appearance the senate, but she put it away; breast rose with the deep breath resolution she drew, and she strai ened to look him once more in eyes.

"But about this resolution, Sen Vernon; I must not take up too m of your time. If you will give your objections to it perhaps I may able to explain them away. should very much like to have y support."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

To Save Horses from Fire.

When a horse is released from stall during a fire, says a techni paper, he will not leave the stable, the stall is the only place in which believes himself to be safe. A n patented device, which consists o pipe running through the stall to outside of the stable, is designed cure this. In case of fire a turn o handle brings a hose nozzle into po tion and a stream of water pours o the head and shoulders of the ho which drives him into the gangw from which it becomes a comparati ly easy matter to lead him into street.

Safe Rules for Living.

We ought always to deal justly, only to those who are just to us, likewise with those who endeavor injure us. And this too, for fear by rendering them evil for evil should fall into the same vice. So ought likewise to have friendship, t is to say, humanity and good will all, who are of the same nature w us.—Hierocles.

Care of Trees in Paris.

There are 85,840 trees in Paris, each tree has lot number, age, hist and condition recorded in the books the Hotel de Ville. The appropriati for this department is 450,000 franc year. The work could not be d for any such sum had it not been thoroughly done in the beginning the reign of Napoleon III.—Techni World Magazine.

Dead Dog.

"What's become of your dog? haven't seen him for a long time."

"You notice what a cold I've got."

"Yes, but what's that—"

"Well, a lot of people told me thi to do for my cold, and I was w enough to try 'em on him first."

Dreadful Possibility.

One day small Elmer observed f funerals pass the house. After t last one had passed he said: "Mamm if we don't hurry up and die heav will be so crowded we can't get in."

END IN SIGHT

ial Session May Go On All Through Summer

IFF BILL RESPONSIBLE

e Senate is Aroused and the Tariff Will Get a Most Thorough Examination.

ashington, D. C., May 10.—As the bill situation stands at the end hree weeks of senate discussion, scarcely any progress made on dules, it is generally predicted it will be July 1 before the meas- becomes a law.

some well informed quarters it ven predicted that it will be the dle of July or August 1, before special session ends. Senator ton has predicted it would be ful- August 1 before the bill would be ed. Senator Lodge said he would satisfied to get away from Wash ton July 1. Senator Cummins umber and others talked in a sim- vein.

ithout question the speeches made Senators Dolliver, Cummins, Clapp stow, Beveridge and others have de trouble for Senator Aldrich and followers. They have stirred pub- sentiment and aroused the news- ers, including republican organs, h as the New York Tribune, Phil- lphia Press and others that might named, are attacking the bill and mending the attacks made on it the senators from Iowa and other stern states. Letters are begin- g to pour in, in protest to various mbers of the senate. Some sena- s who have taken little part in sideration of the bill thus far, are ng encouraged to demand thor- gh scrutiny of it by the attacks de on it this week.

Among western senators there is a position to give Aldrich credit for niscience. This has been pretty ectually disproved. He was led into end of pitfalls as to the woolen d cotton schedules, and this fact ll intensify the fight on those sched s when they are reached.

ND RELIEF TO ADANA

rkish Government States that It Will Punish Leaders of Massacre.

Constantinople, May 10.—The gov- nment is taking hold of relief work Adana province with vigor. It s been announced that $10,000 had en sent there. The grand vizier d Rerid Pasha, the minister of the terior, received a deputation of the rmenian clergy and laity Saturday. he delegation was headed by Aran- i Pasha, the representative of the triarchate, who was assured that e government would inquire thor- ghly into the Adana massacres and verely punish those guilty of incit- g them. The minister said the in- estigation would be conducted by a ilitary court. Ferid Pasha told the legation that eight persons had en sent to Adana and several thers had gone there from Constan- nople.

A number of Armenians met in con- rence here yesterday to consider hat steps might be taken for the re- ef of their fellow countrymen.

The Ayricultural bank has arrang- d to loan $75,000 without interest to he farmers of Adana to aid them in lanting new crops.

LYER WRECKED; 1 HURT

rain Going Fifty Miles An Hour When it Plunged Through Broken Rails.

Springfield, Mo., May 10.—One man as killed and five injured early Sun- ay when the southeastern limited, n the St. Louis & San Francisco oad left the tracks. The engine was verturned, and Engineer Charles Hains of Fort Scott was killed.

The injured:

M. A. Weider, mail clerk, Kansas City, Kans.

E. T. Coffman, fireman, Fort Scott.

Perry Posey, Kansas City, Kans.

H. C. Hoepper, Kansas City, Kans.

The train was going fifty miles an hour at the time of the accident, which was caused by a heavy rain washing the ballast from under 500 feet of track.

Earthquakes Continue.

Rome, May 10.—Since the great earthquake of December scarcely a day has passed without shocks, more or less strong, being felt at Messina, Reggio and surrounding territory, and all sections of the Calabrian earth quake zone. There have been shocks strong enough to destroy buildings. Tottering walls have been overthrown but there has practically been no loss of life

AFTER ABDUL'S GOLD.

IT IS RUMORED THAT MUCH TREASURE IS BURIED IN THE SULTAN'S PALACE.

WHITLA KIDNAPER CONVICTED

MRS. BOYLE'S TRIAL FOLLOWS THAT OF HUSBAND.

Verdict Quickly Rendered in Man's Case and Woman Now Faces Jury.

Mercer, Pa.—James Boyle, charged with kidnaping "Billy" Whitla, was convicted Thursday, after a trial lasting but a few hours. No defense was made and the jury was out but a few minutes. The penalty is from one year to life imprisonment. Mrs. Boyle was immediately placed on trial, charged with aiding and abetting the kidnaping.

The first witness called by the state in Mrs. Boyle's case was Miss Ella Boyle, a sister of James Boyle. Apparently from the line of questioning the prosecution wanted to prove by her that the kidnaping conspiracy was formed while Mrs. Boyle was visiting in Sharon with her husband and that she was implicated in it.

Mrs. Boyle took a prominent part in the selection of her jury, prompting her attorneys in numerous cases and evidencing a preference for young, unmarried jurors.

As she was being taken from the courthouse to the jail at the close of court yesterday, Mrs. Boyle was surrounded by a crowd of angry women, who threatened to attack her.

That Boyle's trial came to such an abrupt ending, immediately after the state had rested, was due to the fact that so strong a case had been made against him. From the night before the abduction when he was seen in Sharon, till the time of his arrest in Cleveland almost every movement he made was testified to by one or more witnesses. A man who hired him a horse and buggy, another who saw Boyle driving with "Billy" in the buggy, the barber who saw the two together and shaved Boyle's mustache off, train and electric railway conductors, who saw the couple on the way to Cleveland and identified them in court, all told stories which fitted in perfectly with that of "Billy" Whitla and left no doubt as to the part Boyle had taken in the case. The penalty is from one year to a life sentence in the penitentiary. Sentence has not been pronounced yet.

Plot to Steal Governor's Son.

Oakland, Cal.—A plot to kidnap the eight-year-old son of Gov. Gillette was unearthed at San Quentin prison when it was found that J. B. Clifton, one of the most notorious criminals in the state, who is serving time for attempting the life of Detective Hodkins in Oakland, had completed arrangements with a confederate on the outside to steal the boy and hold him for ransom.

The price of the lad's return to his father was to have been Clifton's pardon.

Celebrates Discovery of Gold.

Denver, Col.—Colorado celebrated Friday with fetes in Denver and other cities the fiftieth anniversary of the discovery of gold that started the great Pike's Peak stampede of fortune-seekers in 1859. The discovery was made by George W. Jackson near the present site of Idaho Springs, and the company he organized began the development of the first paying deposits 50 years ago. On May 6, 59 years ago the first recorded find of gold in the Rocky mountains was made in the district of Clear creek by Capt. John H. Gregory, a Georgia miner.

AWFUL HORROR AT TARSUS.

Soldiers Aid in Slaughter of Christians by Armenians—Adana Still Lawless.

Adana.—Adana is still lawless. More people have been killed in the city. There are 30,000 dead in the Adana provinces as a result of the massacres, and 35,000 homeless and penniless refugees are wandering in the vilayet.

The deaths in Adana city alone are estimated at 6,500.

Adana is terrorized by 4,000 soldiers, who are looting, shooting and burning. No respect is paid to foreign properties. Both the French schools have been destroyed, and it is feared that the American school, commercial and missionary interests in Adana are totally ruined.

Tarsus, Asiatic Turkey.—Authentic details of the atrocities committed by the fanantical Mohammedans in the villages and farms in this district are now coming in to Tarsus with sickening abundance.

At least 10,000 persons lost their lives in this province, and some estimates place the total casualties at 25,000. Villages like Osmanieh, Bazsche, Hamadieh, Kara, Kristian, Keoy and Kezolook were actually wiped out. Each of these places had populations of from 500 to 600 people.

Marash, Asiatic Turkey.—A letter received here by messenger from Harni says hat every man there has been killed. Only women, girls and boys under ten years of age have been left alive. The churches and houses were plundered and most of them were burned.

GET $7,000 BY FRAUD.

Illinois Couple Alleged to Have Wrongfully Obtained Part of Estate in New York.

New York.—How a man and woman from Hamburg, Ill., are alleged to have fooled the supreme court and the state attorney general into paying them $7,000 in the belief they were half brother and half-sister of John Edward Hughes, who died intestate in the Flatbush asylum, November, 1902, was revealed in motion papers submitted to Justice Seabury in the supreme court.

Hughes left $26,000, and it was not known that he had a living relative. The man and woman from Illinois turned up and demanded the estate. They were in a fair way to get all of it when, after an investigation, James T. Williamson declared they were not related to Hughes and that relatives of Hughes live in Newark, N. J., and in Ireland.

Federation of Musicians Meets.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Nearly three hundred delegates were present Monday when the fourteenth annual meeting of the American Federation of Musicians opened. Joseph Weber of Cincinnati, the president, was in the chair. The convention will last six days. The federation is composed of 510 locals in the United States and Canada, with a membership of about 52,000 professional musicians.

Mothers' Day Celebrated.

Chicago.—Sunday was set aside officially in many states as "Mothers' day," and in the cities and towns innumerable mass meetings were held at which collections were taken up for the relief of destitute mothers. In Chicago thousands of men and women wore white carnations.

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At this point some meddlesome idiot asked the colonel how such deer ever managed to get their antlers between such tree trunks.

"Thet, seh," said the colonel, drawing himself up with squelching dignity, "is theh business!"—Everybody's Magazine.

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Signed........................Age......
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Signed........................Age......
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(Fill out the blank and return entire sheet.)

An observant ex records his version of a few changes of the barn dance he witnessed at a recent sassiety event: "You take the girl by both hands across the small of the back and hippity-hop three times. When you give a swift kick at the chandelier but don't quite hit it. Then you whirl around, break away and dance a little by your lonesome then work up along side and at the proper moment clinch with a half Nelson hold and a hop like a small boy with a stone bruise on his heel.—Ex.

A tall girl in town has a short beau, and also a new spring hat. The other day they sat down in the depot waiting for a train and soon becoming confidential began to "snuggle up." He stretched his neck to get nearer, she drew her neck in for the same reason, spectators watched the scene with interest. The hat began to descend and incompass him, a couple of titters, another snuggle, and the thing was done. The hat completely enfolded them. One rim was against the wall in the corner, the other part rested on her lap. they were behind it. "lost to sight" but that they were alive was manifest by their breathing and the little snickers that came from the depths of the hat. Talk about an umbrella in a nook by the sea shore. A 1909 hat in the corner just a little "scouching," and pretty soon "pop goes the weasel." If those hats are not condusive to matrimony in the third degree without rebate or other impediment we lose our guess.—Britt Tribune.

TWIN LAKE

August Stille lost a valuable cow last week.

Some of our farmers are beginning to plant their corn.

H. J. Schlichting sold and delivered a few loads of hogs in Klemme last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Tanner visited with L. W. Wendel's at Belmond Sunday. R. J. Wendel and bride were also there.

Chas. Stiehl was making a few calls in Twin Lake on his way to Erin township where they know too. that his goods are what they want.

Miss Huldah Stiehl of Garner finished her school year in District No. 2 last Friday. They celebrated the day by having a school picnic and giving a program. All who were present enjoyed the day.

Arthur Waldow, living near Miller, suicided Tuesday evening by taking strychnine. Disappointment in love is supposed to be the cause for the rash act.

P. R. Gilligan, of Britt, shot his wife and hired girl at his home Monday. Report says that their injuries are not dangerous. Gilligan and his wife had been having trouble and had agreed to disagree. it seems, and the scrap was over the division of the property

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REAL ORIGIN OF "MEAL TIME."

Has Come Down to Us from the Anglo-Saxon "Mael."

With regard to the difficulty of defining a "meal" it may be observed that, originally, a meal meant a repast taken at a fixed time. It is the Anglo-Saxon "mael," a mark, sign, measure, fixed time, and so food partaken of then, and has no connection with "meal" of the oatmeal kind, except by one of those verbal coincidences in which language abounds. All the other senses of "mael" but that of a repast have vanished except in the word "piecemeal," but German has still both "mal," a time (as in "einmal," once) and "mahl," a meal.

Of "mahl," however, tourists should beware. There is a story of a fatigued English pedestrian staggering into a German inn with a demand for "Abendmahl." What he wanted was supper ("Abendessen"); what he got was a clergyman ready to administer the holy sacrament (which "Abendmahl" in practice means), under the impression that he was dying.

"Meal time" has got into the German language of greeting. It was the old fashion after supper in the home to shake hands all round and say "Gesegnete Mahlzeit"— a blessing on the meal-time, And the German digestion is so vigorous that the students at the universities part from each other, not with good-by or adieu, or any such supraterrestrial allusion but—"Mahlzeit!"

Keeping Down the Belt Line.

"The trouble with you women," said a man recently, "is that you depend upon the straight-front corset instead of the proper exercise." This shows how little he knows about it. A number of women in Atchison get down on the floor every night and roll and roll like puppies at play. Then they stand on their toes and balance backward, forward and sideways, and take other exercises that would make a contortionist envy them, and every bit of it is done to keep the belt line down. Women wear the straight front, but they don't depend upon it.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

Hungry.

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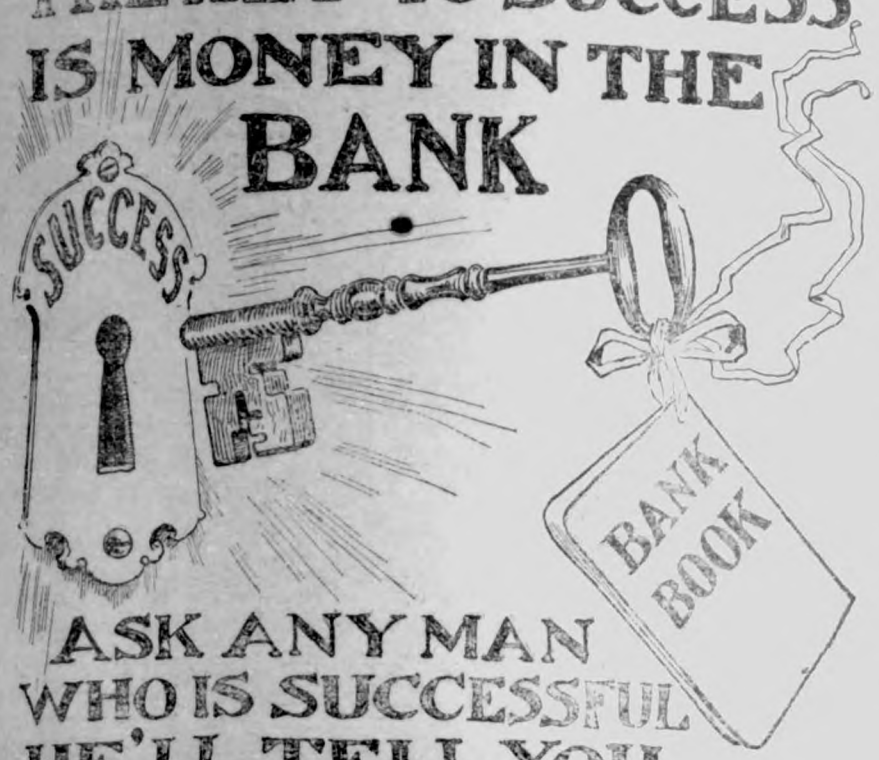

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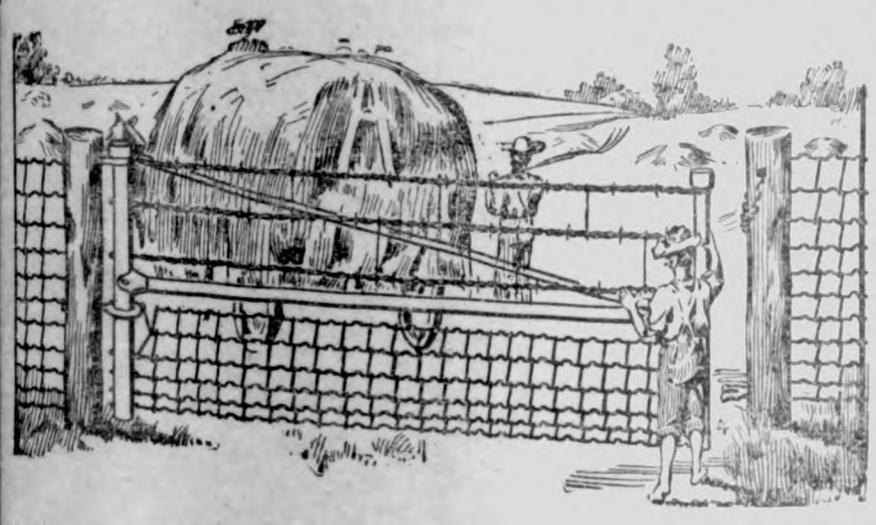

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TWIN LAKE

Special Correspondence:

L. W. Wendel hauled hay from his farm last week.

Will Nuehring has begun this season's road work in his quarter.

The late rains have given a rest so the boys can enjoy fishing at the lake since May 15th.

The children of Chas. Schlichting have been sick the past week but are now doing nicely.

M. J. Thompson is getting the foundation laid for a new barn, to be built in the near future.

The foremost topic of conversation now days is "The Weather" but in spite of the heavy rains, most of our farmers are again at their planting.

J. Becker and force of Garner finished a good well for Adolph Schlichting Tuesday. When he gets his house and other improvements on his place he will have a fine farm. That's right Adolph "Keep a goin'."

ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Miss Luella Yohn visited Clear Lake friends Saturday.

Tom Nelson and Mark Adwell were at the lake Monday.

A baby boy arrived at the home of Peter Josten Sunday.

Bert Auchampach and men are tiling for Hod Lawhorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Josten visited at Herman Barz' Sunday.

Ben Grove visited Clifford Swartz at the Josten place Sunday.

Hans Hanson and family were Sunday visitors at Hod Lawhorn's.

Hans Hanson and Hod Lawhorn were at Clear Lake a few days this week.

Tilers are at work on the George Ingham farm. They will put in several car loads of tile.

The dance at George Blank's was poorly attended Saturday evening on account of the muddy roads.

A dance will be given Saturday evening at the Luke Wessel home. Their dances drew large crowds last summer and probably will this summer as they have a large barn to dance in.

AVERY CENTER

Special Correspondence:

J. T. Griggs has had his house and barn painted.

The farmers are getting anxious to plant corn.

John Heginger purchased a 240 egg incubator of Ell Bros.

The hardest rain of the season struck here last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Gartin visited at the Jay Griggs home last Sunday.

J. W. Griggs and daughter Maude called on relatives in Meservey Monday.

Miss Nellie Griggs went to Iowa Falls to take a course in music at Elsworth College.

Walt Markle visited at W. M. Shaver's last Sunday. I wonder what the attraction is?

T. M. Hamilton and wife and Miss Laura Meyers visited at P. H. Behinger's Sunday evening.

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THE KLEMME TIMES

ALLEN C. FLINT, Publisher

KLENNOSE - - - IOWA

Now is the time to have your straw hat cleaned.

For the sake of peace give the women the ballot!

Why jeer at the spring poet when we all feel the same way?

Soon will be warm enough for the open-window cornet player.

The milliners have solved the problem: What shall we do with our ex-wastebaskets?

It must be much pleasanter to pilot a war balloon before hostilities begin than afterward.

Now the price of liberty is quoted at the market rate of a sufficient supply of Dreadnoughts.

London complains of a shortage of doctors. The diploma mills must be more exacting over there.

A wise man will enjoy every pleasant day to the fullest extent, for he never knows what is coming.

The taxicab is after all an automobile, and it does not hesitate to run over the innocent pedestrian.

An English peeress has written a cookery book. Perhaps the reaction from the suffragette craze is coming.

The treasury department, it is said, is about to have new designs prepared for the nickel five-cent pieces and the more or less coppery one-cent coins. If possible the designs should be drawn so as not to resemble in any degree the designs on the new five-dollar gold pieces.

Each succeeding generation is better than the last. That is why we do not burn witches nor own slaves. And we do many things which our children's children will think criminal and silly. Our youngsters have every indication of living in a better time than we have seen.

If the Chicago police have captured the leader of the Black Hand in that city, they have done an excellent work. It is said that this man has given information concerning his fellows. He was arrested in the act of taking money from an Italian physician, who had been threatened by the gang.

A looker-on in Venice—Illinois, not Italy—might well be surprised that the recent spanking of three boys in that peaceful village should be so elaborately treated by the metropolitan press. Time was when this was an almost daily observance in every home in the land that boasted young barbarians at play. "The old order changeth."

A railroad posts in its suburban cars warnings against "disembarking from the cars in the terminal yards." This, as the Frenchman observed, is most well; but might it not be worth while to join with it an admonition to the careless suburbanite to cease disembarking on the port side of the trains at stations where the platform lies to starboard?

The coast artillery companies at Fort Washington, Md., claim the world's record in mortar firing, having hit a target moving at the rate of five miles an hour six times in ten shots at a distance of from 4,000 to 6,000 yards, and the ten shots were fired in less than 6½ minutes. With marksmanship reduced to an exact science the leviathan battleships will have to be wary.

An American company is to be formed to capitalize an expedition to search in the ocean for the hidden treasures of Capt. Kidd. As a hider that piratical gentleman is still holding the record. He would be worth his weight in his own gold at this day, when other hidden treasures are being dragged to light by probes, investigations and other forms of "trust-busting."

How culpably ignorant of the early history of our country the children are being kept is freshly illustrated by some examination papers filed at a recent college examination, in which it was stated that Gen. Grant and Admiral Farragut commanded in the British army and navy during the revolution. Apparently good work will be found for every post in detailing comrades to inspect the duties of the children in the schools.

The New York taxicabs having become established the inevitable result follows that their proprietors are feeling around for the highest charges that the traffic will bear. This is so usual as to create little surprise; but the public would like for once to see how it seems to encounter a public service novelty that is conducted on the effete notion of discovering the lowest prices that will yield bigger profits by multiplying the traffic.

HER INFINITE VARIETY

By BRAND WHITLOCK

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SYNOPSIS.

Senator Morley Vernon's visit with his fiancee was interrupted by a call from his political boss at the state capital. Both regretted it, the girl more than he, because she had arranged to attend a dinner that evening with him. She said she yearned for a national office for him. On Vernon's desk in the senate he found a red rose, accompanied by a plea for suffrage for women. He met the authoress, pretty Miss Maria Greene of Chicago, who proposed to convert him into voting for house resolution No. 19.

CHAPTER III.—Continued.

Vernon scarcely knew what to reply; such objections as he might have found at other times—the old masculine objections to women's voting and meddling in politics—had all disappeared at sight of this remarkable young woman who wished to vote herself; he could not think of one of them, try as he would. His eyes were on the rose.

"Perhaps your objections are merely prejudices," she ventured boldly, in her eyes a latent twinkle that disturbed him.

"I confess, Miss Greene," he began, trying to get back something of his senatorial diguity, such as state senatorial dignity is, "that I have not devoted much thought to the subject; I am indeed rather ashamed to acknowledge that I did not even know the amendment was coming up to-day, until I was—ah—so delightfully reminded by your rose."

He raised the rose to inhale its fragrance. She made no reply, but she kept her eyes on him, and her gaze compelled him to go on. It was hard for him to go on, for it was now but a struggle against the formality of a surrender that had been inevitable from the beginning. But his man's pride forced him to delay it as long as possible.

"What assurances have you from other senators?" he asked. "Though, perhaps, I need not ask—they have unanimously mounted your colors." He looked at his colleagues, sporting their roses. Miss Greene gave a little exclamation of annoyance.

"Do you think I don't know," she said; "that I don't understand all that? I might have known that they would not take it seriously! And I thought—I thought—to put the matter so easily to them that I should be spared the necessity of buttonholing them!"

"It was a novel way of buttonholing them," he laughed.

"Oh!" she exclaimed, catching her breath, "they wear the roses—and laugh at me!"

Her eyes flashed through the mists of vexation that suggested tears.

"You are all alone then?"

Vernon said this in a low, solicitous tone, as if he were dealing with some deep grief.

"All alone."

"And you represent no one—that is, no society, no club?"

"I am not a paid lobbyist," she said, "though I believe it is not beyond the properties of our profession. I do what I do only from a love of principle. I represent only my sex." She said it impressively, and then with a quick little laugh that recognized the theatrical that had been in her attitude, she added: "And that, I suspect, without authorization."

"The ladies, generally, do not seem to be interested," Vernon acquiesced.

"No," she shook her head sadly, "no, on the contrary, I suppose most of them oppose the measure."

"I have generally found them of that feeling," Vernon observed.

"The slaves, before the war, often petitioned congress not to set them free, you will remember."

Miss Greene spoke with a bitterness. Then quickly she collected herself.

"But your objections, Senator Vernon?" she said. "Really, we must get down to business."

She raised the little chatelaine watch that hung at her bosom and looked down at it. And then suddenly, without waiting for his objections, as if she had quite forgotten them indeed, she impulsively stretched forth a hand and said:

"You will help me, won't you?"

Vernon looked into her eyes. His gaze, after an instant, fell. He tried to run the stem of the rose through his buttonhole. The thorns caught in the cloth.

"You'll have to do it," he said, helplessly.

From some mysterious fold of her habit she took a pin, and then, leaning over, she pinned the rose to his coat, pinned it with its long stem hanging, as a woman would pin a flower to a man's lapel.

"Thank you." He was looking into her eyes again.

"Rather let me thank you," she said. "It's so good of you to vote for my measure."

His eyes widened suddenly. He had quite forgotten the resolution. She must have perceived this, for she blushed, and he hastened to make amends.

"I'll not only vote for it," he rushed ahead impulsively, "but I'll make a speech for it." He straightened and leaned away from her to give a proper perspective in which she could admire him. He sat there smiling.

"How splendid of you!" she cried. "I feel encouraged now."

Then Vernon's face lengthened. He stammered: "But you'll have to give me some data; I—I don't know a thing about the subject."

"Oh," she laughed, "I brought some literature. It shall all be at your disposal. And now, I must be about my work. Can you make any suggestions? Can you tell me whom I should see, whom I should interest, who has the—ah—pull, I believe you call it?"

"I'll bring them to you," Vernon said. "You sit here and hold court."

He rose and his eyes swept the chamber. They lighted on Burns, and an idea suddenly came to him. He would revenge himself on Burns for all the slights of the session.

"Of course you'll have to see Sam Porter, but I'll begin by bringing Senator Burns—familiarly known as Bull Burns."

"I've read of him so often in the newspapers," she said, "it would be an experience."

Vernon went over to Burns' seat and touched him on the shoulder.

"Come on," he said in a tone of command, speaking for once from the altitude of his social superiority. And for once he was successful. The burly fellow from the First district stood up and looked inquiringly.

"Come with me," Vernon said; "there's a Chicago lawyer back here who wants to see you."

Burns followed and an instant later Vernon halted before Miss Greene. The other men, who had quickly returned to her side, made way, and Vernon said:

"Miss Greene, may I present Senator Burns, of the First district?"

Miss Greene smiled on the big saloonkeeper, who instantly flamed with embarrassment. She gave him her hand, and he took it in his fat palm, carefully, lest he crush it.

"I am delighted to meet Senator Burns; I've heard of you so often," she said, looking up at him. "And do you know I count it a privilege to meet one of your acknowledged influence in our state's affairs?"

Vernon stood back, delighted beyond measure with the confusion into which Burns for once had been betrayed. The senator from the First district was struggling for some word to say, and at last he broke out with:

"Aw now, lady, don't be t'rowin' de con into me."

The men in the little group on that side of the senate chamber burst out in a laugh, but Burns becoming suddenly grave, and dangerous and terrible in his gravity, they broke off in the very midst of their mirth. The group became silent.

"Really, Senator Burns," said Miss Greene, "this is no—ah—confidence game, I assure you." She rose with a graceful sweep of her skirts. Then she went on: "If you will permit me, I should like to explain my mission to you. I am down here to ask the senate to adopt a resolution that will submit an amendment to the constitution permitting the women of Illinois to vote at all elections, as they vote at school elections now. If you can give it, I should like your support; I should, at least, like to tell you my reasons."

Slowly she seated herself again, saying: "Will you sit down?"

But Burns only stood and looked at her. There was a trace of fear in her face.

"Do you want dis resolution put t'rough?" he asked, bluntly.

"I? Indeed I do!" she said.

"Is dere anyt'ing in it fer you?" he went on.

"Why," Miss Greene said, somewhat at a loss, "only that I am interested as a matter of principle in seeing it adopted. It would be a great day for me if I could go back to Chicago feeling that I had had just a little bit to do with such a result."

"Den I'm wit' you," said Burns, and wheeling, he went back to his desk.

Miss Greene watched him a moment, and then turned to the ... their numbers augmented now ... others who had come up to see ... in the presence of such a woman. ... glance she gave them was a que...

"Oh, he means it," said Mon... Whiteside. "He'll vote for the ... lution."

"Yes, he's given his word," ... Brownwell of Cook.

Vernon devoted half an ho... bringing senators to meet ... Greene. It was not difficult ... though it had its disadvantages ... did not allow Vernan to remain ... her long at a time. But at last ... done, and he found a moment ... with her. She had given him ... pamphlets on equal suffrage.

"Ah, if you could only address ... senate!" he exclaimed, in open ... ration. And then, as if an inspir... had come to him, he added:

"Perhaps I could arrange it; ... been done."

She gasped and stretched out ... hand to stay him.

"Oh, not for all the world!" ... protested.

"But you'll come and meet the ... tenant-governor?"

"Up there?" she said, incredulo... pointing to the dais under the fla...

"Why, yes," Vernon answered; ... not? It's where all the eminent ... yers who come down here to ... sit."

She looked up at the desk be... which the lieutenant-governor ... swinging gently in his swivel ... while the secretary read senate ... on third reading. There was a ... luctance in her eyes, but when ... caught Vernon's smile, she gath... her skirts and said:

"Well, if I must."

CHAPTER IV.

While Miss Greene sat chatting ... the lieutenant-governor, who ... neglected the duties of his high ... Vernon went out into the rot... lighted a cigarette, glanced over ... pamphlets, and tried to arrange ... heads of his speech in his mind.

At the thought of the speech, ... non grew cold and limp with ner... ness. His hands were clammy, ... knees trembled, his mouth became ... and parched, and the cigarette he ... lighted imparted all at once an ... taste. Yet he smoked on, and as ... wandered around the rotunda, ... from both houses, passing to and ... greeted him, but they seemed to ... to be strange new creatures flitting ... in a dream. If he was conscious ... them at all it was only as of en... beings, all on a common happy p... fortunate ones who did not have ... make a speech within the hour. ... went over to the state library, th... ing that its quiet would soothe ... when he stood among the tall sta... of books he suddenly remembered t... he must not smoke in those precin... and so he turned out into the rot... again, for he must smoke. He wal... round and round the rotunda, pau... at times to lean over the brass rail ... and look far down to the main fl... where the red light glowed at ... cigar stand; he sauntered back ... the dim and undisturbed corridors, ... mind racing over all the things ... might say.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"Den I'm Wit' You."

Trim Your Nails.

There is a certain eminent physic... who, wiser than the children of ... plods his way along in an unbe... track and has no peer as a diagno... cian. He is always accompanied ... an expert manicurist, instead of ... white or colored valet. "The hu... nail, like the human hair," he s... to me, "is much affected by physi... conditions. Barbers will tell you t... in certain seasons the beard, for ... stance, grows nearly twice as fast ... at others. It is so with the nails. ... times, according to how we feel, ... free edge may be a month in growi... there is some retarding agent. ... other times it may grow in a w... Sometimes the nail has transve... furrows, indicating periods of illn... At other times it bears furrows r... ning lengthwise—a sure indicatio... gout. My manicurist can tell by th... indications when your last sickn... occurred, and I can tell what the ... ady was."

Fish Caught by Horsemen.

It is not often that hunting and ... ling are combined, or that fish ... caught by a horseman; yet this ... what, according to a correspond... happened at a recent meet of L... Fitzhardinge's foxhounds. While jum... ing a stream, Mr. Philip Norris of B... tol (England) was thrown from ... horse, and fell into the water. Sub... quently, while changing his clothes ... a village hostelry, he discovered t... a live trout had netted itself in one ... his pockets while he was in the wa... The fish has been preserved at ... hostelry.

Pride.

"Are you at the head of your cl... in school?"

"Not exactly," answered the stu... youngster, "but the boy that is at ... head of my class in school isn't in ... class in football."

Latin Proverb: Custom is ... plague of the wise men, and the ... of fools.

COWNIES PLACE

agists Want Representatives on Board

ATE REFUSED REQUEST

Executive Committee May ecommend Woman on Board to Governor Carroll Next Week.

s Moines, May 15.—Instead of mmending the appointment of a n as resident superintendent he girl's reformatory at Mitchell- the executive committee of the Equal Suffrage association h will meet in Des Moines Sat- y, may ask Gov. B. F. Carroll to int a woman on the state board ntrol.

e recommendation of a woman intendent originated with the Miss Gertrude von Petzhold of Unitarian church, but is not ed by the equal suffrage women are more familiar with condi- at the institution. To have a an on the state board has long the desire of the association, t has met rebuff from every gov- since the state board was ed by law.

e term of office of John Cownie he board contemplates in April, Because of the fact that two s suggested by Governor Carroll his vacancy were turned down by senate the suffrage women be- that they may gain their point he settlement of the contro- y.

SES ARE DECREASING

l Reports Show That Cases Are Decreasing and Attendants Discharged.

spite the efforts of the state d of control and the superintend- of the state insane hospitals to p out every vestige of abuse to nts, the reports for the month pril as submitted to the board of ol show that there were a few nces during the month.

each case the attendant suspect- was promptly discharged. The ber of cases is also less than before. Apparently the effort lean out all such practices is hav- its effect.

suppose there will always be iso- cases so long as human nature onstituted as it is," said J. T. ilton of the state board of con- yesterday. "Occasionally there be an attendant who is unable eep his temper who may do vio- e when provoked. These people being weeded out as rapidly as ible. The investigation of the nt legislative committee showed one thing that the cases of gen- cruelty are few and far between the reports for the month of l show only minor offenses that d hardly be called abuse, but h resulted in the patient getting benefit of the doubt."

To Check Colleges.

tates Superintendent Riggs has ed Prof. Albert Loughridge of r Falls to check up the colleges he state and report upon their lition for the benefit of the state d of educational examiners. Prof. ghridge proposes to examine into ses of study, faculty, textbooks, l and religious training—in fact, every phase of college careers. begins his inspection at Luther ge, Decorah.

of. Loughridge is well known in as an educator. Years ago he on the faculty of Central univer- at Pella. Later he was for years of the Latin department of the e Teachers' college at Cedar s, but of late years has been a ionary in India for the Baptist ch.

e Amount of Tax Receipts.

lk County broke all records when 12.58 was turned over to State surer William W. Murrow as the ty's share of the state taxes col- d in March. The next highest unt turned in was $43,000, from t county.

reme Court Decisions.

aggie Puls, by her next friend, Melvin Paulson et al, appellants; uth district. Action for dam- for personal injuries. Modified affirmed on condition; opinion by s.

ot Sell Liquor.

e first act of Clarence Larson, secretary of the pharmacy com- ion, was to decide that drug es serving lunches could not re- e a permit to sell liquor.

TO ENFORCE STOOKEY LAW

EDUCATIONAL EXAMINERS ADOPT STRICT MEASURES.

Applicants For First Grade Teachers' Certificates Must Show Past Experience.

Stricter enforcement of the clause in the Stookey law requiring credits for sixteen hours a week of professional training from college graduates who are applicants for first grade five-year teachers' certificates was decided upon by the state board of educational examiners in session at the state house.

When the Stookey law went into effect two years ago the board interpreted the statutes leniently and permitted graduates of recognized colleges to take out first grade certificates without insisting upon the credits for courses in pedagogy, psychology and similar subjects which comprise professional training.

The educators have decided that the period of grace should expire and there exists no further justification for failing to comply with the law, which requires that at least sixteen hours a week during the college course of an applicant for a certificate who does not wish to take the examination shall be devoted to courses in professional training.

About 200 teachers in the state were permitted to draw certificates since the law went into effect who had not taken the required courses, with the understanding that they should make up this work within two years. Many have done so, but others are worrying about the renewal of their certificates, which were to run two years and to be renewed for the five-year period only after the required work had been made up.

The board went over a long list of candidates for positions as readers of examination papers and submitted to State Superintendent Riggs a smaller list of eligible ones from which to choose. The next meeting of the board will be held June 18.

Des Moines in the Lead.

Des Moines, Iowa, May 13.—Substantial gains in the total amount of insurance in force for Des Moines life insurance companies are shown by the annual life insurance report of Auditor of State Bleakly for the year 1908. The increase varies from less than $100,000 to more than a $1,000,000, and none of the local companies show a loss.

The total amount of insurance for all companies whose home offices are in Iowa has increased nearly $5,000,000, or from $41,728,621.00 on December 31, 1907 to $46,314,866.50 on December 31, 1908. The total number of policies outstanding has increased from 39,946 to 44,649. During the year 1908 Iowa companies paid losses aggregating $237,858.89. Of this amount Des Moines companies paid all but $49,908.55, which was paid by companies at Davenport, Cedar Rapids, Waterloo and Council Bluffs.

Little change is shown in the relative amount of business done by any company. The Equitable is far in the lead, with the Des Moines Life next, the Royal Union Mutual third and the Central Life fourth. All these are Des Moines companies.

Valuable Papers Given.

Iowa City.—The State Historical society of Iowa has received the James Harlan autobiographical manuscript, consisting of 10,000 pages of historical material, the most extensive single collection relative to Iowa which has ever been gathered.

Harlan was a leader in educational and religious circles during the territory. He was United States senator from Iowa from 1855 to 1873. He was invited to a position in President Lincoln's cabinet and he served in President Johnson's cabinet later.

Carroll Instructs New Board.

Governor B. F. Carroll called the members of the state pharmacy commission before him, told them that they will be expected to keep correct and complete data as to their travels about the state and their per diem expenditures and discussed with them the new laws relative to drug stores, such as the Hammill liquor sale law, the law forbidding the sale of cocaine, etc. The board has practically decided that examinations will be held every other month as at present and not quarterly.

National Guardsmen to Shoot.

Rifle practice by the Iowa National guard will begin June 9, at the range, which has been constructed by the state near the Belgrade station on the Inteurban. This will be the first practice engaged in by the entire militia since the completion of the new grounds. About one hundred men from different companies will make up each detail, and each shoot will last about ten days.

SENATORS MAKE HIT

Iowans Play Conspicuous Role in Senate.

FOR DOWNWARD REVISION

Senator Aldrich's Failure to Carry Out the Chicago Platform Principles Is Making Many Enemies.

Washington, D. C., May 17.—The result of the last week's consideration of the tariff bill has been on the whole to make it clear that the country need not expect any real tariff revision downwards if Senator Aldrich and the finance committee can prevent it.

For the last week there has been a constant discussion and debate in the senate. Revisionists have fought hard to force some of the schedules lower, and in this fighting Senators Cummins and Dolliver have borne a consistent and able part. In consideration of the glass and steel schedules, Senator Cummins has been especially active and has done much hard work. Both Cummins and Dolliver have consistently voted for lower duties.

While it is true that on all of the roll calls Senator Aldrich and his supporters have been able to overcome the revisionists, this does not by any means tell the whole story. The persistent fighting of the revisionists has aroused the high tariff men to the realization of the intensity of the opposition in many parts of the country to the Aldrich bill and to their failure and refusal to carry out the pledges of the Chicago platform. Accordingly, they have made some concessions and will make others. For instance, they were forced to concede lower duties on common window glass. They yielded on barbed wire and cut duties in half on that article. Concessions on wire nails also are promised.

Indications are now that the bill will not be sent to the president before July 1. Much fighting is ahead. It will be the policy of the Iowa senators and other real revisionists to keep on fighting. They do not expect to accomplish anything like all they feel that ought to be accomplished, but they believe some needed reductions can be forced, either in the senate or later on in conference.

That those senators who are fighting for revision are meeting with the country's approval is evidenced by the flood of letters and telegrams of a congratulatory nature that continue to pour in on Senators Cummins and Dolliver.

SUNDAY SCORES SOCIETY

Takes Church People to Task for Attending Social Function at Hotel.

Marshalltown, Iowa, May 17.—Evangelist W. A. Sunday, from his pulpit, took to task church members of the city who were guests at a fashionable dancing and card party given at the Pilgrim hotel by Landlord and Mrs. Charles M. Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. William A. Divas, the former a wealthy banker and capitalist. Over 200 people participated in the festivities of the evening, and naturally there were among the guests some who are identified to a greater or lesser extent with the churches.

Sunday declared the party an open insult to the cause of God and said: "People get their estimate of religion from what they see in the lives of those who are called Christians. You church members who went to that card party went because you wanted to go. Some of you people may not like what I say, but I do not care."

This is the first open attack Mr. Sunday has made during three weeks' campaign here.

Sunday has fixed next Thursday as mother's day and has asked the merchants of the city to close their stores between the hours of 2 and 4 in honor of their mothers. He has also asked everybody to wear a bit of white ribbon, or a white flower, in honor of their mothers.

Earthquake in Montana.

Great Falls, Mont., May 17.—A distinct earthquake shock was felt here and it was also felt at Choteau, Havre, Wagner and other points, showing that it prevailed generally over northern Montana. At Helena an earthquake shock lasting several seconds was felt. The only damage reported is that at the residence of Herman Paul, where the front retaining wall of the house was thrown down. The wall was ten feet high and two feet thick.

Canada Has Earthquake.

Winnipeg, Man., May 17.—Reports from yesterday's earthquake in western Canada continue to come in.

All Who Would Enjoy

good health, with its blessings, must understand, quite clearly, that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to living aright. Then the use of medicines may be dispensed with to advantage, but under ordinary conditions in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time and the California Fig Syrup Co. holds that it is alike important to present the subject truthfully and to supply the one perfect laxative to those desiring it.

Consequently, the Company's Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna gives general satisfaction. To get its beneficial effects buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and for sale by all leading druggists.

ONE AGREEMENT.

Mr. Henpeck—It's no use. We can't agree on a single subject.

Mrs. Henpeck—You're wrong, dear. I always agree with you on the weather.

SKIN TROUBLES CURED.

Two Little Girls Had Eczema Very Badly—In One Case Child's Hair Came Out and Left Bare Patches.

Cuticura Met with Great Success.

"I have two little girls who have been troubled very badly with eczema. One of them had it on her lower limbs. I did everything that I could hear of for her, but it did not give in until warm weather, when it seemingly subsided. The next winter when it became cold the eczema started again and also in her head where it would take the hair out and leave bare patches. At the same time her arms were sore the whole length of them. I took her to a physician, but the child grew worse all the time. Her sister's arms were also affected. I began using Cuticura Remedies, and by the time the second lot was used their skin was soft and smooth. Mrs. Charles Baker, Albion, Me., Sept. 21, '08."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

Cause for Relief.

An Alabama man tells of an unique funeral oration delivered in a town of that state not long ago by a darky preacher.

Now, it seems that the habits of the deceased brother had not been irreproachable, to the great scandal of the worthy pastor of the flock. So, in summing up the case at the funeral, the preacher delivered himself of the following:

"My brethren and sisters, we are here to pay our last sad respects to our departed brother. Some says he was a good man, and some says he was a bad man. Where he has gone to we can't tell, but in our grief we have one consolation, and that is—he's dead."

Standing Fad.

The wandering agent who was selling cigar-bands found Remus sitting on the porch mending his fishing lines.

"Do you have any fads down here in Dixie?" asked the agent.

"What am them, mister?" inquired Remus, curiously.

"Why, take the collecting fad. Do you make any collections of anything down here?"

Remus laughed.

"Oh, yeas, sah," he chuckled, "de same collections we've always made. De collection of pickaninnies en dogs, sah."

A Slight Misunderstanding.

The personally-conducted tourists were viewing the ruins of the Alhambra.

"How inspiring!" rapturously exclaimed Mrs. Windfall. "Who built that castle?"

"The Moors," explained the guide.

"The Moores?" repeated the near-cultured lady, "oh, yes (turning to her husband), some of their descendants are particular friends of ours, aren't they, George?"—Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

A Quandary.

"A necklace of diamonds has been stolen from me!" said Mrs. Cumrox. "Aren't you going to notify the police?" "I don't know what to do. It does seem rather classy to be robbed of jewelry; and yet I hate to have people think I'd ever miss a little thing like a necklace."

FEW CARESSES IN HER LIFE

Infinite Pathos In Remark Made by Little Philadelphia Child of the Slums.

Dr. Herman L. During, superintendent of the Philadelphia City mission, has for many years devoted his life to the poor. Dr. During is the inventor of the pretzel test for street beggars. When a street beggar pleads starvation, you buy him a big German pretzel at the nearest stand. If he eats the pretzel, he is honest; if he refuses it, he is a fraud.

Dr. During in his work among the poor has learned many odd, quaint things that he relates superbly, for he is a born story-teller. In an address at Bala, apropos of the hard, rough lives of the children of the poor, he related a dialogue between two little girls in Rum alley.

"Maggie, wuz ye ever kissed?' said the first tot.

"'On'y wunst in me life wot I kin remember.' said the second. 'When I wuz in de Honnyman hospital wid a broken arm one o' de lady nusses kissed me, an' I blushed like a child.'"

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, price 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Hear! Hear!

The city beautiful movement if properly pushed will help not only the individual, but the entire community, and especially the property owner and the householder. The public health is also more or less involved. Are you contributing to the movement? If not, where is your public spirit and civic pride?—Birmingham News.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

The Scrubwoman's Lunch.

"I used to let my scrubwoman get herself a little lunch," said the city flat dweller. "It's the nice thing to do, I know, and I like to do it, but I had to quit in self-defense. She took an hour to get her lunch and eat it and charged me extra for the time she put in."

The Secret Out.

"What made my lovely complexion? I do not like to tell, for it was medicine, but the nicest a woman ever took. It was Lane's Family Medicine that did it." This is a pleasant herb tea which acts favorably on the stomach and bowels, purifying the blood and cleansing the skin like magic. It cures headache and backache. Druggists and dealers sell it, 25c.

Thoughtless.

Husband—"You must marry again, dearest, when I am gone, and that will be very soon." Wife—"No, Edward. No one will marry an old woman like me. You ought to have died ten years ago for that."—Penny Pictorial.

Ask Your Druggist for Allen's Foot-Ease.

"I tried ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE recently, and have just bought another supply. It has cured my corns, and the hot, burning and itching sensation in my feet which was almost unbearable, and I would not be without it now.—Mrs. W. J. Walker, Camden, N. J." Sold by all Druggists, 25c.

Suns, Stars, Comets & Co.

"Why do they so often name newspapers after the heavenly bodies?"

"That's easy—because they shed light upon the earth."

Try Murine Eye Remedy

For Red, Weak, Weary, Watery Eyes. Compounded by Experienced Physicians. Conforms to the Pure Food and Drugs Law. Murine Doesn't Smart. Soothes Eye Pain. Try Murine for Your Eyes.

A Diplomat.

Mother—Aren't you ever going to get over fighting, Willie?

Willie—Yes'm, when I'm licked.

Free! A 10c package of Garfield Tea to anyone mailing us this notice, with name and address, and names and addresses of 10 friends not now using the Ideal Laxative. Garfield Tea Co., Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Main Thing.

Poeticus—What age do you think most charming in a woman?

Cashit—A rich heritage.

Those who keep Hamlins Wizard Oil in the house do not have to buy any other remedy for sore throat. No other remedy will cure this trouble so quickly or so surely. Remember this.

Fly time and baseball are very properly contemporaneous.

DO YOUR CLOTHES LOOK YELLOW? If so, use the new RUSS BLUE. It will make them white as snow. All grocers.

When the calf kicks, 'tis time to thrash the cow.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Go to sleep without supper, but rise without debt.

Are You Going to PAINT ?

It pays to keep your buildings well painted, and when you paint it pays to use the best you can get. We handle the best in

Paints, Oils, Varnishes, etc. etc.

Call and see us and get our prices

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We handle some of the best made. Call and see the

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KLEMME, IOWA

HELLO THERE

Where are you going? I'm going to H. Lau & Son. They handle all kinds of farm implements, Port Huron threshers also the Aultman & Taylor machinery, the 20 Century and Appleton manure spreader, McKinnon and Clinton wagons, Anchor and Velie buggies, Ohio and Kingman cultivators, stirring and gang plows, the open mould board sulky plows the lightest draft, Towers cultivators, Imperial and Challenge wind mills, hog fencing, barb wire, smooth wire gates, pumps and piping of all kinds, feed mills and the international gas engines from 1 to 40 H. P., Milwaukee mowers, binders, Dane bay loaders and buckers, nails and fence staples, wind mills and pump repairing on short notice, the sharpless cream separator the best made today, the Crack a-jack line of samples for tailor made suits.

In the Household—As Hygeno is regularly used by thousands as a household remedy, disinfectant, germicide and insecticide the greatest cleanliness is exercised in its manufacture. For sale here.

H. Lau & Son.

The City Dray Line

Will do your coal and other hauling at reasonable rates. Leave your orders at the store or ring up No. 37.

ELL BROS. Klemme, Iowa

The Goodell Concrete Mfg. Co.

of Goodell, Iowa

wishes to inform the public that they have completed their factory and installed their machinery and are making cement tile that are ranging in sizes from 5 to 15 inches made by the only tamping tile machine on earth today. We make the wire connected building block the only dry wall block, also the 4 wire reinforced Electrica Cement Post, Cement Water Tanks, Cement Chimney Blocks and a first class brick. We invite you to inspect our goods and get prices.

Yours respectfully,

Luken & Gilbert, Props.

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ALLEN C. FLINT, PUBLISHER

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Locals 5 cents per line each insertion. Display advertising 10 cents per inch. Display advertising 7c per inch without chang by the year.

Advertising accounts due on the last publication day of each month. Job work cash on delivery.

We note the fact that the name of A. M. Deyoe is being prominently mentioned for the office of state superintendent by a number of our exchanges. He is undoubtedly well fitted for the office as there are few men in the state today better posted on school matters than is Mr Deyoe It would be a pleasure for the writer to vote for A. M. Deyoe.

In the east a man lost his girl out of the buggy while he drove a mile or two before he noticed she was missing. You can bet your sweet life that such a thing would never happen in our breezy west. Here the horse may fall out of the shatts and never be missed. But the girl. —never.—Ex.

All that one has to do to maintain perfect health is to carry a buckeye and a potato in the pocket, wear a lung pad, a couple of porus plasters and a magnetic belt, go to bed at nine o'clock every night and get up at six in the morning, taking a cold bath and walking seven miles before breakfast. Abstain from the use of tobacco, tea, coffee, all manner of toxicants and rich foods of every description. By the above simple rules your life may be made one continual round of giddy health.

A Word to Scandal Mongers

Every time the closet of your neighbor is opened a little do you strain your neck to peek therein, then afterwards strain your tongue talking about it? Did you ever stop to think that some day a tragedy may take up its abode in your home? Can't you get it into your head that some day the tongue of slander may cut you like a sharp sword, and the whispers of your neighbors be as vinegar on your wounds? Misfortune and disgrace may have overtaken your neighbor but it ill becomes you to get out on the house tops and shout it to the world. You will not be called upon to pay for your neighbors' sins. You have all you can attend to, to pay your own indiscretions. Some day one near and dear to you may fail—the prison doors may open to a son or the scarlet letter of eternity blight a young and innocent daughter. When a home is in mourning over a tragedy the best thing you can do is to keep your mouth shut unless you can say something good that will come as a ray of sunshine through the dark clouds —Ren Bosley in Tama Herald.

The Law is Plain

States, counties, cities, corporations and individuals owning public buildings will have to make many changes to comply with the new state law as to doors opening outward. The law is drastic and the authorities of the state intend that it shall be complied with. It will mean changes in some public buildings in this city. The law is a good one and was enacted for the purpose of saving human life in case of fire.

"The entrance and exit doors of all hotels, churches, lodge halls, court houses, assembly halls, theaters, opera houses, colleges, and public school houses, and the entrance doors to all class and assembly rooms in all public school buildings in all cities and towns shall open outward.—Corwith Hustler.

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50 SMYRNA RUGS...

Size 30x71, at each

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100 pair worth from $2.50 to $4.00 all go at from..... ..... **$1.25 to $2.00**

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We handle only the Best Makes. Have 23 on our floor now, ranging in price from **$14.00** up

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All work done promptly and guaranteed to give satisfaction. Give me a call.

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MILLINERY GOODS

To appreciate this fact, you must see our line of Pattern Hats and Trimmed Hats. Nice line of headwear for the Children. We have the best assortment ever shown in Klemme or the surrounding towns. Don't buy until you have seen our display.

A first class trimmer who will be sure to please you.

A fine line of Corsets. Also Hair Rolls, Ladies' Waists, Collars, etc.

MRS. J. JOSTEN.

MME MARKET.

.....	60 to 63c
.....	48 to 50c
.....	80 to 100
.....	55 to60 c
.....	4 00 to 6.00
.....	6.50 to 6.85
.....	3.00 to 6.00

AL NEWS

new ad of State Sav-

llock drove down from nday.

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ller has re painted etzmacher's barn.

the Wisconsin bee dled by N. L. Palmer

Gibbs left Monday on visit to Mason City.

plement men report a trade on corn plant- ring.

s, shipped a carload of icago Monday, where e placed in storage.

ol. Try our cool sum- s ice cream and Sun place is Kluckhohn's.

prices on Wheeler & d Singer Sewing Ma- Frank Gruetzmacher's.

owledge a very pleas- om our good subscrib- Arvidson, last Satur-

es A. Young, of Gar- haking hands with nu- le me friends Thurs-

eo. Bartholomew and Mrs Sibyl Gross, of isited here last Thurs-

all—Parties wanting ured, see me at once. easonable. Fred C. 42tf

ues this week printed of stationery for the Hotel which will be xt Monday.

Frei returned home rom Ft. Dodge where en for a few days' visit me of his daughter.

l game advertised for day between the high ams of Klemme and to be postponed on ac- he wet weather.

S. Bailey and little came down from Britt y evening and visited nday at the home of ey's sister, Mrs. A. C.

rmers who are fortunate have hogs to sell this e wearing a broad smile on't blame them a bit A number of hogs were e Klemme market last and they brought the of $6.75 per hund ed. think of buying a rug y you to look over my ich consists of Wilton Axminsters, Saxony rs, Colonial Velvets sels made in sizes 6 x 9, x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. r rugs G. F. Schuler.

a spell of showe y last week wound up oaking rain on Friday rday. The rain fell in d large chunks and the running to their full for several days The tarded corn planting as just nicely started.

Ell Bros. buy wool. 42-2

Ice cream every day at Kluckhohn's.

Turn out to the ball game Friday afternoon.

W. R. Bloom shipped a car of hogs Wednesday.

The State Savings Bank has a new ad on 1st page.

For bee keepers supplies call on N. L. Palmer. 41-3

Joe Miller has a card in the Times this week. Read it.

Read W. Hemeyer's ad. He is offering some good bargains this week.

Wm. Smith, of Buffalo Center, visited over Sunday with his Klemme friends

FOR SALE—Choice Rhode Island eggs. Mrs J P. Larsen, Klemme, Iowa. 41-2

Wm. Sampson, one of our prosperous farmers, was a caller at the Times sanctum last Friday.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Mrs. Hosmer left Monday for her home at O'af, Iowa, after visiting here with relatives. She was accompanied by Mrs. Nissen, who will visit there a short time.

C. C Schaefer brought in one load of hogs last Friday which he sold to H. C. Lau, who paid him $127.30 for the same. We wouldn't mind selling a few loads ourselves at that rate. In fact if some one will furnish the hogs we'll keep hauling all summer.

Always be ready to say a good word for your home town. Don't be a knocker. We don't believe there is a better business town of its size in the state of Iowa than we have right here at Klemme, and you can make it a better town by just boosting a little whenever an opportunity presents itself.

Tom Elder informs the Times that the Klemme Hotel will be opened to the public next Monday, May 24th. Mr. Elder has invested a goodly sum in repairing and thoroughly renovating the building and has also newly furnished the whole house, so that he will now be able to conduct the business in a satisfactory manner to the traveling public. The Times wishes him unbounded success.

While Klemme today probably has as many miles of cement sidewalks as any town of its size in the state, preparations are being made to build many more walks this summer. Beginning at the Schroeder residence on main street, a new walk will be laid west at least as far as Kluckhohn's restaurant property, taking in the lots of the hotel and the drug store. The town will put in three cement crossings, one from the hotel to the drug store corner, one from the State Savings Bank corner across the street north, and one from the store of the Terhufen Bros east to Ell Bros. store. We understand Mrs. Shafer will put in cement walks in front of her store buildings and Frank Gruetzmacher will put a twelve foot walk in front of his harness shop building. We are also informed that a new walk will be laid on the east line of the lots east of the First National Bank There will probably be much more of this work done here this summer. Let the good work go on.

Read our correspondence this week.

Mrs. S. L. Sage was a Garner visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas Stiehl was a Garner visitor Monday.

Miss Norma Post was a Garner passenger Tuesday.

Get our price before you sell your wool. Ell Bros. 42-2

H. C. Lau shipped a car of hogs last Sunday morning.

Try those fine ice cream sodas and Sundaes at Kluckhohn's

It was a pretty fair brand of weather the first of the week.

F. A Arnold and Frank Gruetzmacher drove to Goodell Tuesday.

Mrs John Gruetzmacher and Grandma Gruetzmacher visited at Garner Tuesday.

Dr Missman and F. J. Wenck were business visitors at the county hub Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Josten are the parents of a new baby boy, born on Sunday, May 16th.

Special cut prices on Millinery on Friday and Saturday, May 21 and 22 and May 28 and 29. Mrs. John Joster. 42-2

C. C Suckow is painting Aug. Lau's house this week. August has a fine residence property and is fixing it up in the best approved style.

The railroad track towards the river seemed to be the popular walking place Sunday afternoon. The river was away up out of its banks.

A fine new gas-line lighting plant has been installed in the Klemme Hotel Mr. Elder is determined to have his house strictly up-to-date.

Mrs. J. W. Waterman and daughter Mabel and Mrs. G. W. Waterman and children left last Thursday for a visit with relatives and old friends at Lazerne, Benton county, Iowa.

Shoes for everybody. A perfect fit for any feet—large or small. My line comprises all the latest styles and colors in shoes and oxfords for men, women and children. Frank Gruetzmacher. 42-2

The Ladies Aid Society and the ladies of the English M. E. church will give a bazar and supper at the opera house Saturday, May 29th. Supper will be served from 4:30 p. m. until all are served. There will be many fancy and useful articles for sale. Come everybody.

The Davs high school ball team will be here tomorrow afternoon to try to show our boys how to play the national game. Turn out and help the boys win and also help them meet the expense necessary in getting the game. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Iowa's Own Magazine

It is the success and sensation of the year. The Golden West Magazine, edited by the famous Sam W. Small, evangelist and lecturer, published at Waterloo, Iowa, has been received by press, public men and the people in all parts of the Union with the highest praise. It is first class beautifully illustrated and contains splendid, uplifting reading for the live men and clean families of the State. Iowans should be proud to sustain this magazine.

A sample copy costs only 10 cents and a 3 months trial subscription, a quarter-dollar.

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Buyer and Shipper of
Grain and Live Stock
Best Grades of Hard and Soft Coal. Will be prepared to furnish my patrons with the celebrated Petroleum COKE about July 1st. Leave your orders while you can get the coke.
Stock wanted 6 days in the week

Pictures
See me when you want a
Photograph
All kinds—inside or outdoor views. I make a specialty of photo postal cards, 75 cents a dozen. Good work at reasonable prices.
JOE MILLER, KLEMME IOWA

Tell us the news.

W. R. Bloom was at Dows on business yesterday.

Rain again this morning, and it looks like it might be good for all day.

We are glad to be able to state that John Bachman is able to be up and around again.

For the benefit of any of our readers who might wish to travel on the west-bound morning passenger from Garner, we note that the time of this train has been changed from 7:02 a. m. to 6:32 a. m.

We have a nice bunch of news from Avery Center, Twin Lake and Ell Center this week We hope our correspondents will be able to write some news each week. Call and get stationery and stamped envelopes.

Farmers should have printed stationery the same as any other business man. Give the farm a name and have it printed on the letter heads and envelopes. It costs only a very little more than you pay for the blank paper Ask us about it.

German M. E. Church Items

Aug. Wenz made a trip to Britt last week.

Corn planting is the order of the day among the farmers.

Amanda Arnold was a Garner caller Monday between trains.

The quarterly meeting last Sunday was well attended at all three services

Rev Koerner of Reinbeck arrived Monday and is spending a few days with his children.

The English service in the Germantown church is necessarily postponed one week and will be held May 30th.

On account of the inclement weather last week the "Standard Bearers" postponed their meeting for Wednesday evening of this week.

The Germantown Epworth League will give an anniversary program Sunday evening, for which they have been preparing for some time.

Mrs. Hosmer was an over-Sunday visitor with her many relatives in town. She returned Monday evening accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Nissen.

Father and mother Suck w spent the forepart of the week in Klemme with their son Charley and family. They also called on a number of old time friends and neighbors.

The executive board of the campmeeting association met Monday and decided to hold the same June 17 to 21. A number of places have already reported a good delegation If the weather continues pleasant our farmers will be well along with their work so they can attend.

DR. W. F. MISSMAN, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon,
Klemme, Iowa.
Office in the Shafer building.
Prompt attention given to night calls.

F. C. GRIEWE
City Meat Market
Dealer in
All kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats, Canned goods and oysters in season. Highest cash price paid for hides. Home rendered pure lard a specialty.
We solicit your patronage.

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—We have a complete line of—
Home Made Bakery Goods, Candies, Cigars, Tobaccos, Soft Drinks, Fruits and Canned Goods.
Try our Van Camp's Sterilized Evaporated Milk.
Lunches and Meats at all Hours
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The Tonsorial Artist
Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.
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This year you can make the trip you have had in mind for so long—a trip to the Pacific Coast. Go now, while rates are low and routes arranged so you can see the most at lowest cost, including the great exposition at
SEATTLE, WASH.
June 1 to October 16, 1909
It covers an area of 250 acres, located on two beautiful lakes, overlooked by snow-capped mountains, and will interestingly exhibit the wonderful development and possibilities of Alaska and the countries of the Pacific. Very low fares daily during the summer. Let me tell you how comfortably and conveniently the trip is made
Thro' Scenic Colorado
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Rock Island Lines,
Klemme, Iowa

NEW LIFE AND STRENGTH

Obtained Through Proper Action of the Kidneys.

Mrs. Josiah Straw, 526 N. Broadway, Canton, So. Dak., says: "I suffered for some time with rheumatic pains in my limbs and was weak and languid. The irregularity of the kidney secretions also caused much annoyance. After using Doan's Kidney Pills I did not have these troubles. They seemed to put new life and strength into my system and helped me in every way. My husband had an experience almost the same, and it is with pleasure that we both recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

WHERE PAT DREW THE LINE.

Patient and Long Suffering, But No Man with a Face Like That Could Work with Him.

Pat had been at work for three days digging a well, and as the foreman wanted it finished within the week he had promised Pat another man to help him. It was getting on for 11 o'clock, and Towser, the foreman's bulldog, was looking over the edge of the pit, when Pat said to himself, "Smoke-o."

He had just filled his pipe, and was about to light it when he glanced up and beheld Towser's handsome features.

Slowly removing the pipe from his mouth, he said: "Be-e-egorra, Oi've wor-rked wid Germans and Hengar-rrians, and Oi've wor-rked wid Oitalians and naygers, but if a man wid a face like that comes down here to work besoide me, I gets up."

ANOTHER TERROR.

Frightened Pup—Gee! I always heard that women were going into everything; but I never knew there were lady dog catchers;

Counsel Sought from Christian Men.

An evidence of the part which our missionary colleges are to play in the reconstruction of Turkey is found in the appointment of two professors in Euphrates college on a committee to consider educational measures for one of the large interior provinces. One, Prof. N. Tenekijian, several years ago served a term of six months in prison, being falsely accused of disloyalty, and Prof. Nahigian studied for a time under President Angell at Ann Arbor. Both are scholarly and earnest Christian men. The same governor has also asked Dr. H. N. Barnum, the veteran missionary of the American board in eastern Turkey, to suggest what in his judgment will promote popular education and social reform.

LIGHT BOOZE

Do You Drink It?

A minister's wife had quite a tussle with coffee and her experience is interesting. She says:

"During the two years of my training as a nurse, while on night duty, I became addicted to coffee drinking. Between midnight and four in the morning, when the patients were asleep, there was little to do except make the rounds, and it was quite natural that I should want a good, hot cup of coffee about that time. It stimulated me and I could keep awake better.

"After three or four years of coffee drinking I became a nervous wreck and thought that I simply could not live without my coffee. All this time I was subject to frequent bilious attacks, sometimes so severe as to keep me in bed for several days.

"After being married, Husband begged me to leave off coffee for he feared that it had already hurt me almost beyond repair, so I resolved to make an effort to release myself from the hurtful habit.

"I began taking Postum, and for a few days felt the languid, tired feeling from the lack of the stimulant, but I liked the taste of Postum and that answered for the breakfast beverage all right.

"Finally I began to feel clearer headed and had steadier nerves. After a year's use of Postum I now feel like a new woman—have not had any bilious attacks since I left off coffee."

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DAMAGE BY FLOOD

Farmers Suffer Heavy Losses to Stock.

BIG BRIDGE SWEPT AWAY

Downpour Assumes Proportions of a Cloudburst and Lowlands Are Suddenly Submerged.

Marshalltown, Iowa, May 17.—The most severe flood in the history of central Iowa since 1896 resulted Saturday when a downpour assumed the proportions of a cloudburst. Thousands of dollars damage will result to farmers who had oats and corn in, especially in the vicinity of Quarry, where the damage was the heaviest.

Much stock will be found drowned when the water subsides and in the fields now are horses and cattle struggling in the water trying to find a place to land.

The Chicago & Northwestern railroad was completely at a standstill all day, no trains coming in until yesterday. At Quarry the big stone arch bridge was washed out and 100 feet of track was suspended in midair. Immense stones of the bridge weighing a ton were carried down Davidson creek 300 feet.

Four hundred men are at work building a temporary bridge and a track around the washout. West of here near Lamoille the Northwestern has another washout with one track useless.

The Northwestern is detouring via Tama and Jewell Junction. The Great Western is tied up by two smaller washouts at Luray and Mingo.

In the south part of town, which is drained by Linn creek, the police last night had to rescue people from their homes by swimming horses. Dewey lake at the soldiers' home was completely destroyed.

Big Fund in Collection.

Marshalltown.—The beginning day of the third week of the Sunday revival campaign established a new record for giving in the fourteen years' experience of "Billy" Sunday in the evangelistic field. Sunday morning Sunday's audience gave over $3,000, which the evangelist says eclipses any record for a single audience in his experience. In twenty-four hours, ending Sunday night, the collections at the tabernacle amounted to $3,565.29. A total of 18,500 people attended the seven meetings on the Sabbath day, making a grand total attendance of 59,500 on the two weeks of the campaign. Practically every cent needed to pay the running expenses of the campaign is now subscribed, represented in the total of $4,820.78. Collections now will be taken only on Sundays.

Seven M. E. Conferences.

Des Moines.—Seven conferences of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held in Iowa next September. The names of the conferences, the places and dates of meetings and the bishops who will preside are given below:

Iowa—At Winfield, Ia., Sept 8, 1909, Bishop Spellmeyer.

Des Moines—At Ames, Ia., Sept. 15, 1909, Bishop Berry.

Northwest Iowa—At Estherville, Ia., Sept. 1909, Bishop Berry.

Upper Iowa—At Mason City, Ia., Sept. 29, 1909, Bishop Berry.

Northwest German—At Klemme, Ia., Sept. 2, 1909, Bishop Nuelsen.

Western Swedish—At Stratford, Ia., Sept. 8, 1909, Bishop Nuelsen.

St. Louis German—At Burlington, Ia., Sept. 15, 1909. Bishop Spellmeyer.

Slander Suit Filed.

Davenport.—The McClaire slander suit in which Mrs. Minnie McCraney asks $25,000 damages from Mrs. Lizzie Smith was filed in court by Attorney J. A. Hanley. In the petition the plaintiff claims that Mrs. Smith stated that Mrs. McCraney had done some shoplifting in Davenport and it is also alleged that Mrs. Smith stated that the plaintiff had confessed to being a kleptomaniac.

Building Boom at Murray.

Murray.—Murray is experiencing a building boom this spring. F. S. Smith the lumberman, has just completed a fine two story residence; Banker N. C. Hoffman is building a fine cottage. Frank Johnson and Frank Friday are both going to build $5,000 residences. A number of farmers near Murray are also contemplating fine residences this fall.

To Vote Bonds for Water Works.

Leon.—The city council has decided to call an election to occur on June 10 to give the people of this city the opportunity to vote on the question of issuing bonds in the sum of $35,000, for the purpose of installing a water works system in this city

MARSHALLTOWN IS GLAD

Iowa Central Company Will Spend Three and a Half Million Dollars on Improvements.

Marshalltown, Ia., May 14.—New machinery and tools, to the amount of $38,000, and an addition to the Iowa Central machine shops, where most of the machinery is to be installed, have just been announced by Master Mechanic Gossett. The machinery has been ordered for a hurried delivery, and some of it is to be installed within ten days, and the rest within thirty. The addition to the machine shops will be 22x160, extending the full length of the present shops.

Included in the machinery for the shops, are two new 150 horsepower boilers and a 150 horse power Corliss engine. Most of the machinery is for the machine shops, but some will be added to the car and blacksmith shops.

The Iowa Central is expending an enormous sum for improvements, aggregating $3,500,000. This sum includes new motive power and rolling stock, the new machinery for the shops, the Keithsburg, Ill., bridge, and roadway improvements. Twelve new Baldwin locomotives will be here June 20, and 250 gondolas of 80,000 capacity are expected by July 1. Fifteen days later the company will receive fifty new drop bottom coal cars of fifty tons capacity.

Two gravel trains will be placed on the road next week, together with two steam shovels. The gravel trains will operate between the Gifford pit and the eastern and Illinois divisions.

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Afton Boy May Lose Eyes.

Creston.—The 12-year-old son of Henry Taylor, living at Afton, met with an accident at school this week that came near costing him the loss of both eyes. With a playmate he found a cartridge, and after taking out the shot, they were going to have "some fun" with the powder. An explosion resulted that severely burned the boy's face and hands, and for a time threatened his sight, but physicians now think his eyes may be saved.

Miners Walk Out.

Des Moines.—Angered because the Gibson Coal company refused to discharge James McAuley, pit boss, ninety miners in the Gibson mine at Clive walked out. It was stated at the Gibson office at noon that the mines are running and that a full quota of men will be at work by the middle of the week. "It is purely a question of whether the Gibson company will run its mines or whether the miners will run it," said Mr. Gibson. "McAuley is a good man and we will keep him. If the miners have a grievance against him they have a committee to submit their troubles to. But they didn't do it. They asked to have McAuley fired and we refused." It is claimed by the miners that McAuley is abusive and that it is impossible to work for him.

On Trial For Fraud.

Kansas City, Mo., May 13.—When the trial of the Horn brothers, Raymond P. May and S. H. Snider, charged with using the mails to defraud in promoting the "Two Queens" group of mines in Arizona was resumed in the federal court here today, John J. McKelvey of Pawtucket, R. I., told of investing in the company's stock. Advertising matter which he said had been sent him by the promoters and which promised big returns, was read to the jury.

Gay Time for Funeral Men.

Fort Dodge.—Programs are printed for the annual convention of the Iowa State Funeral Directors' association, to be held here beginning May 25. The opening night will be different from the ordinary convention in that instead of the usual tedious banquet, a theater party will be formed to attend the performance at a vaudeville house, and a dance will be given at the armory, following this performance.

Fined for Running Sunday Show.

Iowa City.—Harry F. Pocock, manager of the Bijou theather, was arrested and fined $5 for operating on Sunday. His hearing was before Mayor Otto. Pocock pleaded guilty. It is expected that subsequent violations of the law will be punished more severely.

Society Wedding in Creston.

Creston.—The wedding of Miss Edith Holiday of this city and Harry M. Dinges of Atlantic, was held at the home of the bride's parents in this city.

Hypocrisy.

Dr. Cook—Briggs, what is a hypocrite?

Briggs, '12—A hypocrite is a stude who comes to freshman English class with a smile on his face.—Wisconsin Sphinx.

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RAPS AMERICAN TARDINESS

Declares United States Subjects Had to Depend on British Consul for Aid—Forty-five Mutiny Leaders Arrested at Salonika.

Boston.—That the recent massacre at Adana, Asiatic Turkey, was deliberately planned by the Turkish government under Abdul Hamid, is the belief expressed in a letter to the American Board of Foreign Missions from Rev. Stephen Van R. Trowbridge, one of the missionaries in the district where many were killed.

The letter from Trowbridge, dated April 23 and sent by way of Constantinople, has just reached the American board, and it gives some particulars of the recent massacres not hitherto made known in this country.

Briefly describing the funeral of American Missionaries Maurer and Rogers, who were killed during the disorders, Mr. Trowbridge writes:

"The burial took place on Friday evening, the 16th of April. With the city in terrible disorder and scores of conflagrations raging, it was impossible to take the bodies out to the cemetery. The graves were dug side by side at the edge of the girl's school yard and services were conducted by Mr. Macallum and Mr. Trowbridge.

Mr. Trowbridge criticises the American government in the following paragraph of his letter:

"All regret the tardiness of the American government in meeting the crisis. A week and three days have passed and yet not a word from the embassy. Were it not for the untiring efforts of the British consul, Maj. Doughty-Wylie, whose right arm is broken from a bullet, we could neither send letters nor telegrams."

Erzeroum, Asiatic Turkey.—Forty-five leaders of the mutiny here have been arrested on orders issued by Field Harshal Ibraham Pasha, commander of the Fourth army corps.

There is great uneasiness among the population of this city on account of the threatening attitude of the garrison, which has refused to accept 52 officers belonging to the Young Turk party. Djelal Pasha has gone to Constantinople to report on the situation.

Alexandretta, Asiatic Turkey.—The United States revenue cutter Tahoma arrived at this port Thursday for the protection of American interests. The Tahoma is the first American ship to appear in Turkish waters since the beginning of the massacres and disorders in Asiatic Turkey.

Cologne.—The Koelnische Zeitung published a dispatch from Saloniki saying that the Young Turk officers at Erzeroun, Asiatic Turkey, have sent a telegram to the local officers of the committee of union and progress declaring that their soldiers are refusing obedience and demanding the restoration of the Sheriat, and at the same time threatening a general massacre.

The message begs Schefket Pasha to send representatives to quiet the troops and the people, and concludes with the statement that the Young Turk officers do not dare to show themselves abroad.

Marash, Asiatic Turkey.—Distressing accounts continue to be received here from the country side of Armenian villages assailed by bands of Mohammedans, who, acting on the supposition that the Armenians were rising against the government, were quick to strike the first blow. The men were killed whenever found within reach of knife or bullet. The girls were often maltreated, and some of them were carried off to become the wives or slaves of rich men.

Houses were sacked and then burned, farm animals were driven off, and small parties of horsemen rode through the country "cleaning up the Armenians." The entire population of Bechkeny, 2,000 souls, moved to the Zeitoon region for safety.

Children See Three Drown.

Pittsburg, Pa.—To save five cents bridge toll, five foreigners, who had been out of work for many months, attempted to cross the Monongahela river at McKeesport, a suburb, in a small boat, which sank as they got into midstream, drowning three of men. Five hundred school-children enjoying their first day's diversion in a new playground, saw them drown.

Ten bodies had been recovered when the search was abandoned at dark Wednesday night for the victims of Tuesday night's ferryboat accident.

New Minister from Spain.

Madrid. — It is announced that Marquis de Villalobar, first secretary of the Spanish embassy at London, will succeed Don Ramon Pina, the Spanish minister at Washington. Senor Pina goes to the foreign office as under secretary of state in place of the Marquis de Herrera, who has been appointed ambassador at Vienna.

FIVE DIE; 55 HURT IN STORMS

TORNADOES HIT KANSAS, MISSOURI AND OKLAHOMA.

Complete Reports May Increase Number of Dead—Train Plunges Into River.

Kansas City, Mo. — A series of tornadoes in Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma Friday evening killed at least five, injured 55, devastated one town, wrecked a train and did great damage to property.

Twenty-five were injured by a storm that swept over Mount Washington and Fairmount Park, suburbs of Kansas City. At least two of these are thought to be fatally injured and others seriously.

The town of Hollis, Kan., near Concordia, was swept away. Here three were killed and ten seriously injured.

The dead are Fred Jeardoe, John Cyre and George Eckert.

The Eckstrom family, consisting of five persons, is mising. Their house is laid in ruins and it is thought they are dead.

Near Great Bend a tornado killed two and injured 20. All wires are down in that vicinity and it is feared that the death list may be greater.

William Ackerly, a Santa Fe engineer, was killed while working with a bridge gang between Great Bend and Kinsley. Frank Nicholson, a conductor, was also killed. The tornado wrecked the work train of which Ackerly was engineer and blew it into a ditch.

The storm spread over a wide area, however, laid waste many farm houses and injured many whose names could not be obtained. On account of a great portion of the damage done on farms its full extent could not be learned. Many conflicting reports have been received. One had ten killed.

At Hoisington, Kan., a tornado injured and greatly damaged farm property. It was not so severe, however, as that passing over other portions of the state.

Wabash passenger train No. 9 ran through a bridge that had been weakened by a flood into Bull creek, near Randolph. The engine, baggage and mail cars fell into the water. A telephone message from Randolph said several trainmen were missing but that no bodies had been found.

TWENTY BLOWN TO ATOMS

Half Ton of Dynamite Explodes in New York State with Fatal Results.

Albany, N. Y.—The explosion of half a ton of dynamite in the stone quarry of the Callanan Road Improvement Company at South Bethlehem, near Albany, Wednesday, blew to atoms the bodies of 20 workmen.

One thousand pounds of dynamite exploded, and the bodies of the victims were hurled hundreds of feet by the concussion and so badly mutilated as to be almost beyond recognition. As darkness was falling a wagon drew up to the engine house loaded with bodies that had been picked up back on the quarry hill. A crowd of grief-stricken relatives gathered around eager to identify the dead, only to turn away at the sickening sight.

Italians with shovels found here and there portions of bodies and brought their gruesome loads in boxes to the engine house which served as a temporary morgue.

JURY FINDS HAINS GUILTY.

Army Officer Convicted of Slaying Annis—Verdict Is for First Degree Manslaughter.

Flushing, L. I.—Capt. Peter C. Hains, U. S. A., charged with the murder of William E. Annis at the Bayside Yacht club on the afternoon of August 15, 1908, was found guilty of manslaughter in the first degree by the jury in the case Tuesday.

The jury had been out two hours and 45 minutes, when the members filed back into the courtroom, crowded with spectators, and rendered the verdict, which was received by some in the nature of a surprise.

Immediately after the jury rendered its findings the captain was remanded to the custody of the sheriff until Monday, when he is to be sentenced by the court.

ARREST IOWA TEACHERS.

Des Moines School Ma'ams Held to Answer Charge of Cruelty to a Boy.

Des Moines, Ia.—Miss Maud Ewing and Miss Ida May Tilden, teachers in the Longfellow school here, were arrested Thursday, charged with having beaten nine-year-old David Kaplain until he was black and blue.

At a trial before Police Judge Stewart behind closed doors the teachers pleaded not guilty.

The teachers accused the little boy of stealing a five-dollar bill from Miss Tilden. When he denied the charge, he says they laid him over a chair and beat him with switches and pinched his cheeks and body.

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NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

Mitchell Bros. have purchased the yard of the Atlas Lumber Co. at Corwith.

John Christopherson has resigned his position as manager of the Reliance Elevator Co. at Garner.

Miss Gertrude Parker, of Klemme, spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Thos. Cashman.—Goodell Globe.

M. C. Dunlap of Corwith has assumed engineering charge of a mutual drainage ditch near Kanawha, to cost in the neighborhood of $2300.

Prof. Neveln who has been superintendent of the Belmond schools for some time past, has been elected to a like position in the schools at Storm Lake at a substantial advance in salary.

Mrs. A. W. Lee, who has been at the Mayo hospital for the past two weeks, has had two operations on her face and expected to have another one today. She is doing nicely and has been relieved of much of her pain in the face. Mr. Lee went to Rochester the first of the week to remain a few days.—Britt News.

Married at the home of Geo. McKee in this city Thursday afternoon, May 6th, Rev. Keck officiating, Mr. Charles McKee and Mrs. Ada Haner an estimable lady of Lexington, McClain, Co., Ill., coming here to meet her husband. The happy couple retired at once to the Walsh farm in Ell township where Mr. McKee is engaged in farming. We extend our best wishes to the happy pair.—Democrat.

Arthur Waldow, son of August Waldow, living about a mile north of Miller committed suicide last Tuesday by taking strychnine. From all reports the young man was despondent over the fact that some young lady had jilted him, taking it so much to heart it turned his head temporarily, and in the moment of despondency he procured the deadly drug with which he committed the rash act. He was twenty three years of age and was highly respected in the community where he lived, was an honest industrious young man and his sudden death from his own hand has cast a deep gloom over the entire community.—Forest City Summit.

The sensation of the week was the shooting of Mrs. Gilligan and her hired girl, Miss Laura Stilson, by Patrick Gilligan. There has been family trouble and a division of property. On Monday Mrs. Gilligan and the girl were in the rooms occupied formerly by the family as a residence, over the old Mudgett market. The first thing known of the trouble was a series of shots and a few blood-curdling yells, and the next down the back stairs came a couple of females three steps at a jump. Dr. Cole extracted a 22 caliber bullet from Mrs. Gilligan's wrist and another from Miss Stilson's leg. An information was sworn out by Mrs. Gilligan and Pat appeared, waived examination and put up a $2,000 bond to appear at the District Court in September. Pat says it was his room, he ordered them out, and when they refused to go he started them. This is probably true as they were coming about that time, and everybody agrees that they came.—Britt Tribune.

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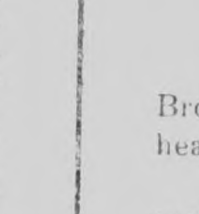

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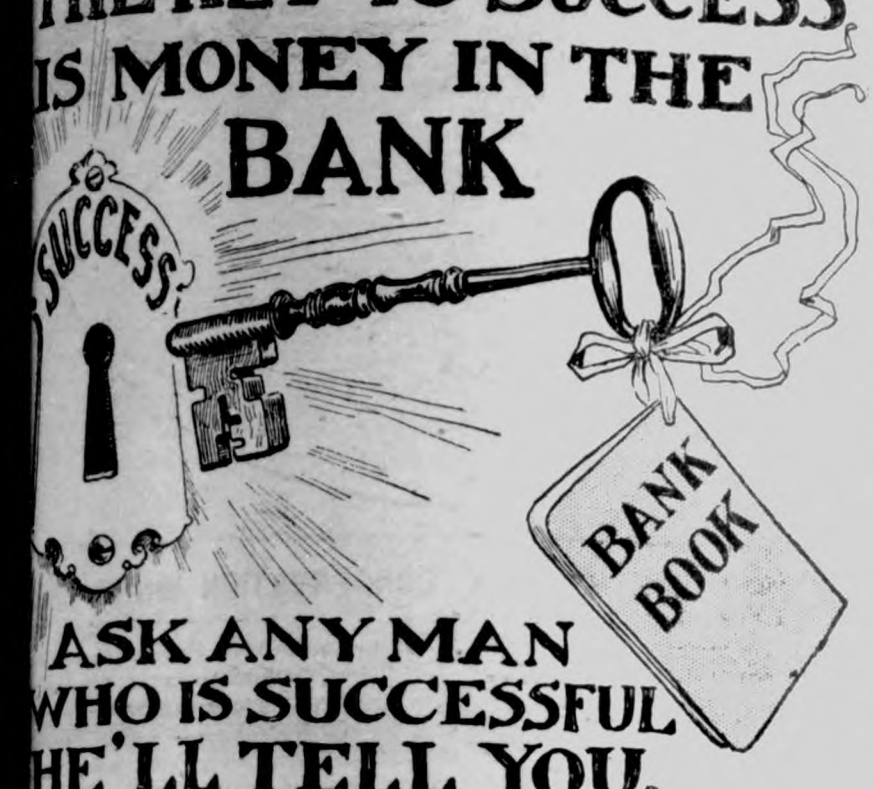

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ASSETS

Amount of Bills, Bonds and other evidences of debt discounted or purchased actually owned by the Bank (carried out)		$107,914 77
Amount of cash on hand described as follows:		
Gold coin,	485 00	
Silver coin and bullion	293 19	
Legal tender and national bank notes and subsidary coin	2691 00	
Drafts and checks on other solvent banks and other cash items not dishonored on hand and belonging to the bank	953 44	3,644 44
		$4,422 63
Amount subject to be drawn at sight on deposit with solvent banks or bankers (specifying names and locations of the banks):		
Continental Nat'l Bk. Chicago, Ill.	967 85	
Merchants Nat'l Bk. Cedar Rapids, Iowa	1,973 54	
Drovers Deposit National B Chicago, Ill	1,161 75	
Farmers Nat'l Bk. Garner, Iowa	3,814 55	
Century Savings Bk. Des Moines, Iowa	1,724 07	9,641 76
Overdrafts secured	2,125 08	
Expense account		2 125 08
Value of real property (owned by the Bank)	9,949 34	
Value of personal property [owned by the bank]	1,784 92	11,734 26
Total Assets		135,838 50

LIABILITIES

Amount of capial stock actually paid up in cash		15,000 00
Total amount due depositors, as follows:		
Amount sight deposits	23,548.50	
Amount deman deposits	7,215.00	
Amount time deposits	76,905.24	107,668.74
Indebtedness of every kind, due banks, bankers, or persons other than regular depositors:		
Bills payable	2,500 00	2,500 00
Surplus fund	10,500 00	
Other profits on hand (after deducting taxes and expenses)	169 76	10,669 76
Total Liabilities		135,838.50
Amount of all liabilities to the Bank on par of its directors:		
As borrowers	8,898 55	
As endorsers	3,632 82	12,531.37

STATE OF IOWA } ss.
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We, W. R. Bloom, President and P. M. Griesemer, Cashier, of the Bank above named, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is full, true and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief, that the assets therein set forth are bona fide the propery of said Bank in its corporate capacity and that no part of the same has been loaned or advanced to said Bank for the purpose of being exhibited as a portion of its assets.

W. R. BLOOM, President.
P. M. GRIESEMER, Cashier.

SEAL — Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence by W. R. Bloom and P. M. Griesemer, this 25th day of May, A. D. 1909.

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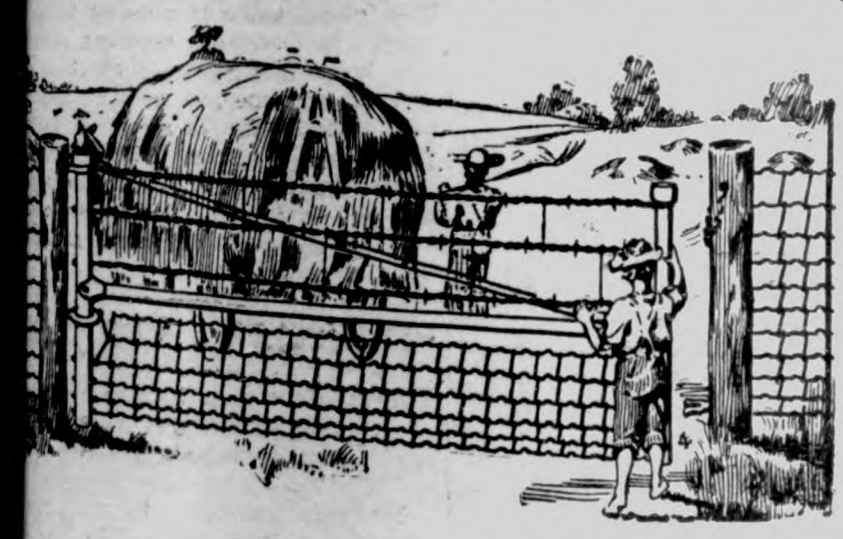

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KLENNOSE - - - IOWA

Open season for fish tales.

Bloodless revolutions are in the same class with painless dentistry.

Some American boys would not care to be president if they could be champion pitchers.

Spells of nasty weather are now called by the weather bureau "energetic disturbances."

Between dining on boot heels and pony meat polar explorations are not attractive to the club man.

The reserve forest lands saved from the ax and, let us hope, from fire equal in area the state of Texas.

Colorado has some shrewd holdup men. In a recent robbery they did not overlook the Pullman car porter.

Other Washington papers are so bright that it is a wonder the Congressional Record doesn't speed up a little.

When it is all over but the shouting there are those in the audience who do not appreciate that form of noise.

Cheer up! The national deficit up to yet is only $89,429,501. And why worry when we can always borrow money?

In a few more generations the French will have convinced themselves that the Wright brothers were born in France.

When the authorities keep their hands off, gambling is no more a matter of chance than is running the Philadelphia mint.

It's all right to decoy flying machines, but one thing in their favor is that one doesn't have to lie on one's back to repair them.

Threatening letters may be jokes, but it is a sort of humor which should be discouraged effectually whenever the jokers are caught.

The census bureau reports "a shortage of about 25,000 children." Last summer's drought or the renascense of the kidnaping industry?

France will charge German aeronauts $100 each for landing on French soil. Some will save the money if they only land hard enough.

A Gotham magistrate has decided that it is no crime to tickle another, which illustrates what grave questions of law modern life is continually bringing up for adjudication.

The Russian Black sea fleet has sailed under sealed orders. Wouldn't it make the commander mad if he opened the envelope and found that he was bound for Japan!

University advisory boards are becoming the fashion nowadays, but as a rule the trustees and faculties of such institutions do not expect these boards to give too much advice.

A velocity of 100 miles an hour was attained by the wind in Cleveland the other day, but the people of Cleveland will go right on believing Chicago to be the windiest city in the world.

Make a memorandum in your note book that Boston will celebrate in 1920, with a world's fair, the three hundredth anniversary of the Pilgrim Fathers, and do not fail to attend it.

One of the scientists announces that overeating as well as excessive drinking will produce a red, bulbous nose. But that doesn't help much. It is about as foolish to overeat as to drink to excess.

New York is to have a 31-story hotel. The builders probably cling to the theory that it will not hurt any more, in case of fire, to jump from the thirty-first story than it would to leap from the seventeenth floor.

Children are so unpopular with landlords that an Illinois legislator has introduced a bill which provides that it shall be unlawful and to be against public policy for any landlord to discriminate against families where there are children under 14 years old. It is also declared to be equally reprehensible for any landlord to insert a clause forfeiting a lease in case a baby is born to the tenant family or a child is adopted. It is a safe bet that this man is a father and is not a landlord.

New Bedford is again restored to the map by the report of the master of a whaling ship that was fitted out in that port and has returned with a record. The ship has brought back to New Bedford more than 2,000 barrels of whale oil of a value of more than $40,000. This means probably that Capt. Hagerty's crew captured 40 or 50 "leviathans of the deep," which is pretty good business when one considers that the whale oil fishing has been regarded as largely a thing of the past.

SOON FACE TRIAL

Ottumwa's Slayer Will Be Tried This Week

RAPID PROGRESS IS EXPECTED

Prosecutor Connell Will Make a Determined Effort to Secure Infliction of the Death Penalty.

Ottumwa, Iowa, May 24.—In the court room of Appanoose county in Centerville Tuesday will begin the trial of John Junken for the murder of Miss Clara Rosen upon the night of Feb. 5 near the corner of Gara and Dare streets in Ottumwa, where, according to the negro's sworn confession, he struck the defenseless girl viciously with a huge rock and later carried her body to an excavation some eight feet above, where it was partially hid under some brush and branches of trees. The murderer robbed the body of a diamond ring, $11.75 in money, gold beads and other trinkets.

The attorneys in the case, one side bent upon presenting the evidence in such a manner that the jury will return a verdict of death by hanging—the other equally as determined to save their client from such a fate, will, with the aid of witnesses, go over the details of the brutal murder and ask the court to mete out justice.

Relatives of the dead girl, her aged father for one, will be placed upon the stand. The mother of the negro, Amy Junken, will also testify, and throughout the proceeding a war of law will be fought by County Attorney Seneca Cornell and his assistant, E. R. Mitchell, against Judge J. C. Mitchell and his two associates, F. M. Hunter and John R. Price.

Judge M. A. Roberts of Ottumwa, who is the presiding judge at the term now in progress in Appanoose county, will hear the case. The jury is expected to be secured during the morning of the second day, May 26, and the opening addresses to the twelve men will consume the balance of the court hours for Wednesday. The examination of the twenty state witnesses will consume the following two days, and the witnesses for the defendant will be heard during the afternoon of Friday. From present indications the trial will be completed Saturday, May 29, and by Sunday morning the accused negro will know whether he will have to suffer death by hanging as the penalty for the crime which shocked not only Ottumwa, but the entire state and middle west the first week in February.

Crops in Good Condition.

Logan.—Though the backward spring has delayed corn planting in Harrison county, yet acording to reports about 60 per cent of the corn has been planted, and the ground is said to be in prime condition; neither too wet nor too cold. Wheat and oats are pushing to the front, making up for lost time. The rains have been very beneficial to the pastures and meadows; though the rainfall has been sufficient, yet the grass lands could stand more without being harmed. With the exception of the peach, present conditions indicate that Harrison county well to the front in the production of all varieties of fruit grown in western Iowa.

Ruins Shade Trees.

Sibley.—Citizens are highly indignant over the conduct of some miscreant. Last week there was a wholesale poisoning of dogs and this week someone bored inch holes into twenty-four beautiful shade and fruit trees and filled the holes with muriatic acid, and it is thought that the entire lot of trees are destroyed. The trees were planted about thirty years ago and they were highly prized by the people of Sibley. There is now talk of offering $1,000 reward for the arrest and conviction of the perpetrator of this crime, the amount being raised by subscription.

Big Suit Started.

Iowa City.—Ruth Renny, the Cedar Rapids girl who sued the Rock Island Railway Co. for $25,000 damages, alleging that she was crippled for life in a wreck at Rock Island, has temporarily lost her case. Her attorneys have dismissed it in the district court here, but will probably start a somewhat similar suit later. They did not wait for Judge Howell to rule on the company's motion to take the case from the jury.

Gilman Votes School Bonds.

Marshalltown.—The town of Gilman has voted to bond the independent school district of that place for $13,200 to build a new school house. The old school burned last winter, and the new building will be in readiness for the beginning of school in the fall.

GREAT DAMAGE BY FLOOD

FARMERS SUFFER HEAVY LOSSES TO STOCK.

Downpour Assumes Proportions of a Cloudburst and Lowlands Are Submerged.

Marshalltown.—One of the most severe floods in the history of central Iowa since 1896 resulted Saturday when a downpour assumed the proportions of a cloudburst. Thousands of dollars damage will result to farmers who had oats and corn in, especially in the vicinity of Quarry, where the damage was the heaviest.

Much stock will be found drowned when the water subsides and in the fields now are horses and cattle struggling in the water trying to find a place to land.

The Chicago & Northwestern railroad was completely at a standstill all day, no trains coming in until yesterday. At Quarry the big stone arch bridge was washed out and 100 feet of track was suspended in midair. Immense stones of the bridge weighing a ton were carried down Davidson creek 300 feet.

Four hundred men are at work building a temporary bridge and a track around the washout. West of here near Lamoille the Northwestern has another washout with one track useless.

The Northwestern is detouring via Tama and Jewell Junction. The Great Western is tied up by two smaller washouts at Luray and Mingo.

In the south part of town, which is drained by Linn creek, the police last night had to rescue people from their homes by swimming horses. Dewey lake at the soldiers' home was completely destroyed.

DEATH FIGHT ON TRAIN

Another Crime Startles Ottumwa's "Smoky Row"—Couple Had Quarreled.

Ottumwa.—Because his white wife would not return to live with him and their two children at Rutledge, George Edwards, negro, killed her, using a small pocket knife, and then committed suicide with the same instrument. He cut the woman's throat and then slashed his own, dying five minutes after the murder.

Edwards was a miner and had had marital troubles for some time. He had come to Ottumwa in the afternoon to plead with his wife to return home. Being unsuccessful, he committed the murder. The crime occurred at the Allen King home in "Smoky Row." The woman was a daughter of David Havenor.

Two Good Experimental Farms.

Clear Lake.—Twelve acres of land was set apart at the county farm, near here, this spring as an experimental station for corn growing, and and J. D. Hill, of Ames, is here to take care of the crop. The field is laid off in sections. Different spots here and there are selected where a place is planted eight hills square, which is to test the character of the ground. At another place four rows are planted across the field with from one to five kernels in each hill. Another four rows are planted with three kernels in each hill. Another portion of the field is planted from seed selected by three different farmers, who offer ears each from which the seed is taken. In this way a variety of tests will be made which will be studied at the coming fall corn juding contest.

Funds for Consumptives' Home.

Sioux City.—The board of supervisors of Woodbury county have been asked to call a special election for the purpose of voting an appropriation for the erection of a consumptives' home on the outskirts of Sioux City. At the same time it is probable that the county will be asked to vote another appropriation for the purchase of a new site for a detention hospital. The present pest house is located in the heart of the business district and an effort to change its location has been made annually for many years.

Dr. Means Heads Lady Medics.

Dubuque.—Dr. Lena Means of Des Moines was elected president of the Iowa Medical Women at the twelfth annual meeting of the association held here. The other officers: First vice-president, Dr. Kate Horpel Boone; second vice-president, Dr. Pauline Myers-Townsend, Marshalltown; secretary, Dr. Lena Beach, Cherokee; treasurer, Dr. Clara Whitmore, Cedar Rapids.

Council Bluffs Enterprise.

Council Bluffs.—Another new enterprise is to locate in Council Bluffs. The Central Calendar company of Shenandoah will move its entire plant here and make this city its headquarters in the future. About $12,000 will be invested.

AN OUNCE OF EARLY PREVENTION.

KING FORCES AN APOLOGY

EARL OF RONALDSHAY "SORRY" FOR HIS INSULT.

Called Countess Granard a "Dumped American Heiress Fortunate Enough to Secure a Title."

London. — The earl of Ronaldshay's apology to the countess of Granard (who was Miss Beatrice Mills of New York) for publicly calling her "a dumped American heiress who has been fortunate enough to secure a title," has not even the merit of spontaneity. The apology was made in deference to the king's express wish.

Were it not for the American peeress and the American "millionairess" that luxurious circle of English society patronized by the king could not exist a month. So King Edward frowns on anything that might discourage English peers from marrying wealthy American women, or anything likely to render English society distasteful to American women.

Lord Ronaldshay, eldest son and heir of the marquis of Zetland, belongs to an influential family. Ronaldshay is the unionist member of the house of commons for the Hornsey division of Middlesex. Thither went the countess of Granard and opened a bazar organized by Lord Ronaldshay's Liberal opponent. The countess, who has been active on behalf of her husband's party, spent money lavishly at the bazar, and consequently made a deep impression on the voters. Lord Ronaldshay, much irritated, made his insulting remarks about the countess speaking in a North London suburb.

DECISION AGAINST NEGRO.

Black Does Not Suffer Same Humiliation for False Arrest as White, Says Court.

New York. — A negro and a white man do not suffer equal humiliation in the eyes of law for false arrest, according to the appellate division of the supreme court, which sustained an order of Justice Dugro of the supreme court, reducing the amount of damages awarded George Griffin, a Pullman porter, from $2,500 to $300. The negro was arrested in Montreal, charged with stealing a pocketbook, but the charge was not substantiated and he was released. He brought suit against Daniel H. Brady, a New York manufacturer, who caused his arrest.

In his order, Justice Dugro said: "While in some senses the negro under the law is just as good as a man as the president of the United States, it would be a bad argument to say that he is just as good in some respects. The damages in a case of this kind depend on a man's standing and circumstances. If he is colored, that fact should be considered."

KILLS SELF AND BABES.

East Hampton, Conn., Woman Cuts Throats of Children and Herself.

East Hampton, Conn. — Mrs. Louis Carsten cut the throats of her three children and then her own at the Carsten home, a farm about two miles from the center of this village.

Two of the children, Louis, aged ten years, John, seven years old, and a ten-months-old girl, are dead, and Mrs. Carsten is dying.

Mrs. Carsten lived long enough to reply to her husband when he asked the reason for her acts: "I wanted to die, and I wanted to take the children with me. I did not want to leave them."

CONSERVATION WORK URGE

Joint Committee Proposes a Plan the Commissions in the Various States.

Washington.—Inventories of the n ural resources of every state and t ritory are proposed in a plan just a nounced by the joint committee conservation in this city. The jo committee is national headquarte for the conservation movement, a has offices in the Wyatt building. of the 48 big national organizatio now working with the joint comm tee through their conservation co mittees are to be asked to help, ea in its own special field.

The plan contemplates the prac cal application by the states and tional organizations of the conser tion principles declared by the g ernors and presidents of the gre national organizations in their notab conference at the White House a ye ago. Letters explaining the plan ha been sent out to the chairmen the official conservation commissio which the governors of 38 states ha appointed, and letters to the natio organizations will follow.

The joint committee suggests ea meetings of the state conservati commissions to take up, first, the m pressing conservation problems in t respective states. For instance, Louisiana it is the terrific waste natural gas which the state conser tion commission is already trying stop. In Oregon a pressing questi has been water power, which is a a leading issue just now in Michig and Wisconsin. In many states it the forest question. The question the conservation of water power tak a front rank in a great many stat and it is becoming more and mo of a general issue.

ROOSEVELTS SLAY BISO

Ex-President Bags One Alone and and Kermit Kill Another Together.

Nairobi, British East Africa. Theodore Roosevelt and his s Kermit are continuing their hunti excursions from their camp on t Heatley ranch on the Nairobi riv Two bull buffaloes have fallen bef their guns. One, the bigger of t two, was brought down by Mr. Roo velt alone, while the other was bagg by Mr. Roosevelt and Kermit togeth

Nairobi, British East Africa. Theodore Roosevelt has begun hunting expedition from the Ju ranch of George McMillan, wh guest he is. He went out and bag a female rhinoceros. The first sh wounded her in the shoulder and t animal fled to the bushes. Mr. Roo velt followed on horseback and more shots were required to bring h down. The head and skin weigh 532 pounds.

SHERMAN FOR GOOD ROAD

Vice-President in Address to Nation Congress Favors Improvement of Public Highways.

Baltimore, Md. — With a spee by Vice-President James S. Sh man, the National Good Roads C gress held its final session.

"I am interested in any meetin said Mr. Sherman, "which has for object the promotion of good roa good streets and good highways general. It is the ability to transp our goods which makes our count so prosperous.

"We should devote our time and e ergies to our commercial industri and our internal improvements. O highways have not been develope The roads of England, France a Switzerland put our roads to sham

HER INFINITE VARIETY

By BRAND WHITLOCK

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SYNOPSIS.

nator Morley Vernon's visit with his ee was interrupted by a call from political boss at the state capital. regretted it, the girl more than he. use she had arranged to attend a r that evening with him. She said earned for a national office for him. Vernon's desk in the senate he found d rose, accompanied by a plea for ge for women. He met the au- ss, pretty Miss Maria Greene of go, who proposed to convert him voting for house resolution No. 19. Greene secured Vernon's promise to for the suffrage resolution. He aiso her by convincing others. He took ing to the fair suffragette. Miss e consulted with the lieutenant-gov- . Vernon admitted to himself that uffragette had stirred a strange feel- within him. He forgot to read his ee's letter.

CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

nce or twice he glanced into the phlets Miss Greene had given him, he could not fix his mind on them; r types danced meaninglessly be- his eyes. He was angry with him- for this nervousness. Why must sail him now, just when he wished e at his best? He had spoken be- a hundred times; he knew his ence, and he had the proper con- pt for his colleagues. He had r, to be sure, made a set speech hat presence; seldom did any one that; the speeches were usually t and impromptu, and there was time for anticipation to generate ous dread. And yet his mind ned to be extraordinarily clear then; it seemed to be able to com- end all realms of thought at once. ut it was not so much the speech thought of, as the effect of the ch; already he could see the news- rs and the big headlines they ld display on their first pages the morning; he could see his mother ing them at breakfast, and then could see Amelia reading them. her dark eyes would widen, her ks flush pink! She would raise hand and put back her hair with pretty mannerism of hers; then lsively resting her arms on the e before her, she would eagerly the long columns through, while mother reminded her that her kfast was getting cold. How d she would be of him! She ld never chide him again; she ld see that at last he had found self.

he Eltons, too, would read, and his nce from their dinner would react them impressively. And Maria ne—but a confusion arose—Maria ne! He had not thought of lia all the morning until that very nt; Amelia's letter lay still un- ed on his deck back there in the te chamber. Maria Greene! She ld hear, she would color as she ed at him, and her eyes would ; he could feel the warm pressure he hand she would give him in gratulation.

nd it was this handsome young an's presence in the chamber that rise to all this nervousness. He sure that he would not have been ous if Amelia were to be there. had never heard him speak in ic, though he had often pressed to do so; somehow the places re he spoke were never those to h it would be proper for her to go. would wish she had heard this rh, for in 24 hours it would be one topic of conversation through- the state; his picture would be in newspapers—"The brilliant young ago lawyer who electrified the ois senate with his passionate ora- and passed the woman-suffrage sure." It would be an event to the beginning of a new era— t his imaginings were broken, his e was spoken; he turned and saw Greene.

come," she said. "It's up! Hurry!" e was excited and her cheeks ed. His teeth began to chatter. followed her quick steps in the ction of the chamber.

But," he stammered. "I—I didn't w—I haven't even arranged for gnition."

Oh, I'll fixed all that!" the woman "The lieutenant-governor prom- me." She was holding her rustling s and almost running.

CHAPTER V.

s they entered the senate cham- Vernon heard the lieutenant-gov- ernor say: "And the question is: Shall the resolution be adopted? Those in favor will vote 'aye;' those opposed will vote 'no,' when their names are called; and the secretary will call the—"

"Mr. President!" Vernon shouted. There was no time now to retreat; he had launched himself on the sea of glory. A dozen other senators were on their feet, likewise demanding recognition.

"The senator from Cook," said the lieutenant-governor.

Vernon stood by his desk, arranging complacently the documents Miss Greene had given him. Once or twice he cleared his throat and wiped his lips with his handkerchief. The other

"This Recognition of Her Equality Can not Be Overestimated in Importance!"

senators subsided into their seats, and, seeing that they themselves were not then to be permitted to speak, and like all speakers not caring to listen to the speeches of others, they turned philosophically to the little diversions with which they whiled away the hours of the session—writing letters, reading newspapers, smoking. Vernon glanced around. Maria Greene was sitting precariously on the edge of a divan. Her face was white and drawn. She gave a quick nod, and a smile just touched her fixed lips. And then Vernon began. He spoke slowly and with vast deliberation; his voice was very low. He outlined his subject with exquisite pains, detail by detail, making it clear just what propositions he would advance. His manner was that of the lawyer in an appellate court, making a masterly and purely legal argument; when it was done, the senate, if it had paid attention—though it seldom did pay attention—would know all about the question—would know all about the question of woman-suffrage.

In his deliberation, Vernon glanced now and then at Maria Greene. Her eyes were sparkling with intelligent interest. As if to choose the lowest point possible from which to trace the rise and progress of legislation favorable to women, Vernon would call the attention of the senate first to the decision of the Illinois supreme court In re Bradwell, 55 Ill., 525. That was away back in 1869, when the age was virtually dark; and that was the case, gentlemen would remember, just as if they all kept each decision of the court at their tongues' ends, in which the court held that no woman could be admitted, under the laws of Illinois, to practice as an attorney at law. But—and Vernon implored his colleagues to mark—long years afterward, the court of its own motion entered a nunc pro tunc order, reversing its own decision in the Bradwell case. Vernon dilated upon the importance of this decision; he extolled the court; it had set a white milestone to mark the progressing emancipation of the race. Then, briefly, he proposed to outline for them the legislative steps by which woman's right to equality with man had been at least partly recognized.

He fumbled for a moment among the papers on his desk, until he found one of the pamphlets Miss Greene had given him, and then he said he wished to call the senate's attention to the employment act of 1872, the drainage act of 1885, and the sanitary district act of 1890. Vernon spoke quite familiarly of these acts. Furthermore, gentlemen would, he was sure, instantly recall the decisions of the courts in which those acts were under review, as, for instance, in Wilson vs. Board of Trustees, 133 Ill. 443; and in Davenport vs. Drainage Commissioners, 25 Ill. App. 92.

Those among the senators who were lawyers, as most of them were, looked up from their letter writing at this, and nodded profoundly, in order to show their familiarity with Vernon's citations, although, of course, they never had heard of the cases before.

"This recognition of woman's natural right," Vernon shouted, "this recognition of her equality with man, can not be overestimated in importance!" He shook his head fiercely and struck his desk with his fist. But then, having used up all the facts he had marked in Miss Greene's pamphlets, he was forced to become more general in his remarks, and so he began to celebrate woman, ecstatically. He conjured for the senators the presence of their mothers and sisters, their sweethearts and wives; and then, some quotations fortunately occurring to him, he reminded them that Castiglione had truly said that "God is seen only through women;" that "the woman's soul leadeth us upward and on." He recounted the services of women in time of war, their deeds in the days of peace, and in the end he became involved in an allegory about the exclusion of the roses from the garden.

The senators had begun to pay attention to him as soon as he talked about things they really understood and were interested in, and now they shouted to him to go on. It was spread abroad over the third floor of the statehouse that some one was making a big speech in the senate, and representatives came rushing over from the house. The correspondents of the Chicago newspapers came over also to see if the Associated Press man in the senate was getting the speech down fully. All the space on the floor was soon crowded, and the applause shook the desks and made the glass prisms on the chandeliers jingle. The lieutenant governor tapped from time to time with his gavel, but he did it perfunctorily, as though he enjoyed the applause himself, as vicariously expressing his own feelings; his eyes twinkled until it seemed that, were it not for certain traditions, he would join in the delighted laughter that made up most of the applause.

Once a page came to Vernon with a glass of water, and as he paused to wipe his brow and to sip from the glass, he glanced again at Maria Greene. Her face was solemn and a wonder was growing in her eyes. Beside her sat old "Doc" Ames, scowling fiercely and stroking his long white beard. There were sharp cries of "Go on! Go on!"

But Vernon, not accustomed to thinking on his feet, as talkers love to phrase it, and having stopped, could not instantly go on, and that awkward halt disconcerted him. He was conscious that the moments were slipping by, and there were other things—many other things—that he had intended to say; but these things evaded him—floated off, tantalizingly, out of reach. And so, for refuge, he rushed on to the conclusion he had half formed in his mind. The conclusion was made up mostly from a toast to which he had once responded while in college, entitled "The Ladies." The words came back to him readily enough; he had only to apply them a little differently and to change his figures. Thus it was easy to work up to a panegyric in which Illinois stood up as a beautiful woman leading her sister states up to new heights of peace, of virtue and of concord. He had a rapt vision of this woman, by her sweet and gentle influence settling all disputes and bringing heaven down to earth at last.

The senate was in raptures.

"This is the face," he cried, "'that launched a thousand ships and burned the topless towers of Ilium!' . . . 'she is wholly like in feature to the deathless goddesses!'" So he went on. "'Age cannot wither, nor custom stale, her infinite variety.'"

He was growing weary. He already showed the impressive exhaustion of the peroration. He had sacrificed a collar and drunk all the water from his glass. He fingered the empty tumbler for a moment, and then lifted it on high while he said:

I filled this cup to one made up
Of loveliness alone,
A woman, of her gentle sex
The seeming paragon—
Her health! and would on earth there stood
Some more of such a frame,
That life might be all poetry,
And weariness a name.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

She Got the Letter.

The post office official put on his severest manner.

"You say you mailed the letter about half an hour ago at a window in the east corridor?" he asked.

The beautiful woman dabbled a handkerchief at her soulful eyes and at the tip of her classic nose.

"Yes, yes," she said.

"To whom was it addressed?"

She told him.

"And now you want to stop that letter?" he went on, still more sternly. "You want to get it back? Why?"

"Because," said the woman with unpremeditated frankness. "I am afraid his wife will get it."

"Oh," said the stern official.

She got the letter.

A Great Pro-Consul.

Lord Cromer, the great pro consul of Egypt, in writing of missions in that land, says in his great work, "Modern Egypt": The missionary, the philanthropist, and social reformer and others of the same sort, should have a fair field. Their intentions are excellent, although at times their judgment may be defective. They will, if under some control, probably do much good on a small scale. They may even, being carried away by the enthusiasm which pays no heed to worldly prudence, effect reforms more important than those of the adminstrator and politician, who will follow cautiously in their track, and perhaps reap the result of their labors.

Making a Record.

"I remember one time I was drivin' a particular good lookin' hoss that appeared ter be somewhat of a trotter, and a bystander who'd ben a-watchin' his movements finally stepped up ter me, and seemin' ter know who I was, sez 'Jim, jest 'bout how fast kin that hoss trot?'

"'Oh, I dunno,' sez I. 'I take 'im out and drive 'im like hell fer 'bout three minutes and call it a mile.'"—"Old Jim Case of South Hollow."

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Little Willie stumbled over a scrubbing brush and fell into a pail of soapy water.

"Father," he said, as he rose, "where do the angels go when the spring cleaning in heaven begins?"

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Old Bum—Well, ain't I a-tryin' to down 'em all I kin?

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Sometimes a bachelor lives long enough to feel sorry for the man who won the girl he was in love with.

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The more we sacrifice in behalf of any cause the dearer it becomes to us. —N. Meloy.

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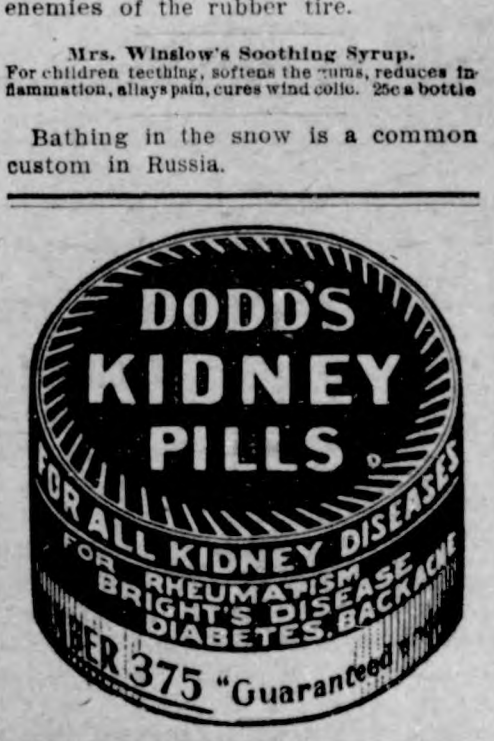

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A Kansas man suggests that church entrances should be put just back of the pulpit so that the members of the congregation can see who the late comers are without twisting their necks every time the door opens.

Wouldn't it be nice to be president or a member of the president's family, so that everytime you washed your face, or combed your hair, or trimmed your nails, or even if you had a slight attack of stomachache, notice would be made of the fact in the big daily newspapers.

According to the dispatches in the newspapers from the jungles of Africa, Roosevelt is getting big game daily. The latest report we have noticed was the killing of a large female rhinoceros, which deed of bravery was enacted on the Sabbath Day. Somehow Roosevelt always manages to kill these ferocious beasts just as they are upon him. Great is advertising. It is claimed that the hide and head of this rhinoceros weighed 400 pounds.

Notice of Levy of Special Execution

STATE OF IOWA } ss
Hancock County }

THE Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company. Plaintiff.

AGAINST

Dennis Conlon Exr. Est. of Nicholas Conlon, Deceased; Dennis or D. M. Conlon et al. Defendants.

Notice to Defendants:

To Dennis Conlon, Exr. Estate of Nicholas Conlon, deceased, Dennis or D. M. Conlon, Theodore L. Ruka, Mrs. Annie Ruka, Thomas Monaghen, Maggie Monaghen, John Conlon, George E. Denton, Nellie Powers, G. H. Richardson, Irving, Mary, Leonard, Grace, Frances and Clara Ruka, Raymond, Frank, Mamie, Alice and Irene Monaghen.

SIR: You are hereby notified that, by virtue of a Special execution issued by the clerk of the District court of Hancock County, in the above entitled cause, to me directed, I have levied upon as your property, the following described Real Estate, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section No. Thirty-five (35) in Township No. Ninety-four (94) North, Range, No. Twenty-four (24) west of the 5th P. M. in Hancock County, Iowa.

And I have advertised the same to be sold on the 5th day of June, A. D., 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the court House in Garner, Hancock county, Iowa.

Witness my official signature this 28th day of April, A. D., 1909.

43-2 JOHN SUURBALLE,
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LOCAL NEWS

esh fruits, strawberries, at Kluckhohn's.

ss Bertha Gruntz was here Garner Friday.

amine the Wisconsin bee , handled by N. L. Palmer.

er Becker and wife drove from Garner last Friday.

s. M. E. Peck, of Garner, visiting relatives in Klemver Sunday.

n. Ax, one of our good ers, added his name to our f readers the past week.

ep cool. Try our cool sumdrinks. ice cream and Sun The place is Kluckhohn's.

ss Carrie Hubbard, of Garvisited here Saturday and ay with Mrs. C. C. Suckow.

ecial prices on Wheeler & on and Singer Sewing Mahes at Frank Gruetzmacher's.

good delegation of rooters mpanied the Dows ball team eir trip to Klemme last Fri-

n Schuler and wife, of er, spent Sunday in Klemat the John Gruetzmacher e.

st Call—Parties wanting pastured, see me at once. reasonable. Fred C. we, 42tf

s. Catherine Mann came from Garner last Friday ing for a visit at the home r son, Henry.

R. Bloom and wife and G. abst and wife drove down elmond Sunday and got t in the rain on the return

J. Stille shipped two cars ttle and one car of hogs of wn feeding to Chicago yesy morning. He went in to i'y with the shipment.

ed Ralston, brother-in-law J. Wilson came over from ne Saturday and assisted ring for Mr. Wilson, who is sick from typhoid.—Mey Messenger.

s. E. P. Dow and little hter arrived in Klemme Rake, Iowa, last Thursday ing for a visit with relatives friends. E. P. and son r and daughter Bonnie down after them Sunday d's auto.

you think of buying a rug ll pay you to look over my which consists of Wilton ets. Axminsters, Saxony insters, Colonial Velvets Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. rs for rugs G. F. Schuler.

R. Bloom was down from me Wednesday, looking his interests in Vernon ship. Mr. Bloom has one he most desirable quarter ons of land in the county, has spared no pains in keept up in shape He has other rests in different parts of the and with this, here, keeps on the jump most of the but he is always the same Walt."—Dows Advocate.

Ell Bros. buy wool. 42-2

Ice cream every day at Kluckhohn's.

M. I. Parker was a Clear Lake visitor last Sunday.

For bee keepers supplies call on N. L. Palmer. 41-3

H. C. Lau shipped a carload of hogs Sunday morning.

F. A Arnold was a Garner business visitor yesterday.

A number of Klemme fishermen———went fishing.———

This office acdnowledges a pleasant call from Wm. Kraus last Friday.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Wm. F. Lau and family came dowr from Garner Saturday night to spend Sunday at the Tom Blank home

Our reporter heard a dandy news item on his rounds this week which we omit on account of lack of space to do it justice—or perhaps lack of nerve and fear of consequences would be nearer correct.

S. S. Sherman has leased the Thornton Enterprise to H. H Hallet of Clarion, formerly a conductor on the Great Western, and he has already taken possession. We wish the new proprietor success.

After a spell of hot weather last week, Monday and Tuesday of this week were cold and wet. However, small grain is looking fine and if the corn planting can be finished in good season the farmers will be feeling pretty well after all.

The school board has at last succeeded in hiring a full corps of teachers for our public schools the coming year. As has been stated before Prof. Bowker of Crystal Lake will have charge as principal. Miss Eleanor Koerner, of Charles City, has been secured to teach the intermediate room and Miss Amelia Lenz, who has given such good satisfaction as teacher of the primary room, will again have charge of that department. We understand that one more grade will be added to the work next year.

The Dows High School ball team arrived in Klemme last Friday as per schedule, accompanied by a valiant bunch of rooters, and proceeded to show the Klemme boys how not to play the national game. It was a good game of ball, however, the final score being 4 to 1 in favor of Klemme. The battery work of both teams was first class. Clarence Kluckhohn did the twirling stunt for Klemme with his brother Charley at the receiving end. and "Fat" certainly had the Dows boys guessing all the way through, allowing only three safe hits and striking out eleven Dows sluggers Outside of their battery, the Dows team did not show up very well. Klemme started out strong, annexing one score in the first inning and they were never headed after that. Dows was shut out until two were out in the ninth inning, when an overthrow to first allowed one of their runners to reach second, from which station he scored on one of the three safe hits. It was a nice clean game, only Dows was outclassed. Klemme certainly has a fast bunch of youngsters. Considering the busy season, a fairly good crowd turned out.

Get our price before you sell your wool. Ell Bros. 42-2

J W. Hamilton is a new subscriber to the Times.

Try those fine ice cream sodas and Sundaes at Kluckhohn's.

Special cut prices on Millinery on Friday and Saturday, May 28 and 29. Mrs. John Josten.

The Klemme Hotel opened for business Monday. A good thing for the town. Do it all the good you can.

Mrs John Josten was at Goodell Monday and Tuesday looking after her stock of millinery at that place.

Miss Bessie Ely, of Belmond, visited here last Friday at the C. C. Suckow home. She expects to organize a class in music here.

Miss Vera Duffey, teacher in the Newberger school east of town, spent Saturday at her home in Garner. Her school closes tomorrow for the summer vacation.

August Lau Jr. called on the printer this week and left the price of a year's subscription to this family journal. He reports the small grain looking fine out his way and says his corn is up in good shape.

Shoes for everybody. A perfect fit for any foot—large or small. My line comprises all the latest styles and colors in shoes and oxfords for men, women and children. Frank Gruetzmacher, 42 2

On our first page this week appears the statement of the State Savings Bank on May 18th. By glancing this over carefully you will notice that this institution is in a flourishing condition and that those in charge are building up a fine business. Look this statement over.

R. R. Lemke and Geo. Platt, two of Hancock county's hustling young farmers, marketed a carload of money-makers to W. R. Bloom this week. Mr. Lemke's 35 head of porkers brought him the neat sum of $592 83 and Mr. Platt drew a check for $503.20 for 32 head. W. R. says these hogs were "as fine as silk."

AVERY CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Geo. W. Griggs purchased a new automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Heginger visited relatives in Belmond Sunday.

Jno. Heginger is going to build an addition to his house.

Geo. W. Griggs transacted business in Meservey last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Christensen of Goodell visited at J. T. Griggs' Sunday.

Albert Lang and wife of German township visited at F. R Chase's home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hamilton of Garner visited with their son, T. M. Hamilton one day last week.

The Avery Center school will close Friday with a picnic dinner and a fine program to be held in the grove.

The thirty-fifth annual encampment, department of the Iowa G. A. R. is to be held in Fort Dodge. June 8, 9, and 10 Elaborate preparations are being made to entertain the boys in blue, and the executive committee is promising them "the time of their life."

The program is an attractive one and should interest every old soldier in the state. Governor Carroll is to deliver an address in behalf of the state and Commander J. C. Milliman will respond in behalf of the G. A. R. and kindred societies.

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German M. E. Church Items

T. Blank visited his father in Hayfield last Sunday.

F. C. Griewe and family were callers in Germantown Sunday.

The Lenz sisters took a drive out in the country last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griewe called on Fred Gates and family Sunday.

W. F. Lau and family of Garner, were over Sunday callers in our burg.

Four new members were added to the Germantown League last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wessel's Sudnay school class of young men will give a program Sunday evening.

Grandma Lau has gone to Chicago for a short visit. Mrs. Wm. Greiman accompanied her.

There will be services in the English language in the Germantown church Sunday evening.

Rev. W. V. Schlung preached a practical sermon in Klemme last Sunday night to an appreciative audience.

Viola Wellemeyer closes her spring term in No. 8, German towuship, with a picnic Friday—if it don't rain.

John Schuler and family of Garner, spent the first of the week in Klemme, the guests of John Gruetzmacher and family.

W. V. Schlung is putting in his fifth week repairing pianos, organs, sewing machines and clocks and still has lots of work promised.

The officers of both the Klemme and Germantown League will meet in the parsonage Friday evening for a joint cabinet meeting and social gathering.

The threatening clouds last Sunday evening kept some of the timid ones home which cut the program rather short in Germantown. The other part was very good, esyecia ly the dialogue by G. I. Schaper and E. G. Beier.

Those desiring to rent a tent for the campmeeting should order one now. We have secured an unusual low price this year. The rent for a 10x12 tent is only $1 25, for a 12x14 $1.65, for a 14x16 $2.50, and compartment tents at corresponding prices. We must have all orders in by June 7. lest someone want to pay the express on later orders.

At the annual election of the Germantown Epworth League the following persons were elected: E. G. Beier, President; Erick Josten, First Vice-president; Roy Schaefer, Second Vice-president; Geo, Schoenwetter, Third Vice-President, Lydia Beier, Fourth Vice-president; Matie Bredlow, Secretary; Edw. Schoenwetter, Treasurer; Elmer Schlei and Willie Riemer, Librarians; Lydia Beier, Organist.

"Butch" Schroeder, of Chicago, passed through Klemme yesterday enroute for Garner. He jumped off the train and spent a half minute shaking hands with Klemme friends.

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CLEANER CLOTHES

Men Who Handle Ice Must Keep Clean.

ORDER WILL BE MADE

State Board of Health May Go A Step Farther in Crusade for Individual Cups.

Des Moines, Iowa, May 22.—The state board of health in its crusade against the common drinking cup on railroad trains may go a step farther and declare war on the clothes of the men who put the ice in the coach water coolers at "shop" towns. It has been represented to the board of health that in many instances the water tanks are filled by men who wear oily, dirty clothes, whose hands do not indicate that they have been washed for weeks and who carry in chunks of ice and dump them in the ice water tanks from which the people drink without taking the trouble to see that affairs are antiseptic. It is not improbable that when the order is issued in July against the common drinking cup it will include an order for the cleaning up of the clothes and hands of the ice man.

New Law Pleases.

College faculty members and alumni of the three state schools are said to be highly pleased with the intention of the new board of education to constitute the finance committee of three a purely a business committee, as the name implies, and leave all questions of policy, courses of study and other vital matters either to the presidents and faculty or to the board of nine.

It is understood by those who have talked to members of the board of nine that one of the finance committee shall have charge of buildings, land and equipment, the second shall handle all funds to the credit of the schools, and that the third shall be auditor and accountant.

Although members of the board are reported as saying that there was never any doubt or ambiguity as to the intended duties of the finance committee, there are some prominent educators who declare the result of this arrangement will be to give the president and faculties of each school almost unlimited authority, subject only to the instructions of the board of nine. This board is to meet not more than sixty days in each year. These critics further say that the very object of the central board was to harmonize the development of the three schools and prevent enthusiastic presidents and faculties from departing from the lines laid down for each school.

After its last meeting at Iowa City the board of nine reported that no policies had been worked out and some delicate and perplexing problems are still to be settled. One will be the determination of just how much executive authority members of the finance committe shall have and what shall be their exact relations to the faculties of the state schools.

Test is Made.

The Iowa supreme court is asked to say whether or not an election judge can sit on a grand or petit jury in the appeal case of Joseph and Solomon Hassan, Armenians sent up for twenty-five years for murder in Crawford county. Copies of the argument in the case reached Assistant Attorney General Charles W. Lyon yesterday. The Hassans were convicted of the murder of Fred Nawful by pounding him over the head with clubs and shooting several revolver bullets into his body.

Flowers For State Capital.

The State house grounds will shortly bloom and blossom as the rose. The executive council has commissioned State Horticulturist Wesley Greene and Treasurer W. W. Morrow, a scientific agriculturist, to take steps to beautify the capitol grounds at once. New shrubs will be planted, flower beds will be made and with any kind of luck the state house grounds will look almost as good as if the legislature had voted thousdans

Jefferson to Get Company.

The company of the Iowa National guard, which will be mustered out at Sac City upon the recommendation of Lieutenant Martin, inspector for the government, probably will be placed at Jefferson. That city and Cherokee are candidates for the place. General Logan is inclined to favor Jefferson.

Byers Asks More Time.

Attorney General H. W. Byers today instructed Charles S. Wilcox, one of his assistants, to ask a continuance in the test case of the anti-pass law to be submitted to the supreme court at its next session.

Cannot Smoke Cigarettes.

The state board of parole has decreed that the cigarette is a most harmful agency towards the living of a proper life by convicts whom it paroles, and any man on parole who is caught smoking one of the deadly little instruments of Satan goes back to the penitentiary forthwith.

"Cigarettes undoubtedly are demoralizing," said Parole Secretary B. W. Garrett. "Not long ago a young man came in here who complained of headaches and who shook like he had the ague. He said it was difficult for him to collect his thoughts, and I told him if he'd cut out cirgarettes he'd be all right. He seemed surprised that I guessed his habit, but I can tell them every time. Our experience has shown that if we permit paroled convicts to smoke cigarettes, they are apt to lapse into their former bad ways. When the board put it up to me to prepare blanks setting forth the conditions which all paroled convicts must observe, I inserted the use of cigarettes as prohibitive. The members of the board have accepted the blanks. Any paroled man who wants to keep his liberty wants to leave cigarettes strictly alone."

Judges Want Scholar.

Delay in the appointment of a successor to Prof B. F. Shambaugh as curator of the state historical department, is said to be due to the wish of the supreme court members to find an experienced scholar to fill the vacancy.

Judge Deemer and other members of the court are known to be ambitious to make the historical museum and library something more than a popular museum. They want the work carried on along scientific lines, with more or less original research work and a classification of material that cannot be made by an amateur.

This policy is understood to be at the bottom of considerable opposition to the appointment of Acting Curator Harlan, who otherwise would be the natural choice of Governor Carroll. The appointment was to have been made on May 8 but the board adjourned for a second meeting last Saturday, which also failed to disclose the governor's choice. Now the appointment will not be made until the June meeting.

Model Expense Accounts Shown.

Officials who travel at the expense of the state have received from the executive council printed sheets from the new expense books showing how a traveling account should be made out. The sheets contain a broad hint that the council expects officials to charge only for portions of each day actually spent in the state's business. The specimen accounts printed in the new forms are taken from the expense account of a food inspector. When bus hire is charged there is an explanatory note to show that it was raining and a bus was actually needed. Under the head of employment, "visiting with friends" is printed for the afternoon and only one-half day's per diem is charged.

Charles City Gets Company.

Charles City is to have a company of the Iowa National guard. Adjutant General Logan gave his approval after talking with business men at Charles City and making a personal investigation. The one condition is that the young men who expect to organize the company shall rent a certain building in Charles City which General Logan approved as a prospective armory. The company will be E of the Fifty-third, which was mustered out at Cresco recently upon recommendation of Major Martin, United States inspecting officer.

"Quaker" Beer Cannot Be Sold.

"Quaker" beer, which has been sold extensively in dry communities in eastern Iowa, will not be sold longer, as a result of a holding by State Pure Food Inspector H. R. Wright yesterday. Samples of the drink were found to contain one-half of one per cent alcohol. While the pure food law does not apply to the case, the prohibitory law does, and Commissioner Wright has notified dealers that they are violating the law in its sale.

Garrett Talks on Parole.

Secretary B. W. Garrett of the state board of parole has consented to read a paper on the parole and indeterminate sentence laws at the district meeting of the Christian Endeavor at Corydon, June 3. Secretary Garrett was pardon secretary before the new board of parole law took effect and is probably better posted on the merits and demerits of the system than any other man in Iowa.

Kepford Wins.

A. E. Kepford of the state anti tuberculosis department, who recently filed a complaint with the railroad commissioners stating that the depot accommodations at Malvern are unclean and unhealthy, has won his fight. The commissioners notified the Burlington, and today word was received that the premises were cleaned up and the agent who was responsible has been discharged.

WILSON IS TO STAY

President Taft Is Authority for Statement

IOWA MAN TO BE RETAINED

Tenure of Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson is Declared to Be Indefinitely Long.

Washington, D. C., May 24.—Every now and then reports crop out to the effect that Secretary Wilson will not remain much longer in the Taft cabinet. It has been given out repeatedly that Secretary Wilson is to be retained long enough to enable him to break all records of cabinet service and then he will be let out.

These reports are without foundation.

Within the last few days President Taft himself has let it be known that Secretary Wilson is to stay in the cabinet. He will keep him indefinitely without regard to length of service

Secretary Wilson is to remain and Iowa is to continue to have a place in the cabinet of the president.

ROBBERS GET BIG HAUL

Seven Registered Pouches with $500,000 Taken From Pacific Overland.

Omaha, Neb., May 24.—The Overland limited on the Union Pacific, east bound from San Francisco was held up about eight miles west of here, between Seymour and South Omaha, shortly after 11 o'clock Saturday night. Seven registered mail pouches, whose estimated value is $500,000, were taken by the robbers.

There were four bandits in the holdup, all dressed in long raincoats or ulsters. They made their escape in an automobile and are reported to have taken a westward course.

The several mail pouches secured by the robbers were from the far west, two of them from Reno, Nev., which are thought to have contained gold from the New York banks.

Not a shot was fired by the bandits and not a person was injured.

Three posses headed by the United States marshal, the sheriff and an Omaha sergeant of police are scouring the country for traces of the bandits.

A reward of $5,000 each has been offered by the Union Pacific railroad for the apprehension of the bendits.

Sunday Not Satisfied.

Marshalltown, Ia., May 24.—Evangelist "Billy" Sunday is not at all satisfied with the results of his revival campaign. The evangelist's complaint is with the church members themselves, whom he thinks have not "warmed up" to the work as they should. Sunday has announced that he may remain in Marshalltown another week, making a six weeks' campaign instead of ie, but that depends on the results of next week. If a more active interest is taken in the work on the part of the church people next week, and Sunday believes he can accomplish something by staying another week, he will remain; otherwise the meetings will close May 30.

Big Fire at Oskaloosa.

Oskaloosa, Iowa, May 24.—The Mendenhall Furniture factory at High avenue and D street, was destroyed by fire Saturday evening. The loss is estimated at $25,000. The fire originated in rags saturated with finishing oils. The fire gained great headway before the arrival of the department. The furniture warehouse and the entire retail establishment was destroyed. The building was constructed partly of brick and partly of wood. The furniture company was owned by Ezra Mendenhall and the building by H. H. Sheriffe, a local attorney. The loss to the building is covered by insurance.

Monster Tooth Found.

Chicago, Ill., May 24.—The tooth of aprehistoric animal which must have been, according to scientists, fifty or sixty feet long, and with a mouth big enough to bite o ffthe top of an ordinary tree, was brought to this city today from Sycamore, Ill., where it was found by Axel Stroberg, a farmer. The tooth weights more than ten pounds and measures almost a foot in diameter. It will be placed in the Field museum.

Ore Train Into River.

Helena, Mont., May 24.—An ore train on the Montana Centeral division of the Great Northern railroad was wrecked today at a point between Helena and Great Falls, and eighteen cars of ore were precipitated into the river. Brakeman Rogers was killed and Engineer Sieben seriously injured.

ELDERLY PEOPLE HELPED FREE

The last years of life are the sweetest, and yet the most difficult to prolong. It is then that the greatest care is exercised in maintaining bodily health. But the chief care should always be with regard to the food you eat and whether you are digesting it properly. You should not allow yourself to become constipated.

No doubt you have tried salts and cathartic pills, purgative tablets, etc., and have come to the conclusion that they are violent in action and do but temporary good. Listen, then, to the voice of experience with regard to a wonderful and mild laxative, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is not new, only we are trying to find new friends for it.

A. A. Felts, of Johnston City, Ill., suffered from stomach trouble for six years and found his cure in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. His wife uses it too with success. We could name hundreds of others. Some heard of it first through neighbors or friends; others through the doctor's offer to send any sufferer from a stomach, liver or bowel complaint a free sample bottle for trial, without charge. If you will send your name and address he will send you a trial bottle direct to your home. If it proves itself as he claims then continue the treatment by buying a 50-cent or $1 bottle of your druggist, as all of them sell it. Old people, like children, should look for purity, and it is well to mention that the purity of this remedy is vouched for with the U. S. government. Also, though a free bottle is sent to prove its merits, results are always guaranteed from the regular bottles bought of druggists, who will refund your money if it does not satisfy you. Send at least for the free test bottle to-day.

If there is anything about your ailment that you don't understand, or if you want any medical advice, write to the doctor, and he will answer you fully. There is no charge for this service. The address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 201 Caldwell bldg., Monticello, Ill.

RECRIMINATIONS.

She—You have now more than a dozen shirts, and when we were married you had only one solitary one!

He—Yes, but that one didn't need mending!

"All Bets Off!"

The wife of a retail merchant, whose name is withheld for obvious reasons, was irritated by the non-arrival of certain articles she had ordered from the butcher. She called up the butcher shop, and the flip youth who drives the delivery wagon answered the 'phone.

"Did you attend to that order for Mrs. X?" she asked, indignantly.

"You bet your silk sox I did," came the reply.

"What's that?" she gasped.

"You can go and bet all your lingerie (pronounced as spelled) I attended to everything."

"Do you know to whom you are talking?"

"Surest thing you know; I'm talking to Kitty." (The maid.)

"You are talking to Mrs. X," she declared, sternly.

"Oh, well then," in apologetic tones, "all bets are off."

THINK HARD

It Pays to Think About Food.

The unthinking life some people lead often causes trouble and sickness, illustrated in the experience of a lady in Fond Du Lac, Wis.

"About four years ago I suffered dreadfully from indigestion, always having eaten whatever I liked, not thinking of the digestible qualities. This indigestion caused palpitation of the heart so badly I could not walk up a flight of stairs without sitting down once or twice to regain breath and strength.

"I became alarmed and tried dieting, wore my clothes very loose, and many other remedies, but found no relief.

"Hearing of the virtues of Grape-Nuts and Postum, I commenced using them in place of my usual breakfast of coffee, cakes, or hot biscuit, and in one week's time I was relieved of sour stomach and other ills attending indigestion. In a month's time my heart was performing its functions naturally and I could climb stairs and hills and walk long distances.

"I gained ten pounds in this short time, and my skin became clear and I completely regained my health and strength. I continue to use Grape-Nuts and Postum for I feel that I owe my good health entirely to their use. "There's a Reason."

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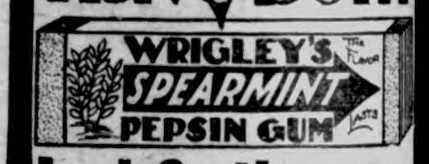

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ROGERS IS DEAD

RICAN BUSINESS WORLD OSES ONE OF ITS GREAT-EST GENIUSES.

VES $75,000,000 FORTUNE

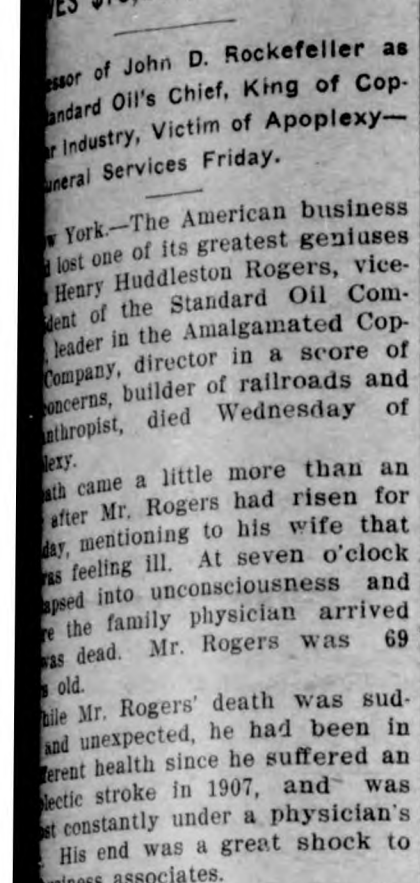
essor of John D. Rockefeller as tandard Oil's Chief, King of Cop-r Industry, Victim of Apoplexy—uneral Services Friday.

w York.—The American business lost one of its greatest geniuses Henry Huddleston Rogers, vice-dent of the Standard Oil Com-, leader in the Amalgamated Cop-Company, director in a score of oncerns, builder of railroads and nthropist, died Wednesday of lexy.

ath came a little more than an after Mr. Rogers had risen for day, mentioning to his wife that as feeling ill. At seven o'clock apsed into unconsciousness and e the family physician arrived as dead. Mr. Rogers was 69 s old.

hile Mr. Rogers' death was sud-and unexpected, he had been in ferent health since he suffered an lectic stroke in 1907, and was st constantly under a physician's His end was a great shock to usiness associates.

ws of the financier's death did become generally known till two hours after it occurred. stock exchange had not opened



H. H. Rogers.

n the report reached Wall street, with the opening there was hard-n appreciable effect on the market. enry H. Rogers was a money er and one of the most successful of the so-called Standard Oil p. He began life as a poor boy Fairhaven, Mass., where he was , and retained his legal residence e until the day of his death. He ariously reported as having com-nced life as a newsboy and as a er of a grocery cart, but whatever humble start in business he ieved a success attained by only a men of a generation.

r. Rogers was a man of many nds and an enthusiatstic yachts-n. Until recently he had held the ns of the Standard Oil Company owing the retirement of John D. ckefeller, although J. B. Archbold ended to the routine management the great corporation. Just how ch money Mr. Rogers leaves is not own. His fortune is variously esti-ed at from $50,000,000 to $75,000,-, which will make his son, H. H. gers, Jr., one of the richest men the country. Whether the son or Broughton, son-in-law of Mr. Rog-, will carry on his affairs is a tter of speculation in the financial rict.

The widow he leaves is his second e, his first wife having died 14 rs ago, and he is survived in ad-ion by four children, the son men-ed, and the following daughters: s. W. E. Benjamin, Mrs. Urben H. oughton and Mrs. William R. Coe. New York.—The funeral services in s city of Henry H. Rogers, vice-esident of the Standard Oil Com-ny, president of the Amalgamated pper Company, took place in the urch of the Messiah Friday morn-. Rev. Dr. Robert Collyer deliv-ed a touching eulogy to the famous ancier.

The pall bearers were Messrs. El-rt H. Garry, George W. Perkins, mes A. Moffett, John D. Archbold, A. Peabody, A. S. Paine, William ckefeller, E. H. Harriman, Edward Bedford, James M. Beck, Melville Stone, James Jordan, John D. Ryan, muel L. Clemens, Dr. C. C. Rice d Raymond Dupuy.

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President Interested in Movement.

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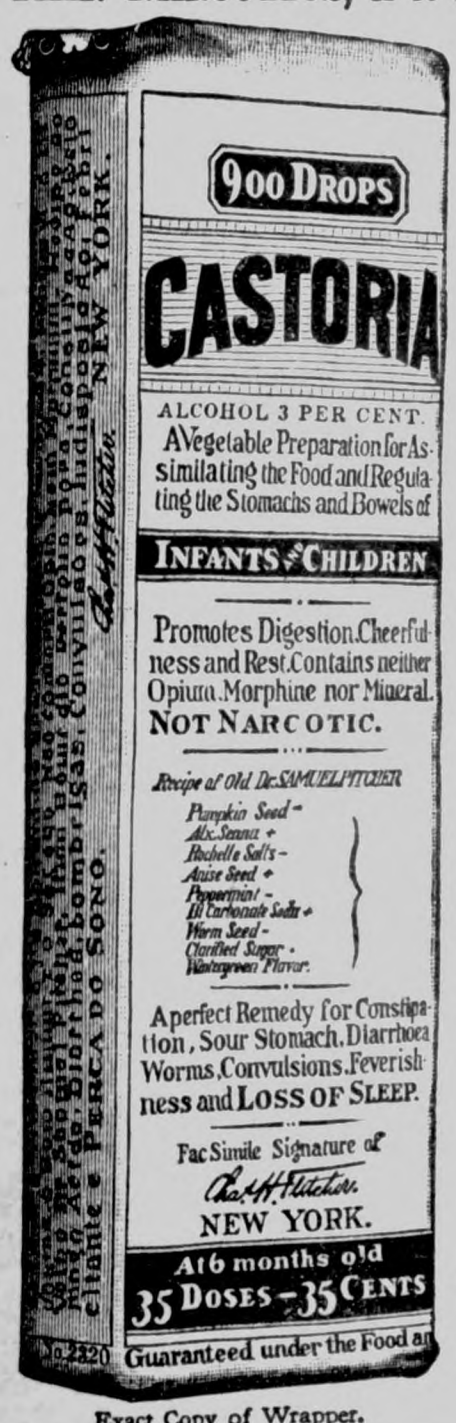

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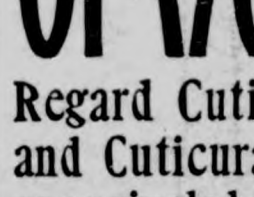

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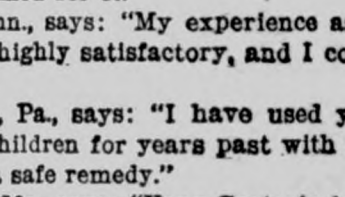

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Going South.

436 ..... 7:40 p. m.
82 ..... 2:50 p. m.

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Aside from the regular news features, there is something in the Sunday Record-Herald for every member of the family. The special articles by William E. Curtis and Walter Wellman are always interesting. The sporting section offers four whole pages of fresh and authentic news in every line of sport. The woman's section is filled with illustrated articles on the latest wrinkles in fashion and domestic science, with Marion Harland and Mme. Qui Vive as regular contributors, and Dame Curtsey's "Novelties in Entertainment" as a valued feature. The dramatic page, written by James O'Donnell Bennett, is admittedly without an equal in the west. The array of splendid special articles by skilled writers, finely illustrated, also is typical of the high literary quality of the Record-Herald. In the way of humor there is the comic colored supplement for the children, besides Richard H. Little's laughable articles for adults and S. E. Kiser's delightful "Alternating Currents" for everybody.

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NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

T. H. Thompson has been appointed postmaster at Kanawha to succeed Editor Ellsworth.

John Prull of Britt and Miss Gertie Hanson of Erin township, were married at Algona on May 11th.

Chas. Conklin has gone from Goodell to Idaho to spend the summer and where he may take a homestead.

Barnum & Bailey's show will exhibit in Mason City the latter part of July, probably on the 24th or 26th.

Chas. Bracher is remodeling and making some fine improvements in the old Elder property he recently purchased at Garner.

Miss Verna Rathbun left Monday night for Chugwater, Wyoming where she has two brothers living. Miss Rathbun will take a claim and spend the summer there.—Goodell Globe.

It is reported that the adjourned April term of court for Hancock county will convene about the third week in June, at that time a decision will be rendered in the case of Fred Ax et al (Drainage District No. 9) vs the Interstate Drainage Co. et al.

Walter Clinch has returned to his home in Illinois. He is one of the Illinois land owners here who believes in improving the country. He has put thousands of dollars into tile in his Iowa farms and will put in thousands more. He says he is getting good returns for every dollar so spent. —Corwith Hustler.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Larson moved to Forest City, Tuesday where they will make their home. They have been residents of this vicinity for quite a number of years and are the kind of people that help to make a good community and we regret to see them move away.—Crystal Lake Reflector.

Directors of the Hancock county telephone company met at Britt last Friday. They expect to buy the Western Electric line from Britt to Crystal Lake and will rebuild it. An extension of the farmers line from the W. D. Schroeder schoolhouse eastward into Twin Lakes township will probably be made this summer. Manager Bandy has bought the stock held by E. C. Abbey and was also elected director to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Abbey's resignation.—Kanawha Record.

The Reformed church at Wellsburg have extended a call to Rev. G. J. Theilken to return there. Rev. Theilken held the pastorate there for about ten years prior to his accepting the Palsville call and this call comes as a compliment for the good service and good will shown during his long residence there. He has impressed the people of the Palsville and Meservey churches with his sermons and the hope is expressed that they may be able to hold him here tho' they know the ties of friendship with so many years at Wellsburg are a strong incentive.—Meservey Messenger.

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A dispatch from Titonka says: "Another tragedy has befallen the family of W. Winter, whose son was recently sentenced to life imprisonment for the brutal murder of Linn Trimble at Union. Mrs. Winters, mother of the youth now in prison, went to the barn at her home some time Friday afternoon while the other members of the family were at work in the field, and hung herself. She had been dead for some time when the body was discovered by the husband when he returned from his work. William Winter, the son of the dead woman, killed Linn Trimble at Union on the night of January 16, of the present year, while in the act of robbing Trimble's restaurant. He was sentenced to life imprionment after a trial at Eldora and escaped hanging only because of the showing that the youth was a moral degenerate. The mother brooded over the crime of her son and it is supposed that she became mentally deranged.

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Hancock County Normal

The annual session of the Hancock County Normal will be held at the high school building in Garner on June 14 to 22 with the following instructors.

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Ellis J. Hook, Ex-County Superintendent, Winneshiek County, Decorah, Iowa:—Psychology. Economics, Civics.

Harry D. Kies, Superintendent Public Schools, Britt, Iowa:—Arithmetic, History.

John R. Bagge, Superintendent, Public Schools, Garner, Iowa:—Algebra, Physics, Physiology.

Mrs. Edna Fox Smith, Eighth Grade, Public Schools, Britt, Iowa:—Grammar. Orthography.

Bertha Comee, With Educational Publishing Company, Chicago:—Drawing.

Mrs. Harriet R. Deyoe, Garner, Iowa:—Physical Culture.

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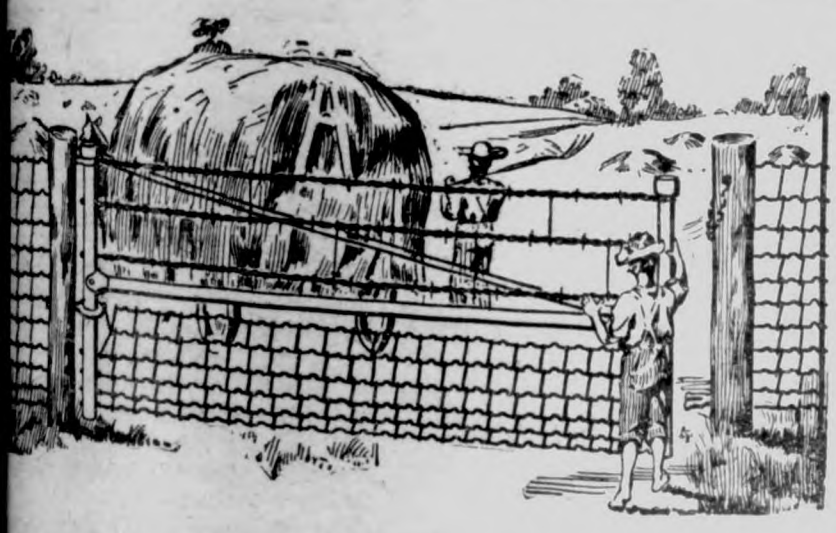

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Mrs. James Dickirson died at her home in Britt on May 20th.

Prof. and Mrs. Bowker, of Crystal Lake, are the parents of a brand new baby boy, says the Reflector.

An elegant up-to-date depot will be built by the Rock Island at Estherville to replace the old frame depot recently destroyed by fire.

The Dows high school team went to Klemme Friday and played a mixture of all the professional ball players in that section of the country, and were defeated by a score of four to one.—Dows Advocate.

Miss Nora Treganza was recently elected principal of the high school at Lake Mills, Iowa. She has taught there the past year and the preferment came without solicitation on her part. Her many friends will be pleased to hear of her advancement. Miss Nora graduated from the Britt school under Prof. Hoadley.—Britt Tribune

Chas. Birkett was a Klemme visitor last Monday....LeRoy Clark, Wm. Lemke, and Leo Ahrenkiel took in the ball game at Klemme last Friday ....B. H. Luken was a business visitor at Klemme, Wednesday, where he went to look after a job of cement work....Geo. Ahsenmacher returned Tuesday from Ward, S. Dakota, and will work for B. H. Luken in the cement plant....Miss Elizabeth Elder enjoyed a visit from her brother of Conrad, Iowa, from Saturday until Monday.—Goodell Globe.

Nels Montagne and A. C. Peckham were drowned in the lake four miles northwest of Belmond last week Friday night. They were fishing from a steel boat which was capsized in some manner. Their cries for help were heard by some nearby parties but before assistance could get to them they were drowned. Mr. Montague was proprietor of the pool hall in Belmond and Mr. Peckham, whose home was in Des Moines, was an insurance agent. The bodies were recovered early the next morning after the sad accident.

A decree of divorce was granted yesterday by Judge Clark, presiding in the district court at Forest City, to Martha Louise Pinckney from Edsen A. Pinckney. The case was one of the sensations of the year. Mrs. Pinckney asked very heavy alimony and an equity case as well as the divorce proceedings further involved the contest. This divorce case has been awaiting trial for several terms and when its time for hearing came, interest was intense. A settlement regarding the equity case was made and the stipulations filed give the plaintiff an alimony of about $12,000. This settlement was reached on the basis that the plaintiff should be granted the decree of legal separation of petitioned. Court was adjourned sine die at the close of this case.

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Decoration Day

The national holiday was not observed this year in Klemme by any special exercises, a number of our people going to Garner on Monday which day was set aside as the one on which to remember our soldier dead by strewing beautiful flowers on their last earthly resting place. The day was all that could be desired from the weather standpoint and a large crowd turned out.

The march to the cemetery was made in the forenoon, the procession being headed by the Miller Cornet Band, followed by the G. A. R., W. R. C. and floats carrying the school children. The usual ceremonies were gone through with at the cemetery. In the afternoon, appropriate exercises were held in the opera house and a very fine address was given by Rev. Keck.

In the ball game in late afternoon Garner came off victorious over the Ventura team.

We noticed only one hitch in the proceedings of the day. The band was ordered to play in front of the opera house at 2:30 p. m. and the boys were there a few minutes ahead of time. They started to play a piece when a large man came down from the opera house and after ordering them to stop playing, left them standing in the street without any further orders as to when they would be wanted again. The band boys however took it very good-naturedly and waited around until the exercises in the opera house were over and they then favored the people with a few well rendered selections. Miller has a nice little band and under the able leadership of Wm. Gavin, they are serving up a very fine article of music.

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Dennis Conlon Exr. Est. of Nicholas Conlon, Deceased; Dennis or D. M. Conlon et al. Defendants.

Notice to Defendants:

To Dennis Conlon, Exr. Estate of Nicholas Conlon, deceased, Dennis or D. M. Conlon, Theodore L. Ruka, Mrs. Annie Ruka, Thomas Monaghen, Maggie Monaghen, John Conlon, George E. Denton, Nellie Powers, G. H. Richardson, Irving, Mary, Leonard, Grace, Frances and Clara Ruka, Raymond, Frank, Mamie, Alice and Irene Monaghen.

SIR: You are hereby notified that, by virtue of a Special execution issued by the clerk of the District court of Hancock County, in the above entitled cause, to me directed, I have levied upon as your property, the following described Real Estate, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section No. Thirty-five (35) in Township No. Ninety-four (94) North, Range, No. Twenty-four (24) west of the 5th P. M. in Hancock County, Iowa.

And I have advertised the same to be sold on the 5th day of June, A. D., 1909, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the court House in Garner, Hancock county, Iowa.

Witness my official signature this 28th day of April, A. D., 1909.

43-2 JOHN SUURBALLE,
Sheriff of Hancock County, Iowa.

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Mr. Curtis began his newspaper career in Chicago as a reporter in 1882, speedily became a managing editor, resigned to serve as secretary of a government commission sent to South America, and fulfilled his duties so brilliantly there that Secretary James G. Blaine placed him at the head of the new bureau of American republics. He is almost as widely known in South America and Europe as in the United States. At the world's fair in Chicago he was the executive head of the Latin American department. He is a member of almost every learned society in Washington and many in Europe.

Nobody outside The Record-Herald office knows under what flag Mr. Curtis will next be hanging up his hat, but everybody knows that whether it be in Patagonia or Kamchatka, he will find something interesting to write about. Merely to read his daily news-letters is a liberal education. He does his full share toward making The Chicago Record-Herald the best home newspaper in the west.

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JUNKIN IS SCARED

Fears That Mob Will Get and Hang Him.

PROTECTED BY MANY DEPUTIES

Junkin Terrified Hides Face With Hat as Armed Guards Push Him Toward the Court Room.

Centerville, Iowa, May 29.—As John Junkin, the negro on trial for the murder of Clara Rosen, the Ottumwa choir singer, was being conducted from the grand jury room to the criminal court in the Appanoose county court house five hundred men packed the passageway, many of whom made threats.

As he passed between two rows of armed guards, "Here he comes," said one of the men in a low tone of voice, but it was loud enough for Junkin to hear.

The negro stopped and refused to go any further until actually pushed through the crowd by Sheriff Clark. He covered his black face with his hat to shut out the sight of the army of determined men, who, it is believed, would lynch him if left unguarded for a single instant.

Feeling is growing against the negro every minute and in fact it has reached a stage that six deputies have been sleeping in the same room with Junkin never closing their eyes all night long.

The negro is shackled to a steam radiator surrounded by a circle of deputies. They not only fear a mob, but that the prisoner will attempt suicide, for he has declared to them time and again that the law will never hang him.

Junkin realizes that his life would be taken if the slightest opportunity presented itself to the irate citizens of Ottumwa, many of whom are in the city as witnesses and spectators. Residents of Centerville and Appanoose county are also aroused over the murder, especially since they have heard the horrifying details from the lips of witnesses. No one seemed to realize the brutality of it until a description had been given of the girl's body by nearly a dozen witnesses. It has caused such a feeling against Junkin that the jury will be compelled to return a verdict recommending the death penalty in order to prevent a lynching.

POLICE HAVE CAPTURED THREE

Men Out at Midnight to Get Revolvers Which Had Been Hidden.

Omaha, Neb., May 29.—The police of South Omaha have arrested three men suspected of complicity in the Union Pacific train robbery near this city. One of the men had $125 another $98 and the third a smaller sum when arrested.

Children playing in the vicinity of Eighteenth and Q streets in South Omaha found three handkerchiefs cut for masks, three revolvers, flash lights and other paraphernalia, evidently the property of the hold-up men. Detectives were stationed in that vicinity in anticipation of the owners returning for their property. Late at night four men were seen to approach the spot were the stuff had been hidden and three of them were arrested, the fourth making his escape.

Sutherland Has $25,000 Fire.

Sutherland, Iowa, May 29.—Fire early Friday morning destroyed the mammoth grain elevators of the Farmers' Grain and Supply company the Thompson & Christopher structure and the coal house of the farmers' elevators, with a loss of $25,000. Thousands of bushels of grain were consumed. It was with the greatest difficulty the railroad buildings and the rest of the town were saved. The insurance is $12,000. The town is left without an elevator of any kind.

Faces Cell; Would Marry.

Lincoln, Neb., May 29.—Expected to plead guilty to the charge of embezzling $6,000 belonging to the Horn estate, J. H. Stores, alias McCarthy decided while in court, demanding that he be allowed to marry Effie Moline, who accompanied him on his flight from Lincoln. McCarthy fled two months ago. He was tracked to Chicago, Buffalo and Duluth.

TAFT HONORS DEAD

PRESIDENT DELIVERS ORATION ON GETTYSBURG FIELD.

MONUMENT IS DEDICATED

Daughter of the Chief Executive Unveils the Shaft Erected in Memory of Regulars—Lincoln Statue at Hodgenville.

Gettysburg, Pa.—Seldom has the historic Gettysburg battlefield witnessed more impressive Memorial day exercises than those of Monday. The chief feature of the ceremonies was the dedication of the fine monument erected by act of congress to commemorate the services of the regular army of the United States in the Gettysburg campaign of June and July, 1863, and President Taft was the central figure in the day's doings.

The president arrived early in the morning from Pittsburg, and was met by a committee of prominent citizens and an escort of United States regulars. After luncheon a great concourse of people gathered on the battlefield, and the exercises began. Secretary of War Dickinson delivered an address and formally transferred the monument to the Gettysburg National Park commission, the chairman of which, Lieut. Col. John P. Nicholson, made the speech of acceptance.

Unveiled by Miss Taft.

The shaft was then unveiled by Miss Helen Taft, daughter of the president. Laurel wreaths were placed at the base of the monument by the oldest regimental and battery commanders of the Gettysburg campaign, and

the ceremonies ended with a review of the troops on the field by President Taft.

The monument is a beautiful shaft 85 feet high surrounded at the base by a broad granite terrace. It stands on Hancock avenue a short distance south of the high-water mark of the battle of Gettysburg. The monument represents all of the 42 cavalry, artillery, infantry and engineer organizations of the regular army that participated in the campaign. In addition there has been erected a small monument seven feet high for each of the commands at the location it occupied during the battle.

Lincoln Statue Dedicated.

Hodgenville, Ky.—For the second time within a few months this little town was Monday the scene of a notable ceremony. This was the unveiling of the Lincoln memorial statue erected at the birthplace of the martyred president.

Henry Watterson, the famous Louisville journalist, was the chief orator, and was followed by E. J. McDermott, also of Louisville. The statue was then unveiled by Mrs. Ben Hardin Helm. Next came addresses of acceptance by former Appellate Court Justice George Du Relle for the Lincoln monument commission, Gov. Augustus E. Willson for Kentucky, and David Highbaugh Smith for LaRue county.

STRIKE GROWS SERIOUS.

Mails Still Held Up and Food Is Getting Scarce Along the Georgia Railroad.

Atlanta, Ga. — The tension in Georgia railway firemen's strike is increasing with every hours' delay is settling the race question involved. United States mails held up since the beginning of the week, a dozen counties facing demoralization of business and the race issue brought continually into unwholesome prominence, were the factors which spurred the negotiations through hours of discussion.

Various towns in the strike district took inventory of the visible supply of food. Madison reported at least 15 days of plenty in prospect. Washington reported a shortage in yeast and prices rising. There are 11 cars of provisions at Lithonia and ice has been supplied to maintain the perishable portion of their contents.

NINE ARE BURNED TO DEATH

FOUR LOSE LIVES IN FLAMES AT ELDON, IOWA.

Children at School Exercises Ablaze on Stage in Sight of Parents and Friends.

Eldon, Ia. — Fire destroyed the home of Mrs. Lola Shaw and burned to death her father, John Carter, and three of her children.

Mrs. Shaw is employed during the night at a restaurant and left the children with their grandfather. The fire was caused by the overturning of a lighted lamp during a storm.

Central City, Ky. — Five children, who took part in the commencement exercises of Mrs. B. C. Boyd's school in this city were burned fatally; the audience was changed from an applauding group, into a fighting mob and several other children were slightly injured.

Panic was averted by the coolness of the men in the audience, who covered the flaming children with their coats.

Four of the children died later. They are: Selma Clay, aged five years; Dorothy Clay, aged seven years; Nell McGeary, five years; Louise Marshall, eight years. Rena May Miller, aged five years, may recover.

Little Dorothy Clay was the unwitting cause of the catastrophe. The little girls had formed in a circle and had drilled back and forth in their white muslin dresses, the audience gathering enthusiasm as the entertainment progressed.

Then the lights were extinguished and an electric candle in the hand of each child flashed out brilliantly. The aunts, mothers, fathers and playmates in the crowd cheered and applauded so enthusiastically that Dorothy grew frightened and dropped her candle. The flame leaped to the white muslin and in a twinkling five dresses were afire.

INDICT HASKELL AGAIN.

Oklahoma Governor and Five Others Accused of Town Lot Frauds by Grand Jury.

Tulsa, Okla.—New indictments charging fraud in the Muskogee town lot cases were returned Thursday by the United States grand jury against Gov. Charles N. Haskell, F. B. Severs, W. T. Hutchins, C. W. Turner, A. Z. English and W. R. Eaton.

The accused men are charged with obtaining titles from the government to town lots in Muskogee by illegal methods. Bond in each case was fixed at $5,000 and was promptly furnished.

"As a result of four government attorneys and an army of secret men surounding the grand jury and limiting the testimony to just what suited them, indictments have been secured against me," said Gov. Haskell.

Fisheries Commission Meets.

Washington. — The International Commission of Fisheries held a meeting at the state department Friday. It was appointed under the convention between the United States and Great Britain to develop uniform and effective measures for the protection and propagation of the food fishes in the waters contiguous to this country and Canada. President David Starr Jordan represents the United States. The commission has prepared regulations governing closed seasons, the apparatus used in fishing and other provisions to protect the fisheries.

ALASKA-YUKON FAIR OPENED

President Taft Presses Key and Starts Wheels—Seattle Is Wild with Joy.

Seattle, Wash.—At exactly 12:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Seattle time, President Taft in the White House in Washington, pressed a beautiful gold telegraph key, and at the signal that flashed all the way across the country the wheels in every part of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition began to turn and the great fair was opened.

When the auspicious moment arrived every whistle in Seattle was pulled wide open, every other noise-making contrivance was brought into use, every man, woman and child of the city's inhabitants and of the thousands of visitors already here cheered, and the opening of the exposition was accomplished in the midst of a deafening din and general rejoicings. For two minutes every street car stood still and all business was suspended.

Then came the formal and impressive ceremonies in connection with the opening. The parade and speech-making were participated in by all the officers of the exposition, the officials of Seattle, and Gov. W. B. Hoggatt of Alaska, Lieut. Gov. James Dunsmuir of British Columbia, Gov. M. E. Hay of Washington, Gov. J. M. Brady of Idaho, Gov. William Spry of Utah, Gov. F. W. Benson of Oregon and Gov. Gillett of California. In addition to the Pacific coast executives, Gov. Fort of New Jersey was represented by his son, Leslie R. Fort.

BAILEY AND SCRIBE FIGHT.

W. S. Manning of New York Times Hits Texan with Umbrella and Is Choked.

Washington.—Senator Bailey of Texas and W. S. Manning, representative of the New York Times in the senate press gallery, exchanged blows Thursday as a result of a conversation they had in reference to an article printed by the New York newspaper questioning the sincerity of the senator in his course on the income tax.

Neither of the participants was injured, as they were separated by Senator Clapp, Porto Rican Commissioner Larrinaga, several senate employes and newspaper correspondents. The versions of Mr. Bailey and Mr. Manning are in substantial agreement as to the cause of the trouble, and differ only as to the number of blows struck by each. When they were separated Bailey had Manning by the throat.

Arkansas Negro Lynched.

Pine Bluff, Ark. — Lovett Davis, a negro, charged with attempting to commit a criminal assault on a 16-year-old white girl here last Friday night, was taken from the jail in this city by an unmasked mob of 300 men, and hanged to a telegraph pole on one of the principal streets.

Just as the negro was being raised high above the street, the rope broke and the body fell to the ground, but he was immediately raised again and left hanging.

Supreme Court Adjourned.

Washington.—Chief Justice Fuller Monday declared the United States supreme court adjourned for the summer, and most of the justices lost little time in getting away for their vacations. The court suspended the docket a month ago and since then has held three sittings to announce decisons and hear motions.

MANY CITIES FEEL QU

TOWNS IN MIDDLE WEST STATES TREMBLE.

No Loss of Life Reported, but eral Slightly Injured—Som Property Damage.

Chicago.—Reports continued come in Thursday of the earth which shook the middle Wednesday. In this city the t lasted from two seconds to three utes and in cities in Illinois, In Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa and souri it was just as severe.

So far no loss of life has be ported, although there has been property damage and a great d fright. The most severe shocks felt in Chicago and Dubuque, Ia

Following is a list of towns the earthquake was felt: Jane Wis.; Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Sterling Rockford, Ill.; Moline, Ill.; Joliet Streator, Ill.; Dixon, Ill.; Dub Ia.; Burlington, Ia.; Galena, Bloomington, Ill.; Freeport, Ill Paso, Ill.; Fairbury, Ill.; Spring Ill.; Mount Carroll, Ill.; Spring Mich.; Peoria, Ill.; Milwaukee, Madison, Wis.; Kalamazoo, Benton Harbor, Mich.; Aurora, Kewanee, Ill.; Hanibal, Mo.; Wis.; Michigan City, Ind., and Rapids, Mich.

The last previous earthquake recorded in the Chicago weathe reau was on October 31, 1895.

One of the reports at the we bureau came from Dubuque, Ia., it was said that the Bank and ance building, a seven-story stru was nearly thrown to the grou the violence of the shock. C stenographers and hundreds who employed in the various offices panic from the building. Two se disturbances were reported the

In Chicago chimneys were t down on the West and North and several women were thrown their feet as a result of the s Large flat buildings were shake families ran out, fearing the would collapse. Many were rem of the disasters recently in Me and San Francisco, and were in for hours after the shock had pa

Two hundred Italians workin the track elevation in Evanston terror-stricken by the shock an on their knees in prayer.

At the weather bureau Prof. said there were no instruments t cording quake shocks, but that h noticed the swaying of chand and lamp cords.

LORIMER ELECTED SENA

Chicago Man Selected to Su Albert J. Hopkins by Illinoi Legislators.

Springfield, Ill. — Congressman liam Lorimer of the Sixth con sional district was elected U States senator on the ninety-fifth lot taken by the joint session o general assembly. He had 108 v

The election of a junior senat represent Illinois in the upper h at Washington came about throu coalition of Democratic assembl and the anti-Hopkins Republi breaking the deadlock which had ed since January 20.

William Lorimer was born at chester, England, April 27, 1861. he was five years of age he can America with his parents, and lo located in Chicago.

At the age of ten years his f died and he became a sign-pain apprentice and later worked fo Chicago packing houses and fo street railroad company, being a ductor when he quit that vocati work for himself.

He entered the real estate bus in 1886, and later became a me of the firm of Murphy & Lorime the building and brick manufact business.

In 1892 he ran for the offic clerk of the superior court, but defeated. Three years later he came a member of congress served the Sixth Illinois congress district and was again elected fo congressional seat last spring. a decade he has been a leader o Republican party in Illinois.

Islanders Ask Citizenship.

Washington. — A committee Porto Ricans has come to Was ton, representing the Republican of Porto Rico, to urge that the U States government grant citize to the islanders.

It is their intention to see Pre Taft and enlist his sympathies, if sible, as well as those of various tors and representatives, and t congress to take up the Porto R citizenship plank contained in last Republican national platform

Wisconsin Man Is Slain.

Spokane, Wash.—The body of rick Corrigan, a wealthy farmer Custer, Wis., was dragged from Spokane river Wednesday.

His pockets had been turned i out, his gold watch, gold pin and had vanished, as well as $4,00 drafts and $3,000 in mortgage carried when he disappeared Mar

HER INFINITE VARIETY

By BRAND WHITLOCK

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SYNOPSIS.

...r Morley Vernon's visit with his ... was interrupted by a call from ...itical boss at the state capital. ...egretted it, the girl more than he, ... she had arranged to attend a ... that evening with him. She said ...rned for a national office for him. ...non's desk in the senate he found ...rose, accompanied by a plea for ... for women. He met the au... pretty Miss Maria Greene of ..., who proposed to convert him ...ting for house resolution No. 19. ...reene secured Vernon's promise to ...r the suffrage resolution. He also ...f by convincing others. He took ...e to the fair suffragette. Miss ...consulted with the lieutenant-gov... Vernon admitted to himself that ...ragette had stirred a strange feel... ...thin him. He forgot to read his ...'s letter. Vernon made a great ... in favor of suffrage, aided by ... from Miss Greene.

CHAPTER V.—Continued.

...n he had done, there was a ...t's stillness; then came the long ... of applause that rang through ...amber, and while the lieutenant ...or rapped for order, men ...ed around Vernon and wrung his ...as he wiped his forehead with ...ndkerchief. And then the roll ...alled. It had not proceeded far ...there was that subtile change in ...mosphere which is so easily rec... ...d by those who have acquired ...nse of political aeroscepsy; the ...e that betokens some new, un... ...ted and dangerous maneuver. ...wood had come over from the ... His face, framed in its dark ... was stern and serious. He ...ered an instant to Porter, the ... leader. Porter rose.

... President," he said.

... lieutenant governor was looking ...n expectantly.

...e gentleman from Cook," the ...nant governor said.

... President," said Senator Por... ...I move you, sir, that the further ...sion of the resolution be post... ... until Wednesday morning, one ... from to-morrow, and that it be ... a special order immediately fol... ...g the reading of the journal."

... there are no objections it will ...o ordered," said the lieutenant ...nor.

...l Burns shouted a prompt and ...e "Object!"

... the lieutenant governor calmly ...

...d it is so ordered."

...e gavel fell.

CHAPTER VI.

...er the adjournment Vernon ...d out Maria Greene and walked ...her down Capitol avenue toward ...otel. He was prepared to enjoy ...ongratulations, but she was silent ... while, and before they spoke ... "Doc" Ames, striding rapidly, ...caught up with them. He was ...scowling.

... was sorry you didn't finish your ...h as you intended, sir," he said, ... something of the acerbity of a ...each.

...hy," began Vernon, looking at ..."I—"

...ou laid out very broad and com...ensive ground for yourself," the ...an continued, "but unfortunately ...did not cover it. You should have ...loped your subject logically, as I ... hopes, indeed, in the beginning, ... were going to do. An argument ...d on principle would have been ... to the point than an appeal to ...passions. I think Miss Greene will ...e with me. I am sorry you did not ...aint me with your intention of ...ssing the senate on this impor... ... measure; I would very much have ... to confer with you about what ...were going to say. It is not con...plated by those in the reform ...ement that the charms of woman ... be advanced as the reason for ...right to equal suffrage with man. ... purely a matter of cold, abstract ...ce. Now, for instance," the doctor ...his finger in his palm, and began ...speak didactically, "as I have ...ed out to the house, whatever the ...er or the principle that gives to ... his right to make the law what ...rns him, to woman it gives the ...e right. In 37 states the married ...er has no right to her children; ...the wife has no right to her own ...ings; in eight she has no separate ... to her property; in seven—"

Vernon looked at Miss Greene helplessly, but she was nodding her head in acquiescence to each point the doctor laid down in his harsh palm with that long forefinger. Vernon had no chance to speak until they reached the hotel. She was to take the midday train back to Chicago, and Vernon had insisted on going to the station with her. Just as she was about to leave him to go up to her room she said, on a sudden impulse:

"Do you know that the women of America, yes, the people of America, owe you a debt?"

Vernon assumed a most modest attitude.

"If we are successful," she went on, "the advocates of equal suffrage all over the United States will be greatly encouraged; the reform movement

"Did You Ever Live in the Country?"

everywhere will receive a genuine impetus."

"You will be down next Wednesday when the resolution comes up again, won't you?" asked Vernon.

"Indeed, I shall," she said. "Do you have any hopes now?"

"Hopes?" laughed Vernon. "Why, certainly; we'll adopt it. I'll give my whole time to it between now and legislation this session, appropriations and all. I guess that will bring them to time!"

"You're very good," she said. "But I fear Mr. Porter's influence."

"Oh, I'll take care of him. You trust it to me. The women will be voting in this state next year."

"And you shall be their candidate for governor!" she cried, clasping her hands.

Vernon colored; he felt a warm thrill course through him, but he waved the nomination aside with his hand. He was about to say something more, but he could not think of anything quickly enough. While he hesitated, Miss Greene looked at her watch.

"I've missed my train," she said, quietly.

Vernon grew red with confusion.

"I beg a thousand pardons!" he said. "It was all my fault and it was certainly very stupid of me."

"It's of no importance. Where must I go to reserve space on the night train?" said Miss Greene.

Vernon told her, and proffered his services. He was now delighted at the philosophical way in which she accepted the situation—it would have brought the average woman, he reflected, to tears—and then he went on to picture to himself the practical results in improving women's characters that his new measure, as he had already come to regard it, would bring about.

CHAPTER VII.

Maria Greene would not let Vernon attend to her tickets; she said it was a matter of principle with her; but late in the afternoon, when they had had luncheon, and she had got the tickets herself, she did accept his invitation to drive. The afternoon had justified all the morning's promise of a fine spring day, and as they left the edge of the town and turned into the road that stretched away over the low undulations of ground they call hills in Illinois, and lost itself mysteriously in the country far beyond, Miss Greene became enthusiastic.

"Isn't it glorious!" she cried. "And to think that when I left Chicago last night it was still winter!" She shuddered as if she would shake off the memory of the city's ugliness. Her face was flushed and she inhaled the sweet air eagerly.

"To be in the country once more!" she went on.

"Did you ever live in the country?" Vernon asked.

"Once," she said, and then after a grave pause, she added: "A long time ago."

The road they had turned into was as soft and as smooth as velvet now that the spring had released it from the thrall of winter's mud. It led beside a golf links, and the new greens were already dotted with golfers, who played with the zest they had accumulated in the forbidding winter months. They showed their enthusiasm by playing bare-armed, as if already it were the height of summer.

As the buggy rolled noiselessly along, Vernon and Miss Greene were silent; the spell of the spring was on them. To their right rolled the prairies, that never can become mere fields, however much they be tilled or fenced. The brown earth, with its tinge of young green here and there, or its newly plowed clods glistening and steaming in the sun, rolled away like the sea. Far off, standing out black and forbidding against the horizon, they could see the ugly buildings of a coal shaft; behind, above the trees that grew for the city's shade, the convent lifted its tower, and, above all, the gray dome of the State House reared itself dominating the whole scene. The air shimmered in the haze of spring. Birds were chirping in the hedges; now and then a meadow-lark sprang into the air and fled, crying out its strange staccato song as it skimmed the surface of the prairies. Vernon idly snapped the whip as he drove along; neither of them seemed to care to speak. Suddenly they heard a distant, heavy thud. The earth trembled slightly.

"What's that?" said Miss Greene, in some alarm. "It couldn't have been thunder."

"No," said Vernon, "it was the miners, blasting."

"Where?"

"Down in the ground underneath us."

She gave him a strange look which he did not comprehend. Then she turned and glanced quickly at the black breakers of the coal shaft, half a mile away; then at the golf-players.

"Do the mines run under this ground?" she asked, sweeping her hand about and including the links in her gesture.

"Yes, all over here, or rather under here," Vernon said. He was proud of his knowledge of the locality. He thought it argued well that a legislator should be informed on all questions. Maria thought a moment, then she said:

"The golfers above, the miners below."

Vernon looked at her in surprise. The pleasure of the spring had gone out of her eyes.

"Drive on, please," she said.

"There's no danger," said Vernon, reassuringly, clucking at his horse, and the beast flung up its head in a spasmodic burst of speed, as livery-stable horses will. The horse did not have to trot very far to bear them away from the crack of the golf balls and the dull subterranean echoes of the miners' blasts, but Vernon felt that a cloud had floated all at once over this first spring day. The woman sitting there beside him seemed to withdraw herself to an infinite distance.

"You love the country?" he asked, feeling the need of speech.

"Yes," she said, but she went no farther.

"And you once lived there?"

"Yes," she said again, but she vouchsafed no more. Vernon found a deep curiosity springing within him; he longed to know more about this young woman who in all outward ways seemed to be just like the women he knew, and yet was so essentially different from them. But though he tried, he could not move her to speak of her own life or its affairs. At the last he said boldly:

"Tell me, how did you come to be a lawyer?"

Miss Greene turned to meet his inquisitive gaze.

"How did you?" she asked.

Vernon cracked his whip at the road.

"Well—" he stammered. "I don't know. I had to do something."

"So did I," she replied.

Vernon cut the lazy horse with the whip, and the horse jerked the buggy as it made its professional feint at trotting.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

LIKED THE FIGHTING APOSTLE.

Name of St. Peter Appealed to Heart of Soldier.

It is well known that Elias Howe, the inventor of the sewing machine, not only enlisted as a common soldier in the ranks of the Seventeenth Connecticut regiment, carried a musket, and did full military duty during the war, but at a certain juncture, when national finances were at a low ebb, he paid soldiers out of his own pocket. Relative to this incident, P. T. Barnum used to tell this story:

"While Mr. Howe was counting out the money referred to, a stranger, who was a clergyman, entered the tent and said he had heard of Mr. Howe's liberality and had called to ask him to contribute toward building a church for his congregation.

"'Church, church,' said Mr. Howe without looking up from his bills he was counting; 'building churches in war times, when so much is needed to save our country! What church is it?'

"'St. Peter's church,' replied the clergyman.

"'Oh, St. Peter's,' said Mr. Howe, 'well, St. Peter was the only fighting apostle—he cut a man's ear off. I'll go $500 on St. Peter, but I am spending most of my money on saltpeter now.'"

Idea by No Means New.

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As to Dolliver

There may be a contest for Senator Dolliver's seat as the Iowa City Republican and Nevada Representative are saying, but of one thing these esteemed champions of reaction may be assured the issue will not be on his course at the extra session of the senate that is making a tariff. On that issue Iowa would return the senator by a vote that would put the opposition at the tag end of the "scattering."

Senator Dolliver comes nearer to representing Iowa just at this moment than ever in his political career, and never in his career has he been enlisted in a better cause, The whole tariff making is a shameless exhibition of the greed of trusts and special interests, which have pooled to control enough votes to take care of themselves and let the people go hang. Senator Dolliver will not be in any danger from what he is doing in the senate.—Des Moines Tribune

The following is quoted from a recent prosperity speech of a southern congressman:

"Has it ever occurred to you, Mr. Chairman, that the cotton cloth made in South Carolina annually would make a sheet big enough to cover the entire face of America and Europe and lap over on the toes of Asia. Or, if all the cattle she raises each year were one cow, she could browse on the tropical vegetation along the equator while her tail switched icicles off the north pole, and that her milk could float a shipload of her butter and cheese from Charleston to New York. Or, if the mules we market each year, were one mule, it would consume the entire annual corn crop of North Carolina at one meal and kick the spots off the sun without swelling its sides or shaking its tail? Or, if the hogs we raise annually were one hog, that animal would dig the Panama canal in three roots, without grunting, and its squeal would be loud enough to jar the cocoanuts off the trees along the canal zone?"

"It shall be unlawful," says the Profoot act, "for any person under twenty-one years of age, to smoke or use a cigarette or cigarettes on the premises of another, or on any public road, street, alley or park, or other lands used for public purposes, or in any place of business or amusement, except when in the company of his parents or guardian,"

Under the new law, boys under 21 years of age, may be arrested for smoking cigarettes almost any place, except their own homes, unless accompanied by their parents or guardians. The bill was introduced by Senator Proudfoot by request, and the Iowa Anti-Saloon league announces it will see that it is enforced.

Here is an epitaph that is said to be carved on a tombstone in an Indiana cemetery: "Here lies our wife, Samantha Proctor, who ketched a cold and wouldn't doctor. She could not stay; she wished to go; praise God from whom all blessings flow."

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State Savings Bank has a of ad.

Lau shipped a car of Chicago Sunday.

rain, more rest. Lots n Hancock county this

i—One half mile west of , one sack ground oats. of C. C. Schaefer. 44-2

h E. Johnson and son Chicago last Sunday with two cars of fine e of Mr. Johnson's feed-

Lawhorn and Lew Lewis er to the lake yesterday ittle fishing stunt. We find out what kind of took.

upper given by the la- he English M. E. church opera house last Satur- rnoon and evening was ll attended.

J. W. Waterman and R. Waterman and chil turned last Thursday eir visit with Benton riends and relatives.

't seem to be much of an for the weather man to a rain most any old any old day. We had a Monday evening, one on evening and a continu- pour all day yesterday. think of buying a rug y you to look over my ich consists of Wilton Axminsters, Saxony ers, Colonial Velvets sels made in sizes 6 x 9, x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. r rugs G. F. Schuler.

Lilly closed his pastor- e English M. E. church Sunday. We under- at he intends to go on for some oil company. er of the Chicago Uni- will preach in Klemme nday.

ohn Gruetzmacher and s, Esther and Hulda, o Garner yesterday where they boarded bound Milwaukee train na, Iowa. to attend the acher-Schneider w e d- ntion of which is made erman M. E. church col- he groom, Geo. Gruetz- is one of our popular men, well known to all rs. The Times extends ations to Mr. and Mrs cher and wishes them

A Thrilling Rescue

t R. Lean, of Cheny, Wash. from a frightful death is a ural the world. "A hard rites, "brought on a des- trouble that baffled an ex- here. Then I paid $10 to to a lung specialist in to did not help me. Then California, but without last I used Dr. King's overy, which completely and now I am as well as lung trouble, bronchitis, colds, asthma, croup and ough its supreme, 50c and l bottle free. Guaranteed ast & Co.

Another nice shower Monday evening.

Read the new ad of State Savings Bank.

The city council met in regular session last evening.

Want to buy a few good tomato plants. A. C. Flint.

A pleasant social dance was held in the opera house Monday evening.

Attorney J. E. Wichman and W. L. Fitkin were here from Garner last Friday.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

W. R. Bloom shipped a car of fat porkers to the Chicago market last Sunday and one car yesterday.

G. A. Pabst & Co., Arthur Wellemeyer and A. Kirkwood & Son have changes of ad this week. Don't fail to read them.

The Klemme school closed last Friday for the summer vacation. The last day was spent in feasting and recreation and the scholars all had the time of their lives.

Miss Avis Sage, who has been visiting here the past month at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. C. Flint, (and incidentally making the type fly in the Times office) leaves today for Britt, to take a position on the Tribune,

A representative of the Chicago Lyceum Bureau was in Klemme yesterday to contract for a lecture course for the coming season. Enough season tickets have already been sold to make it a sure go, but the more they can sell, the better talent they can secure. If you haven't already signed up for season tickets, better do it now. More about this next week.

There are going to be some names cut off of our single list very soon unless back subscriptions are settled up. We can't afford to buy paper and pay postage and wrap up these papers each week in the year without being paid for it. Those living outside of the county who are behind had better pay up if they wish to continue to get the paper.

The Rock Island Lines, in connection with their Colorado train service, will add telegraphic baseball score service to other special features on the Rocky Mountain Limited and their new one night train, "The Mountaineer." In thus taking the initiative among western lines in appealing to the lovers of the national game, the Rock Island deserves commendation. The plan contemplates showing final scores, as early as obtainable, of games in the National, American and Western leagues, together with such data coucerning the game as will be of interest. This feature will also be a part of the service on the Golden State Limited, and, on and after June 6th, when it becomes effective, Rock Island patrons en route to Colorado or California need not be out of constant touch with the baseball situation.

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For a chunk of good cold ice call at Bloom's elevator or on G. R. Waterman. 44tf

Klemme is putting on lots of style these days in the way of brand new cement walks. Harv Allen and force are putting a walk along the front of the Terhufen Bros store and Dr. Missman's office, and Mr. Luken of Goodell is putting in the walks in front of the hotel. A large amount of this kind of work is contracted for and will be put in as soon as the workmen can get to it.

Noteworthy Improvements

Ernest Lenz has carpenters at work completing the porches on his fine new residence in South Klemme. When these porches are on, the house painted and the cement walks laid, Mr. Lenz will have one of the finest residence properties in town.

Wm. Fuller is making some substantial improvements on his fine farm joining the town on the south, in the way of a new barn, size 32x44 feet, the frame of which was ready to raise yesterday. There is a seven foot basement under the whole building, with a solid concrete wall running clear to the bottom of the basement. Steve Day and his husky force of carpenters have charge of the job.

Klemme Wins Again

One of the most hotly contested ball games that was ever played in Klemme (and that's saying something) was the one last Monday between Goodell and Klemme which was won by our boys by a score of 6 to 7, but it took ten innings to decide the contest. Frank Kluckhohn and Charley Ell officiated as battery for the winners, with Earl Clark and Leo Ahrenkiel in the points for Goodell. Klemme bunched hits off Clark in the first inning, scoring five runs, but after that he pitched a tight game. Kluckhohn's support was a little ragged at times, as some of the boys have had no practice this year. However, a good big crowd turned out and all report it a very exciting and highly satisfactory game.

TWIN LAKE

Special Correspondence:

A number of Twin Lake folks celebrated in Garner Monday.

Miss Anna Willert of Woden visited at the J. G. Tanner home last week.

Miss Daisy Schuldt helped with the sewing at John Tanner's last week.

The Union Sunday school of southern Twin Lake will give a Childrens' Day program Sunday, June 13.

Mr. Manuel of Britt has been through this part of the country talking "silos." Some of our farmers talk of purchasing.

Corn planting is about finished around here, and (considering the weeds) the late rains are doing the fields a "sight" of good.

German M. E. Church Items

Crops are growing fine and the farmers are wearing a broader smile than weeks ago.

As the pastor will be absent Sunday, Rev. Schlung will fill all of his appointments.

William Sampson was a Germantown visitor and attended services there last Sunday.

Mrs. Weiland and daughter, Gertrude, visited her brother, T. Blatk and family last week.

The Germantown W. F. M. S. and "Standard Bearers" met with Mrs. H. L. Suckow Tuesday afternoon.

Etna Suckow, who is working in Garner called on her parents Sunday and attended the evening service.

August Wenz attended the funeral of Edgar Henke in Charles City last Friday, returning Saturday morning.

The Klemme "Standard Bearer Society" will meet Friday evening with Amanda Arnold and Mary Griffen.

Adolf Ridder and family came down from Fenton last Thursday to spend a week or more at the parental home of Mrs. Ridder.

August and Adolf Ridder made a trip to Floyd county last week to look after the graves of their parents. They returned by the way of Waterloo.

Mrs. Kaste, Mrs. Chas. Gruetzmacher and daughter Geneve of Charles City were over Sunday visitors among their Klemme friends and relatives.

Childrens' Day will be observed in both Sunday schools June 13. Germantown will give a program in the forenoon and the Klemme school in the evening.

J. J. Stille lost a valuable horse last week in a runaway. Our farmers must be grooming their horses too well as there has been so many escapades this spring.

Walter Weisbrod of Fenton was a caller in our community the first of the week. There seems to be an unusual attraction here for the Weisbrods. We wonder?

The program given by the young men's class last Sunday evening was well received and highly commended. Tho' it cost some effort and a few drops of perspiration it was appreciated all the more.

Geo. Gruetzmacher and Matilda Schneider were joined in marriage at the bride's home near Monona, Iowa, Wednesday evening. Those who attended from here were Rev. Wesel, Mrs. J. Gruetzmacher and daughters, Hulda and Esther.

Several Klemmeites indulged in a fox hunt. They started out with ropes, chains, spades and shovels, a box and a corn crib. It meant sure capture to Mr. Fox. The party consisted of two preachers, a piano tuner, mayor, justice of the peace, farmer and a school boy. When the foxy family spied this dignified company they moved out to other quarters and the hunt had to be postponed.

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Logical Reasoning.

A certain young man's friends thought he was dead, but he was only in a state of coma. When, in ample time to avoid being buried, he showed signs of life, he was asked how it seemed to be dead.

"Dead?" he exclaimed. "I wasn't dead. I knew all that was going on. And I knew I wasn't dead, too, because my feet were cold and I was hungry."

"But how did that fact make you think you were still alive?" asked one of the curious.

"Well, this way: I knew that if I were in heaven I wouldn't be hungry. And if I was in the other place my feet wouldn't be cold."

Mutual Surprise.

A mission worker in New Orleans was visiting a reformatory near that city not long ago when she observed among the inmates an old acquaintance, a negro lad long thought to be a model of integrity. "Jim!" exclaimed the mission worker. "Is it possible I find you here?" "Yassum," blithely responded the backslider. "I's charged with stealin' a barrel o' sweet pertaters." The visitor sighed. "You, Jim!" she repeated. "I am surprised!" "Yassum," said Jim. "So was I or I wouldn't be here!"

The Captain's Repartee.

The captain of a trans-Atlantic liner, having become irritable as a result of some minor troubles in the ship's management and the unusually large number of ridiculous inquiries made by tourists, was heading for the "bridge" when a dapper young man halted him to inquire the cause of the commotion off the starboard side of the ship. Being on the port side, the captain politely replied, with some sarcasm, he was not certain, but thought it possible that a cat fish had just had kittens.—What-to-Eat.

Home-Made Names.

"That little girl," remarked the druggist to the doctor, "was just in for ten cents worth of tincture of benzine. But I've had it before and gave her benzoin."

"That was easy," answered the doctor. "This morning on a diphtheria case the woman wanted to know if I administered antitoxin with an epidemic syringe."

OVER THE FENCE

Neighbor Says Something.

The front yard fence is a famous council place on pleasant days. Maybe to chat with some one along the street, or for friendly gossip with next door neighbor. Sometimes it is only small talk but other times neighbor has something really good to offer.

An old resident of Baird, Texas, got some mighty good advice this way once.

He says:

"Drinking coffee left me nearly dead with dyspepsia, kidney disease and bowel trouble, with constant pains in my stomach, back and side, and so weak I could scarcely walk.

"One day I was chatting with one of my neighbors about my trouble and told her I believed coffee hurt me. Neighbor said she knew lots of people to whom coffee was poison and she pleaded with me to quit it and give Postum a trial. I did not take her advice right away but tried a change of climate, which did not do me any good. Then I dropped coffee and took up Postum.

"My improvement began immediately and I got better every day I used Postum.

"My bowels became regular in two weeks, all my pains were gone. Now I am well and strong and can eat anything I want to without distress. All of this is due to my having quit coffee, and to the use of Postum regularly.

"My son who was troubled with indigestion thought that if Postum helped me so, it might help him. It did, too, and he is now well and strong again.

"We like Postum as well as we ever liked the coffee and use it altogether in my family in place of coffee and all keep well." "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville," in Pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

IOWANS ARE NAMED

Delegates are Named to Attend Denver Congress

PRESIDENT TAFT WILL ATTEND

Governor Carroll Selects Sixteen Iowans to Boost Middle West at Meeting With Taft.

Des Moines, Iowa May 29.—Sixteen Iowans have been named by Governor B. F. Carroll to represent the state at the Trans-Mississippi congress at Denver, August 16-21. This is the big booster meeting which President W. H. Taft will attend. Three Des Moines men are named, Lafayette Young, Jerry B. Sullivan and Henry Wallace. The delegates as chosen are as follows:

James A. Dunn, Bloomfield; Austin Haines, Grinnell; LaMonte Cowles, Burlington; D. J. Lenehan, Dubuque; B. P. Birdsall, Clarion; E. C. Roach, Rock Rapids; J. M. Anderson, Indianola; Robert Healy, Fort Dodge; Lafe Young, Des Moines; Frank Simmons, Ottumwa; James A. Smith, Osage; Freeman Conaway, Ames; Jerry Sullivan, Des Moines; Dan Hamilton, Sigourney; Walter I. Smith, Council Bluffs; Henry Wallace, Des Moines.

The governor today named the following delegates to the third international conference on state and local taxation at Louisville, Sept. 21-24:

Delegates—Senator J. H. Jackson, Sioux City; Senator A. C. Savage, Adair; Hon. Charles McLean, Dubuque.

Alternates—F. G. Pierce, Marshalltown; F. T. True, Council Bluffs; Karl Johnson, Osage.

For Big Encampments.

Adjutant General Guy E. Logan is making preparations for the most complete series of Iowa National Guard encampments in the history of the organization. Three troops of United States cavalry have been asked and two companies of field artillery from Fort Leavenworth. In addition, General Logan has asked for four umpires and four instructors and it is expected to pull off a series of maneuvers that will give the guardsmen an insight into real army life.

The Fifty-third meets at Independence July 21-30. The Fifty-fourth at Iowa City, August 23 to September 1. The Fifty-fifth meets at Chariton August 5 to 14. The place of holding the Fifty-sixth has not been decided, but the date will be August 13 to 27.

Cottages for Sanitarium.

Plans have been completed by Architect Liebbe of the state board of control for thirteen new cottages, a kitchen cottage and a large brick veneer dormitory for employes at the state tuberculosis sanatorium at Oakdale, near Iowa City.

Each cottage will contain one large living room with writing tables, easy chairs and reading tables, lavatories and toilet facilities and a large veranda around three sides. The cots will be placed on this veranda. Each cottage will cost about $1,500. The kitchen cottage will be for the use of those who are unable to walk from one of the other cottages to the main dining hall. It will be connected by covered passage with two other cottages and the three buildings will cost about $5,000.

Plans for the employes' dormitory show a large and handsome brick building, fitted with every sanitary convenience and comfort for the nurses and doctors. The building will cost $20,000.

Sixty Per Cent Land Valuations.

That Iowa farms have been assessed at less than sixty per cent of the sale value is certain from the figures which are being returned to the secretary of the executive council by county auditors. In a number of cases, farms have been assessed at only a third of their sale value and practically none at their full value. Reports from practically all the counties thus far received, show that the average price of an acre of Iowa land is not far from $100.

No More Psychology Needed.

Psychology is one branch in which Iowa teachers will not be examined when the state board of educational examiners presides over their examination papers in May. State Superintendent Riggs has sent out a circular recalling the examination in psychology which had been announced. The recent legislature cut out psychology as one of the necessities of a teacher's education.

New Iowa Corporations.

People's Gas company, Anamosa; capital, $35,000. E. K. Ray and C. L. Niles, incorporators.

Currie Realty company, Mason City; capital, $30,000 C. Currie and F. R. Currie, incorporators.

State Inspectors After Them.

Inspectors Morey and Hiff of the state dairy commission are conducting a crusade against milk dealers who either adulterate milk by diluting it with water or by skimming it before it leaves the dairy. After two weeks' activities the inspectors declare that hundreds of families are being supplied with the adulterated fluid.

During the two weeks seven dairymen have pleaded guilty to charges of milk adulteration and have paid fines of $25. Three more cases are pending and another information has been filed.

Two ice cream manufacturers pleaded guilty to selling adulterated ice cream and were assessed the $25 fine. The inspection of milk and ice cream will continue during the summer months, the inspectors declare.

Would Get Rich Lands.

Attorney General H. W. Byers is in St. Paul where he is seeking to convince the United States circuit court that Iowa owns several hundred acres of valuable land in the heart of Omaha. When the Missouri river changed its channel in 1878 a neck of land was left high and dry and the state of Iowa claimed it as an abandoned river bed. The Omaha Land company platted it and it is choice business property. Long ago the state authorized the sale of the land. Now both the state and the purchasers have submitted appeals which will be decided Wednesday. Mr. Byers' contention will be that the Omaha Land company did not make the improvements in good faith, but sought to clinch the title.

Electricity for Capitol.

Members of the state executive council have asked for an estimate of the cost of wiring all gas chandeliers in the state house for electric lamps and substituting electricity for gas in all offices. When the state house lighting plant was built electric lamps and electroliers were placed in the halls, rotunda, legislative chambers and several basement offices but the large offices on the main floor still use gas for illuminating, artificial light being necessary much of the time in several offices. If the plan of Secretary of State Hayward and Treasurer Morrow is adopted the handsome gas chandeliers will be wired and converted into electroliers.

Red Book Completed Soon.

The official Red Book of Iowa, published under the direction of Secretary of State Hayward, will be completed about June 15, so Captain Guy Brewer, editor-in-chief, believes. The Red Book will excel in many ways any previous volume of this sort. Captain Brewer has the names of all the legislators together with pictures of the leading state officials, so that the book will be a handy reference work.

Iowa Corn Crop is Planted.

Seventy-five per cent of Iowa corn has been planted and most of that is up. Cultivation has already begun in a few localities and the fields are generally reported as being in good condition. The warm weather of the past week has made the farmer smile. This is the summary of the crop bulletin issued by the Iowa weather and crop service, under the direction of Dr. George M. Chappel.

Milk Seller Is Arrested.

Another arrest was made in the pure milk crusade which State Pure Food and Dairy Commissioner H. R. Wright is conducting. Information accusing Tyler Bros. of selling milk not up to standard was filed. The accused are dairymen and it is charged that they have been furnishing milk below standard to patrons and grocers.

Iowa to be Represented.

Stat Mine Inspector Rhys has been selected to represent Iowa at the National Mine Inspector meeting at Scranton, Pa., June 8, 9 and 10. The executive council will pay the expenses. This is the new organization which formed last year.

Want Pay Day Saturday.

The last day of the month is pay day, but this year it falls on Monday, which will be a holiday at the State house. Employes are considering asking the executive council for the issuance of their money on May 29, two days before it is strictly due.

Special Guns for Shoot.

Lieutenant Mohr has returned from Rock Island, where he has been making arrangements for the use of guns for the big Iowa National Guard shoot in this city this summer. Guns that are perfectly accurate will be provided.

Supreme Court Decisions.

Stewart Lumber company, appellant, vs. Fred Downs, Sophia Downs,

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Many people who are otherwise healthy suffer from indigestion, or dyspepsia. When you consider that the stomach and allied digestive organs are the most important organs of the body, it would seem that a disorder there is to be taken very seriously.

Dyspeptics cannot eat the things they like; food sours in the stomach, then chronic constipation begins, or, as is often the case, you have been constipated all along, and the stools are forced and irregular.

But there is no use letting indigestion run until it becomes chronic and undermines your health. It is good advice to suggest to you that you go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the wonderful cure for stomach, liver and bowel troubles. That is what C. Fowler, of Carson City, Mich., said and he is well to-day. Others who did the same and are cured are Ida A. Forbune, of Grand Junction, Tenn., B. F. Thompson, of Shenandoah, Ia., who actually considers that it saved his life. You can obtain a 50-cent or $1 bottle of the druggist, and, taken according to directions, it will probably be all you need. It is a liquid, acts gently, never gripes, and besides the laxative effect, contains exceptional tonic properties which tone the stomach, and that is what is especially needed in indigestion.

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Attorney's Hope To Get Junkin Lift Sentence.

TRIAL OF NEGRO IS NOW ON

Big Rock Used by Junkin to Beat Girl's Head to Pulp Viewed by Jury—Her Brother Tells of Murder.

Centerville, Iowa, May 28.—"We haven't got much evidence. We do not claim that Junkin is innocent of this murder, nor do we admit that he is guilty. We will not ask the jury to set him free, but will fight for a life sentence."

Thus declared Attorney Frank M. Hunter of Ottumwa, counsel for John Junkin, the negro on trial for the murder of Clara Rosen, in his opening statement to the jury.

Mr. Hunter has taken up the defense in place of Judge Mitchell, who is confined in his room at the Continental hotel with a severe attack of biliousness.

Continuing his statement he said: "It won't do any good to send this man to the gallows, because he would not suffer any more pain than one of the animals on your farms. He does not know how to suffer."

All during the opening address of Mr. Hunter he intimated that he was thoroughly in sympathy with the prosecution and that he was only defending Junkin because it was a professional duty.

Hunter pictured the bloody murder in graphic terms and lauded the dead girl and her family in the most eloquent language. He conducted no cross-examination of the state's witnesses, he did not ask for their exclusion from the room and agreed with County Attorney Cornell that all the bloody clothing of the murdered girl be taken to the jury room without identification. He severely scored Junkin as a negro who was born in crime, lived in crime and was educated in crime; who knew not the difference between right and wrong, and who would not suffer in the least even if the death penalty was inflicted. He wanted the negro sent to the penitentiary for life.

Daily drills and meetings are being held by Company E, Fifty-fourth regiment of the Iowa State militia in this city. It is said they are preparing for any demonstration that may be made against John Junkin, the negro on trial for the murder of Clara Rosen, as reports are received by the officials daily of the organizing of a lynching party. They are now ready to be called out at a moment's notice, but it is doubtful if they will be needed, because Junkin is confined in the Appanoose county court house, in the grand jury room under guard of six deputies, who sleep and eat with him. They are never out of his sight.

Wakes When Fire Blisters Feet.

Creston.—When the flames which were destroying his home burned the foot of his bed and blistered his feet, Clarence Gee, a barber, suddenly awakened, leaped through a closed window beside his bed and was badly cut by the broken glass. He ran to the home of a neighbor and all he could say was: "I am bleeding to death." After the friend had started to take him to a physician Gee told the friend that his house was on fire and an alarm was turned in. The house was entirely destroyed. Gee was alone in the house when the fire started, it is thought, from an explosion of the gas stove.

Shoots Self.

Northwood.—C. F. Jewett, a pioneer resident of Worth county, a wealthy farmer and former state senator, committed suicide by shooting himself. He went out into the yard in front of his house and fired the shot. He was breathing when those nearest reached him, but dead when the doctor arrived. No cause for the act can be assigned. Senator Jewett was one of the most prominent men in northern Iowa and although of advanced years had always been in apparently good health. He was representative from this district several terms and senator one term.

Episcopal Diocese Next Year.

Dubuque.—Des Moines was selected as the place of meeting next year by the convention of the Episcopal Diocese held here. George F. Henry of Des Moines was re-elected chancellor; A. E. Boss of Muscatine registrar and Rev. R. H. Bell of Des Moines dean.

Carrier Fatally Injured.

Charles City.—J. W. Adams, a rural free delivery carrier, was run over by a passenger train at Ionia and fatally injured. He rode about two blocks from the station and in some manner fell under the wheels.

SHOOTS WIFE, BABE AND SELF

Affectionately Kisses Wife and Child Then Empties Gun at Them.

Iowa City.—After affectionately hugging and kissing his wife and baby boy, Levi Hill asked them to take a little walk with him from the farm house near Tiffin Wednesday afternoon. Within sight of the home he turned and emptied his revolver into the wife and the babe in her arms. He walked to the railroad track, sat down and turned the revolver to his forehead. The three are in the University hospital here. The babe is fatally shot, but the father and mother may live.

Hill had been separated from his wife for a year. He left Iowa City for Tiffin, went to the former home, a mile north, and greeted his wife and boy, as though there had been no trouble. It is believed jealousy over the attentions paid his wife by a neighbor named Pleasant caused the insane act.

Delbert, the baby boy was in the arms of the woman when Hill fired his revolver. The first shot was aimed at the head of the child, but Mrs. Hill swung the infant around and the bullet entered her side.

Two Good Experimental Farms.

Clear Lake.—Twelve acres of land was set apart at the county farm, near here, this spring as an experimental station for corn growing, and and J. D. Hill, of Ames, is here to take care of the crop. The field is laid off in sections. Different spots here and there are selected where a place is planted eight hills square, which is to test the character of the ground. At another place four rows are planted across the field with from one to five kernels in each hill. Another four rows are planted with three kernels in each hill. Another portion of the field is planted from seed selected by three different farmers, who offer ears each from which the seed is taken. In this way a variety of tests will be made which will be studied at the coming fall corn juding contest.

Timber Wolf Downs Man.

Ralston.—John Nicholson of this place narrowly escaped death at the fangs of a big timber wolf during a wolf hunt south of Ralston Tuesday The brute had been shot, and turned on his pursuers, leaping upon Nicholson and bearing him to the earth, where he was about to rend him, when a companion of Nicholson, who had dropped his gun, threw his raincoat over the wolf's head and prevented the beast's fangs fastening on the throat of Nicholson. Later the

Tramps Keep Police Busy.

Webster City.—Webster City is fairly infested with tramps. A large colony of them are encamped in the woods in the northern part of the city. Many depredations are being committed about the city and nightly the police answer a number of calls from homes whose occupants have been frightened by some man on the premises. Not a few arrests have been made, but thus far none of the fellows guilty of the more serious crimes have been apprehended.

Found Dead on Tracks.

Shenandoah.—Harry Wheeler, son of T. A. Wheeler, a liveryman at Mt. Ayr, was found dead on the tracks here Tuesday morning. It is supposed that he fell from a train that was running between Council Bluffs and St. Joseph. Mystery, however, surrounds the tragedy. He was about 20 years of age and no one knew what he was doing on the train or where he was going.

Charged With Murder.

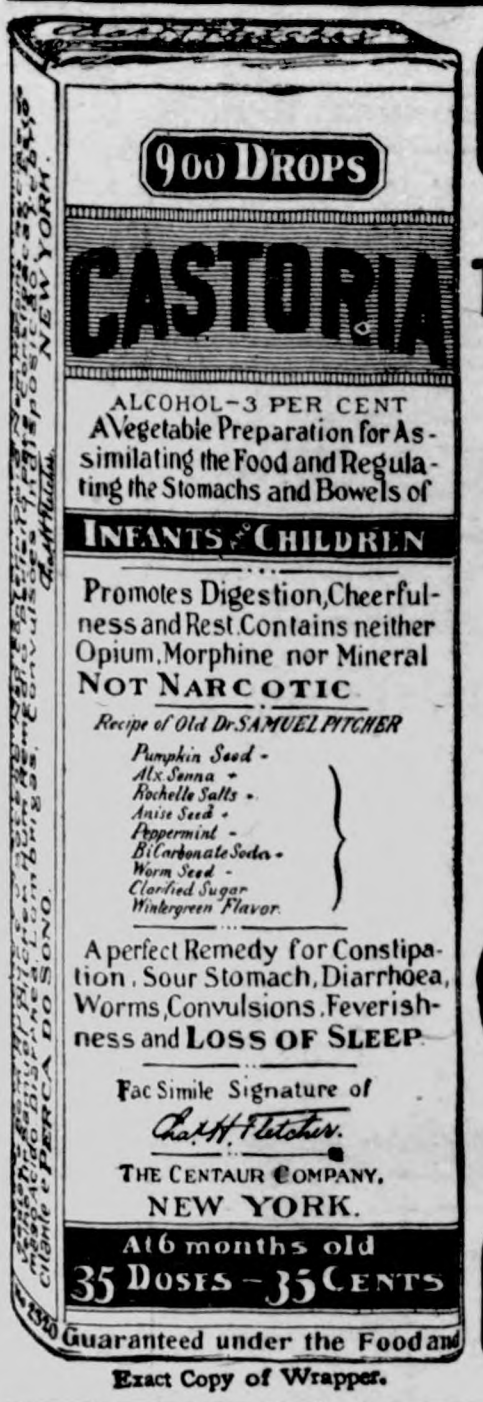
Council Bluffs.—T. F. McCaffery, sheriff, Tuesday filed an information in the court of J. K. Cooper, justice of the peace, against Ben Sloan and Jack Payett, charging murder in the first degree. Sloan and Payett are the two men who were with James Wallace, the man who was thrown from a Northwestern train Saturday night, and whose mangled body was found on the tracks.

Ensign to Woodbine.

Woodbine.—Prof. Forest C. Ensign of the State University of Iowa has been secured to deliver the address at the graduating exercises of the Woodbine Normal school, Friday evening, June 18. Rev. Mr. B. F. Hall will deliver the baccalaureate sermon, Sunday evening June 13, at the Christian church of Woodbine.

Run Over by Train.

Webster City.—Sam Zitteral an iron moulder of this city, brother of W. J. Zitteral, the largest contractor here, who is well known over the state, met death under the wheels of a Northwestern freight train between eleven and twelve o'clock Monday night.



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Continual Doubt.

"How many children have you?" said the tourist, affably.

"I dunno exactly," answered the tired-looking woman.

"You don't know?"

"Not for certain. Willie's gone fishin', Tommy's breakin' in a colt, Georgie's borrowed his father's shotgun to go hunting' an' Esmeralda Ann is thinkin' of elopin'. I never know how many I've got till supper time comes, so's I can count 'em."

Household Hint.

"Do you know how to use a chafing dish?"

"Yes," answered Mr. Sirius Barker. "I have some novel ideas on the subject."

"What are they?"

"The best way I know of to use a chafing dish is to punch a hole in the bottom of it, paint it green and plant flowers in it."—Washington Star.

Women to Fight Tuberculosis.

One million women, representing cities, towns, villages and isolated rural settlements in every section of the country, are to-day enlisted in a campaign against tuberculosis, according to a statement issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. In legislatures, in congress at Washington, in society gatherings, in churches and clubs, through speaking and writing—in every possible way, the women of the country are persistently fighting consumption.

With an organization established in every state of the country, under the direction of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and with associated clubs in Alaska, the Hawaiian islands, Porto Rico and the canal zone, the women of the country have entered a systematic crusade to carry the message of the prevention and cure of tuberculosis into every American home.

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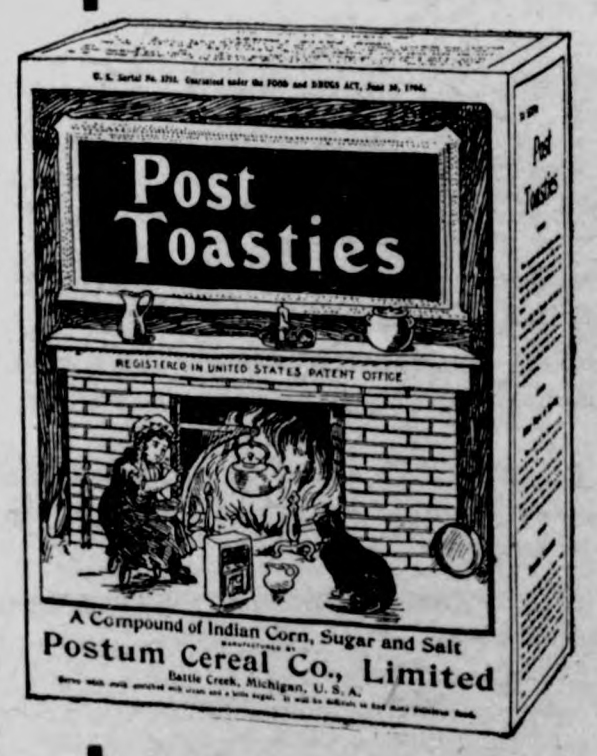

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WHAT WORRIED WIFE

MR. SPRIGGSWORTH WAS ALTOGETHER TOO HEALTHY.

His Affectionate Better Half Had Somewhat Peculiar Reasons for Wanting Doctor to Look Him Over at Once.

"Doctor," said Mrs. Spriggsworth, "I wish you would come and see my husband as soon as you can do so conveniently. I've been urging him to call on you at your office, but I just can't get him started. I'm awfully worried about him."

"I will try to stop and see him this afternoon. Is he in bed?"

"Oh, no. No, he's not in bed, and perhaps you better come in the evening or early in the morning, because you won't find him at home in the afternoon."

"Very well, I'll come to-night. What seems to be the trouble? Has he caught a bad cold?"

"No, he hasn't any more of a cold than it is common for most people to have at this time of the year. I really don't know what is the matter with him. I think you ought to give him a thorough examination."

"I'm sorry to hear that his health is not good. I thought when I saw him a few days ago that he was looking remarkably well. When did you begin to notice that he was not feeling right?"

"Why, he claims that there is nothing the matter with him, but, of course, there must be."

"Does he appear to be bothered by indigestion?"

"No, he has always been very free from anything of that kind. You see, he manages to get a good deal of outdoor exercise."

"That's good. A man who takes plenty of outdoor exercise really ought to have little use for a doctor. Perhaps the trouble is with his eyes. Does he complain of having headaches?"

"No, he never has them at all."

"Well, does he seem to be run down physically!"

"Not noticeably so."

"Is he unusually nervous or irritable?"

"Oh, no, not at all. Really, do you know, I sometimes believe he can't have a nerve in his body. He is always so placid. Nothing ever seems to disturb him in the least."

"A very curious case, indeed. What has caused you to think I ought to examine him?"

"Why, he hasn't been in bed a day or taken a drop of medicine for about fifteen years, and I can't get it out of my head that he ought to see a doctor before he gets down sick. It may be that an operation of some kind now would save him an awfully hard time later on."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Seeing Boston.

A rural gentleman engaged an amateur guide to conduct him around Boston on a sightseeing trip. On their way to the statehouse the pair passed through the Public garden. The farmer seemed greatly impressed with the statue "Commemorating the discovery that the inhaling of ether causes insensibility to pain."

A few minutes later they reached the statehouse grounds. Again the farmer's attention was attracted by a statue. It was a statue of Maj. Gen. Nathaniel P. Banks, and had been set up but not yet unveiled. The figure of the general had been heavily padded, and wrapped with muslin to protect it during shipment, and as yet the padding had not been removed.

Gazing at the beswathed figure, the farmer exclaimed: "Wall, I swan! What be that?"

"That," said the guide looking in vain for an inscription to enlighten him, "that is"—he scratched his head —"that is to commemorate the discovery of the benefit of the plaster-cast."

One on the Workman.

When Tommy was taking papa his dinner he stopped for a moment to watch a workman emptying a sewer.

"That," remarked Tommy interestedly, "is the grate my brother lost a shilling down."

The workman's eyes lit up.

"Well, young man," he said, with a show of carelessness, "you'd better get forward with that dinner before it's cold."

In about half an hour Tommy returned, to find the man still at the same grate.

"Are you quite sure it was this grate the shilling was lost in?" said the workman.

"I am certain," replied Tommy, "because I saw my father get it out."—Tit-Bits.

His Worst Battles.

"General, in your military career, which did you find the most trying one of your engagements?"

"The one I made to get married."—Baltimore American.

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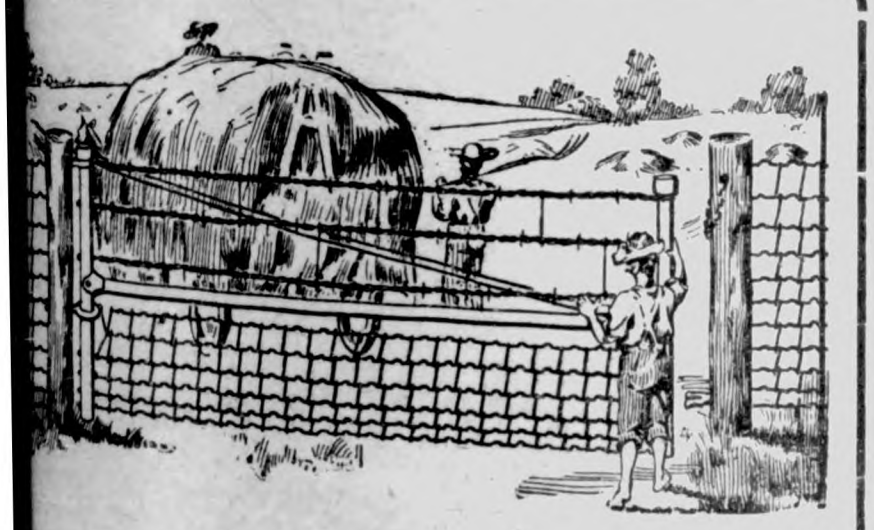

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Hits Belmond Vicinity Sunday Afternoon.---- Much Water Fell.

OTHER TWIN LAKE NEWS

Special to the Times:

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Christie and F. Tanner and wife visited at the James Thayer home, about three miles northwest of Belmond, Sunday, and all enjoyed (?) a veritable down-pour and hailstorm which lasted about two hours. About four o'clock the storm came with first a gentle rain, then the hail which lasted about twenty minutes. The ground was nearly white when it was over, although it is tho't that no great damage was done to the grain. Plenty of fields were under water and grades were washed out in some places south of the Wright County line.

Having FINE weather here. Do you believe it?

Miss Lizzie Martin, of Jefferson, Oklahoma, visited last week with friends here.

Walter Schaper is helping Albert Tanner with the farm work while J. G. is land-seeking in the south. We wonder if he has found a dry country?

Wouldn't this clipping from the Northwestern Agriculturist express our editor's sentiments pretty well?

SONG OF A PRINTER

This is the season for plantin' seed, anh 'tis also the printer's time of need. Sow radish seed and lettuce too, and pay the printer whatever is due. Go build yourself an onion bed and remember the printer must be fed. Sow several rows of early peas, and pay for your last year's paper, please. Dig up the earth 'round each strawberry vine and if you want our paper drop us a line. Plant some potatoes to put in hash and remember the printer is short of cash. Fix up a hill or so of beans, and with the editor divide your means. Of water-melons you'll need a patch—the editor's pants needs one to match. Pay up your subscription; plant your corn, and you'll raise a big crop as sure as you're born.—Byron Williams.

Women Who Are Envied

Those attractive women who are lovely in face, form and temper are the envy of many, who might be like them. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation or kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. For all such Electric Bitters work wonders. They regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth velvety skin, lovely complexion. Many charming women owe their health and beauty to them. 50c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition Opens

When President Taft pressed the golden telegraph key which threw open to the public the gates of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition in Seattle, he presented to the world a most unusual exhibit.

This Exposition of the Northwest is in many ways different from others which have preceded it. When the Exposition opened, everything was in readiness. There was the absence of buildings in various stages of completion; the grounds were not torn up in confusion; the exhibits were in place and the atmosphere was one of completeness and beauty. The marvelous development and untold resources of the Northwest, the interesting curios and products of the Orient and a thousand and one other dazzling surprises, combine with the remarkable surroundings to make the scene one never to be forgotten.

The Exposition will prove the Mecca of thousands of tourists from all sections of the country. Particularly is this true because of the vacation opportunity it presents in connection with a visit to Colorado and Yellowstone Park. Colorado, long known as the Nation's playground, is constantly increasing in popularity. Each year brings greater numbers to enjoy its myriad delights. With an opportunity to make a visit to the Exposition the climax of an inexpensive tour, enabling one to sojourn at Colorado's resorts, thousands will be impelled to go.

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Special Correspondence:

Mrs. Baack is entertaining a niece from Woden.

Miss Florence Grove spent Sunday at Hod Lawhorn's.

Herman Barz and wife visited with Fred Barz and wife Sunday.

A large crowd attended the dance at Wessels' Saturday evening.

Charley Kuskie came from Nebraska Sunday for a visit with his parents.

Lew Lewis of Klemme, and Hod Lawhorn were at the lake fishing several days last week.

Something to Laugh At

Next to a kiss a laugh is the most popular thing in the world. The supply of kisses is limited, being largely controlled by a fair but capricious trust. The supply of laughs, however, is practically unlimited so long as you don't get too grumpy to look for them. One reason for the remarkable success of the Chicago Record-Herald is its daily recognition of the value of wholesome fun. The "Alternating Currents" column of S. E. Kiser, the humorist and poet, is one of the brightest things in American journalism. There is always a smile or a good laugh in Ralph Wilder's cartoons, bringing a cheery greeting as you pick up the paper each morning.

But it is in the Sunday Record-Herald that one finds the most chuckles. The colored comic section is full of laughter for young and old, and these amusing illustrations are free from the vulgarity and mischevious suggestions that have barred so many comic sections from refined homes. Then there is always a lot of high class humor in the Sunday Magazine of the Record-Herald, led by Sewell Ford's inimitable Shorty McCabe stories. The delectable Shorty, we understand, is to appear every other Sunday throughout the present year. No other character in fiction, unless it be Mr. Dooley, can match him as a funmaker. As long as Shorty and his devoted Sadie are on deck there will be something worth living for. The Record Herald has the right idea. Clean humor doubles the welcome of a good newspaper.

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

Chung Jung will open a laundry at Belmond.

The county board of supervisors is in session this week.

The citizens of Thornton are trying to land an electric railroad.

The sweet girl graduate has had her inning all over the county.

Garner's base ball tournament this year will be held on July 13, 14 and 15.

Margaret E. Sheridan, aged 49 years, died at her home in Erin township on May 29th

Lewis Larson of Britt and F. L. DeGraff of Garner are owners of new buzz-cars.

The Corwith graduating class numbered three this year—two boys and one girl.

Prof. Scarbro, of Dysart, has been elected principal of the Belmond schools.

Arvid Anderson of Britt has gone to Chicago to work in a jewelry establishment.

A big day for the M. W. A. will be June 17th, when they will hold a picnic at Belmond.

Cut worms are reported as doing much damage to the sod corn in the vicinity of Corwith.

Britt and Humboldt will play ball at Britt June 21st, and Britt and LuVerne on June 22nd.

Fred Luick & Son of Belmond have a piece of land that is producing its 55th crop, says the Herald.

The Britt Tribune says there is some talk of building a dam at the outlet of Eagle Lake to conserve the water.

Last week's Corwith Hustler reports the birth of three boy babies in that town, with not a girl to break the monotony.

Brother Ellsworth of the Kanawha Record, is soon to have a new home for his excellent newspaper. The building is now in course of construction.

The Farmers' Industrial Union of Hancock county hold their summer meet in Britt June 19th. All are farmers or interested in farming and so a great gathering and enjoyable time is anticipated. Britt News.

Miss Lizzie Martin, who is holding down a claim in New Mexico, visited with friends in Goodell for a short time Friday on her way to Garner where she will visit with her uncle's family. . .. The Misses Rhodes, of Klemme, Laila Reed, of Garner, and Grace Miner, of Ventura, attended the commencement exercises here last Thursday evening.—Goode R Globe.

Mrs. E. Lynch has been unable to obtain any relief for her terrible malady, cancer of the throat, although several eminent specialists have been consulted, and she is now confined to her bed. The sympathy of the entire community is for her in her great affliction. She was among the early settlers of this community and her many acts of kindness will always be remembered.—Belmond Herald.

BILL'S AFFLICTION.

"Why, uncle, how are all the folks?"
"They're all well, thanks, 'cept Bill. He's got the baseball fever!"

SKIN ROUGH AS BARK.

Baby Boy Had Intense Itching Humor —Scratched Till Blood Ran.

Found a Cure in Cuticura.

"Our son, two years old, was afflicted with a rash. After he suffered with the trouble several weeks I took him to the doctor but it got worse. The rash ran together and made large blisters. The little fellow didn't want to do anything but scratch and we had to wrap his hands up to keep him from tearing the flesh open till the blood would run. The itching was intense. The skin on his back became hard and rough like the bark of a tree. He suffered intensely for about three months. But I found a remedy in Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. The result was almost magical. That was more than two years ago and there has not been the slightest symptom of it since he was cured. J. W. Lauck, Yukon, Okla., Aug. 28 and Sept. 17, 1908."

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Couldn't Stand It.

A Raleigh, N. C., woman not long ago received into her house for "training" a "cracker" girl from the mountains.

Endeavor was made to inculcate in the girl a love for order and cleanliness, but suddenly this discipline ceased, for the "poor white" fled to her home in the fastnesses. Thither the Raleigh woman traced her after come difficulty.

"Why did you leave me, Mary Jane?" she asked.

"Mis' Morgan, I jes' couldn't stay!" exclaimed the girl. "I was jes' cloyed with neatness!"

Predatory Instincts.

The inherited predatory tendency of men to seize upon the fruits of other people's labor is still very strong, and while we have nothing more to fear from kings, we may yet have trouble enough from commercial monopolies and favored industries, marching to the polls their hordes of bribed retainers. Well, indeed, has it been said eternal vigilance is the price of liberty. God never meant that in this fair but treacherous world in which he has placed us we should earn salvation without steadfast labor.—John Fiske.

To Check Spread of Trachoma.

It has been reported that the disease known as trachoma, or granular eyelids, has been spreading rapidly among the Indians. To check this trouble congress appropriated $12,000, placing it in the hands of the commissioner of Indian affairs, for the immediate investigation and treatment of the disease and to check its spread.

MAKING SUNSHINE
It Is Often Found in Pure Food.

The improper selection of food drives many a healthy person into the depths of despairing illness. Indeed, much sickness comes from wrong food and just so surely as that is the case right food will make the sun shine once more.

An old veteran of Newburyport, Mass., says: "In October, I was taken sick and went to bed, losing 47 pounds in about 60 days. I had doctor after doctor, food hurt me and I had to live almost entirely on magnesia and soda. All solid food distressed me so that water would run out of my mouth in little streams.

"I had terrible night sweats, and my doctor finally said I had consumption and must die. My good wife gave up all hope. We were at Old Orchard, Me., at that time and my wife saw Grape-Nuts in a grocery there. She bought some and persuaded me to try it.

"I had no faith in it, but took it to please her. To my surprise it did not distress me as all other food had done and before I had taken the fifth package I was well on the mend. The pains left my head, my mind became clearer and I gained weight rapidly.

"I went back to my work again and now after six weeks' use of the food I am better and stronger than ever before in my life. Grape-Nuts surely saved my life and made me a strong hearty man, 15 pounds heavier than before I was taken ill.

"Both my good wife and I are willing to make affidavit to the truth of this."

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

ASKS FOR PAROLE

Eli Hardin Urges Claim Before Board.

CASE RUN THREE YEARS

Former Chief of Detectives Now on Police Force at San Diego Says Wife Is Very Ill.

Des Moines, June 7.—Eli Hardin, ex-chief of the Des Moines detective department, at present member of the police force of Santiago, Cal. has asked for a parole from the Iowa penitentiary before beginning his term of service.

The request has been filed with Governor Carroll, and will be referred by him to the board of parole, who will investigate his crime and the attending circumstances, and his present work and surroundings.

Hardin was convicted of conspiring to spirit witnesses out of the state, was tried before the Polk county district court and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary.

He appealed to the supreme court and a month ago they confirmed the decision of the lower court.

In the meantime, Hardin had left Des Moines. Immediately after the supreme court decision, Hardin through his attorney filed an appeal bond to the United States supreme court. The case has been in the courts for three years during which Hardin has had his liberty. The appeal to the United States courts will give him at least another year of liberty.

Prominent men have been working for his release through the three years he has been under conviction, and great pressure will be brought to bear on the parole board to insure the granting of his request.

Hardin has taken his wife and children to Santiago, Cal. One of the special pleas to be entered before the board of parole, is that the wife and boys will be left destitute if he is compelled to serve his term, while if allowed his liberty, he will take care of them. It was reported during the time following his trial, that his mother was supporting the entire family.

Dies Next Day.

Des Moines.—After having received fatal injuries in the Coaldale mine Tuesday afternoon, James Spevack, 30, mule driver, walked to his home, several hundred rods distant. The terrific strain of this effort may have been the cause of his death thirty hours later. Spevack died at 5 o'clock Wednesday evening. He had been caught between the end of his car and a prop in the mine when his mule ran away. Peritonitis, caused by a rupture of the intestine, caused his death.

Rain is Delaying the Farmers.

Rock Rapids.—The rainy weather continues to annoy the farmers who are anxious to get into the corn fields with the harrow and cultivator. Farmers are coming to realize in the past few years that it is the early attention that the corn gets that makes the crop and they say that there has been rain enough now and they want to go to work. The season is late, but the corn is coming along in fine shape and there is a general good stand.

Ralph Cruzen May be Suicide.

Oskaloosa.—Ralph Cruzen, aged 35 years, a prominent farmer of Madison township, is missing and it is believed that he drowned in the South Skunk river. Cruzen is demented and was confined in a private sanitarium at Des Moines. He escaped and walked to his home here. He has been tracked to a bridge over the river, where it is thought he committed suicide by drowning.

With Dislocated Jaw.

Sioux City.—After having wandered the streets of Sioux City for three days, during which time he was unable to eat a bite of food because of a dislocated jaw, caused from falling down a hay chute four or five days ago, Ira Reber, whose exact residence is not yet known, lies in a critical condition at the Samaritan hospital.

Violated Injunction.

Davenport.—Otto Seidliz and James Dedmidy of Muscatine are serving the first days of a three months' sentence in the Muscatine county jail for violating injunctions of the court against them, commanding them not to engage in the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Elks New Home.

Mason City.—The contract for the erection of the Elks' building was let to B. L. Stratton, a local contractor, for $15,765. The building will be of brick faced with Oskaloosa material, three stories high and 44x132 in size.

MASONS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

William Hutchinson, Deputy Grand Master, and H. H. Green Made Grand Chaplin.

Davenport.—The Iowa Masonic grand lodge has just adjourned after installing the new officers. Crom Bowen of Des Moines was appointed trustee for six years and the other appointive officers were filled as follows:

Deputy grand master, Wm. Hutchinson, Alton; grand chaplain, H. H. Green, Decorah; senior grand deacon, H. H. Ames, Garden City; junior grand deacon, E. F. Luette, Davenport; senior grand steward, H. H. Hill, Milton; junior grand steward William Kane, Iowa Falls; grand marshall, L. A. Matthews, Manchester; grand tyler, A. N. Alberson, Washington.

An interest feature of the day were the addresses by Nathan Scofield, of Strawberry Point and R. D. Meinreid, of St. Charles, veteran Masons who attended the conclave of the grand lodge held in Davenport in 1859, of which this meeting was the golden anniversary.

In Water Until Death Comes.

Mason City.—The death of Fred Nagle, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Nagle is a lesson to parents. He went to the creek to go in swimming. Instead of staying in a reasonable time he remained in until nearly noon when he went home to dinner. Shortly after dinner he went to the creek again and continued his bathing. Soon not feeling well he got out of the water and sat on the bank, but soon he was noticed to fall forward and plunge into the water. Help was by his side in a few moments and he was pulled out. He was then alive, but in a few minutes more he was dead. It is thought that death was caused by him staying so long in the cold water causing heart failure.

Brick Plant to Iowa Falls.

Iowa Falls.—Attracted by the splendid railroad facilities of this city and the abundance of raw material at hand, another new industry is to be added to this city this summer to augment and assist in furthering the industrial revival in Iowa Falls. Conniff Bros. have purchased a tract of land in East Iowa Falls and will commence the erection of a cement brick and tile plant at once. The members of the new firm are experienced men in this line of work and selected this city after canvassing many Iowa points with a view to locating, but found the facilities the best in this city of all the cities and towns visited.

Nurses Conclude Meet.

Dubuque.—The convention of the registered nurses of Iowa elected as president, Miss Anna Goodale of Cedar Rapids; vice-president Miss Abbie Tabor, Sioux City; second vice-president, Miss Letitia McNally, Independence; recording secretary, Miss Ida C. Nefa, Waterloo; corresponding secretary, Miss Floy Strayer, Waterloo; auditor, Miss Louisa Raffauf, Dyersville; delegate to the national convention, Miss Jane Garrard, Davenport. Des Moines was selected as the next meeting place.

Iowa Baptist Preachers Meet.

Des Moines.—The Baptist ministers of Iowa will hold a pastors' conference Tuesday afternoon at Des Moines college. The general topic of discussion will be "The Ministry Adapted to the Age." Among the ministers from out of the city to take part will be: Rev. J. W. Conley of Omaha, Rev. H. O. Rowlands of Davenport, Rev. E. B. Jones of Cedar Falls, Rev. Johnston Myers of Chicago, Rev. A. M. Levack of Cedar Rapids and Rev. J. W. Clevenger of Red Oak.

Ready for the Veterans.

Fort Dodge.—Everything is in readiness for the opening of the thirty-fifth annual state encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, department of Iowa, which begins here Tuesday. Special illumination is being placed in the business district and the work of placing the street decorations began at sundown Sunday and the work was completed by noon Monday, when the first conventionists arrived.

Found Dead on Tracks.

Shenandoah.—Harry Wheeler, son of T. A. Wheeler, a liveryman at Mt. Ayr, was found dead on the tracks here Tuesday morning. It is supposed that he fell from a train that was running between Council Bluffs and St. Joseph. Mystery, however, surrounds the tragedy. He was about 20 years of age and no one knew what he was doing on the train or where he was going.

Catholic Clergy to Meet.

Davenport.—The Catholic clergy of the diocese of Davenport will meet in this city June 21 for a week's retreat and a quasi-synod for the election of officers of the diocese.

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e Veterinarian Has Reports of Infected Stock Said to Have Come From Other States.

es Moines, Iowa, June 5.—Dr. Paul , state veterinarian, has discov- that infected cattle and in a few nces, infected hogs, are being ped into Iowa from other states sold to Iowa stock growers. This dition has added not a little to difficulty with which the depart- t is confronted in stamping out diseases which seem to have d upon Iowa stock. While more rcular cattle are being discovered disease in any other animals, rts have come in from various ions of the state of sudden deaths ogs. It is expected to combat deaths successfully when the law for the establishment of a cholera serum factory takes ef-

the first of July.

eme Court Decisions.

illiam Rutherford and Edward npson, administrators of the es- of John Rutherford, appellants, owa Central Railway company; eshiek county court; W. G. Clem- judge. Action to recover dam- Affirmed; opinion by Deemer.

wn of Grand River, appellant, vs. Swisher, Decatur county court, Evans, judge. Action in equity escind an executed contract for ange of real estate. Affirmed; on by Deemer.

lla Orr vs. B. H. Kenworthy, sher- nd Frank B. Wilson, appellants; county court, Edmund Nichols, e. Action of replevin brought by tiff claiming to be owner of a of horses, set of harness and a to recover possession thereof defendant as sheriff, claiming to the same under a levy of execu- as property of one Tim Sullivan. ned; opinion by McClain.

Rutenbeck, assignee, vs. W. C. et al, appellants; Clinton county , A. P. Barker, judge. Affirmed; on by Weaver.

gates to Buffalo.

enty delegates from Iowa to the nal Conference of Charities and ections to be held at Buffalo, 9 to 15, have been named by rnor Carroll. The list, which in- s leaders of charitable and soc- ork in Iowa cities, is as follows: ge G. S. Robinson, state board ntrol; Samuel H. Crosby of Grin- Dr. Jennie McCowen of Daven- Mrs. Emma C. Youngquist of Moines; Horace S. Hollingsworth s Moines; Mrs. E. G. Rhodes of t Pleasant; Miss Charlotta Goff s Moines; William L. Kuser of a; J. T. Harnett of Eldora; I. Herriott of Des Moines; Prof. Loos of Iowa City, Miss Flora p of Des Moines; Mrs. Alice G. ner of Marshalltown; Mrs. John ay of Dubuque; Mrs. James G. hill of Des Moines; Mrs. W. H. of Des Moines; Prof. C. W. em of Iowa City; James Watt of Moines; Miss Jessie Binford of alltown; Rabbi Rauch of Sioux

New Practitioners.

y-one medical students and sixty law students appeared at tate house and took the state examinations that must be before the applicants for cer- es are full fledged practitioners. dical students did their work in orning in the house chamber, the direction of Secretary L. A. s of the state board of medical ners. In the afternoon their were filled by law students e "medics" went across the hall senate chamber, where the ex- tions will continue today and row.

rney General H. W. Byers, who fficio chairman of the state law ners, was in active charge of w examination.

ecord breaking class of sixty- members took the pharmacy sion's biennial examination for acists' certificates.

G. Inspector.

tain Charles Lincoln, son of l James Rush Lincoln of Ames, en delegated by the war de- nt to represent the regular as inspector of the Iowa Nation- rd companies at their four en- ents this summer. There will en other regular army inspect- t Capt. Lincoln's appointment only one thus far communicat- General Logan. Out of four army men who were asked for eral Logan, Captain Lincoln is y one who was favored by the ent.

New Highway Law.

Following is the text of the new highway law passed by the general assembly which goes into immediate effect by publication. The measure was introduced by Senator Nichols:

"The township trustees shall have all the main traveled roads, including mail routes, in their townships, dragged at such time as in their judgment is most beneficial, and they shall contract at their April meeting to have a given piece of road dragged at a rate not to exceed fifty cents per mile for each mile traveled in dragging. In choice of persons to do the work or in making contracts to do such work, preference shall be given, other things being equal, to the occupants of the land abutting the road or adjacent thereto at the point where the work is to be done, but if more than one occupant, the trustees may decide to which preference shall be given. So far as possible such dragging shall be done following rainstorm when the earth on the road surface is in the consistency of mortar or in condition to accomplish the best results. Nothing herein contained shall prohibit township trustees from causing other than main traveled roads in their township to be dragged. No compensation shall be paid to any persons for dragging roads unless the same be authorized by the township trustees and in the manner directed by them and other work than dragging may be done when it can accomplish better results. Not less than forty per cent of the road tax, collected under the road levy made by the township trustees, on land abutting the road or adjacent thereto, shall be worked on said road, if needed on the same.

"It shall be the duty of the city council of cities and incorporated towns to cause the main traveled roads within the corporate limits leading into the city or town to be dragged and so far as practicable and possible, the provisions of this act shall be applicable.

"The trustees may at any time when their contract with the parties for dragging the road has not been properly complied with, or when the work is not done in a satisfactory manner, cancel said contract with the party or parties.

"It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to leave after grading, loose earth, weeds or sod in the highways in such a manner as to interfere with safe travel.

"It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to drive, ride, or cause to be driven a vehicle of any description in or upon the south half of an east and west highway, or east half of a north and south highway after the same has been dragged and before such portion of the highway shall have dried sufficiently to pack under a horse's feet, or frozen hard enough to carry, provided that nothing in this section shall apply in those instances where it is impossible to drive with safety on the west or north side of the road.

"Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall on conviction thereof be fined not less than one dollar for the first offense and for each offense thereafter shall be fined a sum not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars and all fines collected by prosecutions under this act shall be paid into the road fund of the township where the offense was committed or damage done to the road."

State Inspectors After Them.

Inspectors Morey and Hiff of the state dairy commission are conducting a crusade against milk dealers who either adulterate milk by diluting it with water or by skimming it before it leaves the dairy. After two weeks' activities the inspectors declare that hundreds of families are being supplied with the adulterated fluid.

During the two weeks seven dairymen have pleaded guilty to charges of milk adulteration and have paid fines of $25. Three more cases are pending, and another information has been filed.

Two ice cream manufacturers pleaded guilty to selling adulterated ice cream and were assessed the $25 fine. The inspection of milk and ice cream will continue during the summer months, the inspectors declare.

Electricity for Capitol.

Members of the state executive council have asked for an estimate of the cost of wiring all gas chandeliers in the state house for electric lamps and substituting electricity for gas in all offices. When the state house lighting plant was built electric lamps and electroliers were placed in the halls, rotunda, legislative chambers and several basement offices, but the large offices on the main floor still use gas for illuminating, artificial light being necessary much of the time in several offices. If the plan of Secretary of State Hayward and Treasurer Morrow is adopted the handsome gas chandeliers will be wired and converted into electroliers.

WOMAN DYES HAIR; LOSES IT

NOW WANTS $20,000 DAMAGES FOR HER MISSING TRESSES.

Milwaukee Judge Considers Loss of Locks Sufficient Ground for Suit and Overrules Demurrer.

Milwaukee.—Hear ye women of America! You have a right to go into court and sue for damages if you buy a cosmetic or hair dye and it spoils your beauty. Judge Quarles of this city has said so in refusing to throw out a $20,000 suit filed by a woman who lost her tresses.

A woman has a perfectly good cause for complaint in an action for damages if she loses her hair by reason of the application of chemicals, particularly so if the solution is advertised as being a hair restorer.

Judge Quarles on Friday overruled the demurrer of a company of Fond du Lac to the complaint of Mrs. M. L. Bowman to the effect that her complaint does not state a sufficient cause of action. He gave the defendants time to file their answer.

Mrs. Bowman, a traveling woman, sued the drug company and a St. Louis manufacturer of hair dye for $20,000 damages for the loss of her hair. She alleges its loss was caused by the application of hair stain purchased of the drug company and manufactured by the St. Louis company. The defendants demurred on the ground that the complaint failed to state a sufficient cause of action.

"Her hair is woman's chief beauty," said the attorney for Mrs. Bowman, while arguing the case. "To paraphrase a well-known quotation, 'He who steals her pocketbook steals trash—usually—but he who filches her hair takes that which cannot enrich him and leaves her poor indeed.' A woman's hair is one of her chief assets. That has come to be so well acknowledged that women nowadays are not content with nature's gifts, but purchase large quantities of bogus capillary vegetation in order to increase their assets."

BREWERS AGAINST DIVES.

National Association Members Speak for War on the Low Class Saloons.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Proper regulations of the liquor traffic and a strict enforcement of the laws governing saloons were strongly recommended by speakers at the final session of the annual convention of the United States Brewers' association Thursday.

Percy Andreas of the Ohio State Brewers' association, said the low dives were largely responsible for the agitation against the liquor business and he urged the members of the association to pledge themselves to assist the authorities in wiping them out. William C. Manchester of the Michigan State Brewers' association took the same stand.

The new president of the association, Carl J. Hoster of Columbus, O., pledged himself to devote his efforts as the head of the organization to obtaining the proper regulation of saloons the enforcement of the laws and a separation of the liquor business from vices which have crept into it.

TRAIN BANDITS ARE HELD.

Omaha Prisoners Are Bound Over to Grand Jury Under Bonds of $25,000.

Omaha, Neb.—G. W. Woods, Fred Torgensen and James Gordon were bound over to the next grand jury and held under $25,000 bond each to answer the charge of holding up and robbing the Overland limited mail car on the Union Pacific railroad on the night of May 22, by Judge W. H. Monger in the United States district court.

Twenty-two witnesses were called to identify the prisoners and all were more or less sure that the men in the prisoners' dock were identical with those who committed the robbery. Six small boys, running from eight to eleven years were interesting witnesses and each told of seeing one or more of the men in the vicinity of Brown park before and after the robbery occurred. They found the revolvers and other paraphernalia which led to the arrests of three men charged with the robbery.

Party Leaders to Testify.

Indianapolis, Ind.—At the request of the United State's Attorneys Stuart McNamara of the department of justice at Washington, and Charles W. Miller of this district, Judge Anderson continued the Indianapolis News libel case until October 11.

This action was taken to permit the prosecution to introduce as witnesses Frank H. Hitchcock, former chairman of the Republican national committee; Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic national committee; George B. Cortelyou, certain members of the office staff of J. Pierpont Morgan & Co., and certain officials of various departments of the government at Washington.

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Tariff Revision and the Republican Party

In the matter of tariff revision Congress seems no nearer to a definite conclusion than it was at the opening of the extra session—in fact, matters pertaining to revision are more "up in the air" than ever. The bill now under consideration does not meet with the approval of any of the progressive republican members and they are fighting it tooth and toenail. On the other side is lined up all the old heads, under the able and disgraceful leadership, or command, of Senator Aldrich, the boss. As to revision downward, Aldrich and his crowd are determined to have none of it, while some of the live ones, such as Dolliver, Cummins, LaFollette and others, are making the fight of their lives to try and compel the republican party to live up to its campaign promises.

Some of the leaders are claiming that the 1908 platform, while it pledged revision of the tariff, did not pledge a downward revision. They know better and it is only one of their grandstand plays to further pull the wool over the eyes of the common people, if it be true that they care for the people at all. The voters throughout the country know what was promised them and if they don't get what rightfully belongs to them, they may change the political complexion of things around Washington, D. C., in the decidedly near future.

While the fight goes on in the Senate, President Taft sits very quietly back and gives no encouragement to either side, while he knows that he was elected to carry out Roosevelt's policies, one of which was surely a downward revision of the tariff and another the curbing of the trusts.

The republican party is on trial before the people. A party pledge should be just as sacred as a personal one.

The father who gave utterance to the following beautiful sentiment is one whose heart is in the right place and who has the right spirit. It was Rob Taylor of Tennessee who said: "I would rather fill my purse with money and keep its gates ajar to my happy girls while they yet linger under my roof than to clutch it with a miser's hand until all the harp strings of youth are broken and its music forever fled. I would rather spend my last nickle for a bag of marbles to gladden the hearts of my barefoot boys than to deny them childish pleasures and leave them a bag of gold to quarrel over when I am dead. I abhor the pitiless hawk that circles in the air only to swoop down and strangle the song of the linnet or bury its talons in the heart of the dove. I despise the soulless man whose greed for gold impels him to strangle the laughter and song of his own family."

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Mann and son were visitors at Garner last

wis left last week for Dam, Wis., where he is relatives.

Amelia Lenz and Mrs. Ridder have been visit- harles City.

—One half mile west of , one sack ground oats. of C. C. Schaefer. 44-2

Bloom and family and abst and wife spent Sun he farm home of W. S le.

John Josten has a change is week. She is selling a great reduction this Read her ad.

. Elder was a Garner Monday. He reports d slush in large quanti- he county seat.

y Griewe and daughter left Saturday for Charles visit Ella Griewe, who is ng school there.

N. L. Palmer left yester- Algona for a few days' nd from there she will Redfield, South Dakota, relatives.

still we get more rain. a nice warm spell of r Friday, Saturday and , it turned cool and gave ghty wet rain on Monday esday.

Alberts, of near Bel- was here Tuesday on bus and visiting his parents is brothers, Lubbe and . While here he called printer and advanced his iption one year.

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News—It didn't rain last Friday.

Read the new ad of the State Savings Bank.

Mrs. S. L. Sage was a Garner visitor Saturday.

Mrs. John Gruetzmacher was a Garner visitor Saturday.

Miss Bessie Ely, of Belmond, was a Klemme visitor last Friday.

The Wesleyan Club met with Fern Suckow last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. F, A. Arnold and little son and Miss Blank were at Garner Saturday.

Born, Tuesday morning, June 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Webner, Jr., a fine baby girl.

Miss Lalia Reed, of Garner, visited friends near here the latter part of last week.

Ernest Schuldt and two daughters left last Friday for a visit with relatives at Giard, Iowa.

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

Not as a matter of news, but just to be saying something, we mention the fact that it rained yesterday.

Miss Florence Sampson went to Beulah, Iowa, last Friday to visit with her sister, Mrs. Levi Klotzbach.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

Our subscription list is steadily growing. R. W. Elder added his name to our family of readers this week.

Mrs. Nesbit came down from Garner last Saturday evening and visited until Monday noon at the Fred Gates home.

George Alberts was a pleasant caller on the Times Tuesday renewing his subscription and swapping a few stories with the printer.

Sheriff John Suurballe has left Garner for a trip to Denmark to visit old scenes. During his absence, the business of his office will be in the hands of his capable deputy, W. L. Fitkin.

Last week we mentioned Lew Lewis and Hod Lawhorn going over to Clear Lake on a fishing expedition. Well, they brought home a dandy lot of fish, so we guess they took the right kind of bait.

Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Wessel left last Saturday for Charles City to attend the commencement exercises of Charles City College, where their daughter has been a student. Rev. Schlung occupied the pulpit in the German M. E. church last Sunday.

The work on the cement walks and crossings in Klemme is being pushed as rapidly as weather conditions will permit. The walk in front of the hotel and the two crossings at the east end of main street are completed, also the two crossings on the four corners near the State Savings Bank, and the walk in front of Mrs. Shafer's property. It is a grand improvement.

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Quite a number of Klemme people were at the county seat Saturday.

H. C. Lau shipped two cars of hogs to Chicago Sunday morning.

For a chunk of good cold ice call at Bloom's elevator or on G. R. Waterman. 44tf

C. H. Lenz and wife were passengers to Mason City Monday, returning home Tuesday.

Ice cream sodas, sundaes, and all kinds of cool refreshing drinks at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

Arthur Wellemeyer has some interesting reading on Clothing in his ad this week. Read it.

Ralph Stanbery, of Mason City, and Miss Jessie Klemme, of Belmond, were married yesterday at the home of the bride

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M. Palmby sold a reord breaking hog to W. R. Bloom this week. The animal tipped the beam at 520 pounds and brought Mr. Palmby the neat sum of $36.40. A nice bunch of money for one small (?) porker.

We notice that Fred C. Griewe is joining the crowd and has torn out his wooden walk preparatory to putting in cement. That's the right spirit. If this kind of action keeps on growing more and more contagious, the old wooden walks will soon be a thing of the past in Klemme.

Wm. F. Lau and family came down from Garner Saturday evening. Will spent a few days this week superintending some improvements to his property in the south part of town. He will build a twenty-foot porch on both the east and west sides of the house.

In a letter to the publisher, enclosing a renewal on his subscription to the Times, G. F. Gast, of Beltrami, Minn., says: "Crops are all looking good. Had a grand spring, although April was cold, but dry. Everybody that moved up here from around Klemme is getting along nicely. Your paper is like hearing from home every week." Our readers will be glad to learn that Mr. Gast and their other old Klemme friends are prospering.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gruetzmacher arrived in Klemme last Thursday evening and are now at home to their many Klemme friends. They were given a rousing reception by a large charivari party late that evening, and that gang surely was the limit when it comes to making an unearthly noise. Every conceivable instrument of torture was brought into play and nearly the whole town was implicated. It was an orderly crowd but a duecedly noisy one. Everyone smoked a good cigar in honor of the event.

This afternoon at four o'clock at the home of the bride's mother will occur the marriage of Miss Della E. Schlei to Mr. Edward Weisbrod, Rev. Wessel officiating. The bride is the talented daughter of Mrs. Fred Schlei and is held in very high esteem by her large circle of friends and acquaintances The groom is a young man who is very highly spoken of. His home is at Fenton where he is engaged in farming and where the young couple will make their future home. The Times joins with their many friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Weisbrod a future of unalloyed happiness.

The Lecture Course

Klemme will have a good course for the season of 1909-10. The talent is all first class and has been contracted for with the Chicago Lyceum Bureau. At this writing 104 season tickets have been sold, but it is the desire of the committee to raise this number to 150 if possible, and they should be able to do it. They have secured talent this year as good as is generally obtained for towns ten times the size of Klemme, hoping and feeling sure that our people will appreciate it and give the course this year their liberal patronage

The first number will be a lecture by L, B. Wickersham, one of the finest lecturers on the platform today. This number will be given early in October. His subject is "Chickens Come Home to Roost."

The second number, The Toronto Male Quartette, comes very highly recommended.

The third is the famous lecturer, H. V. Adams, who was on the course here last year, and his subject this season will be "The House of Changing Dimensions."

The fourth and last number will be a lecture by E. W. Lanhan on "The World's Battle Ground," being a talk on what to do with the boy or "The Boy Problem." This lecture is said to be very fine.

All in all, it is an array of talent seldom seen in a small town, and no one can afford to miss any number. Sign up for season tickets right away and do all you can to make the course this year a success.

Albert Bock has returned home for his summer vacation from Plymouth, Wis., where he has been attending school.

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KLEMME - - - IOWA

A Parisian scientist declares that the secret of life is simply a plain matter of chemistry. Thus is triumphantly vindicated on natural principles the much-maligned chemical blonde.

This scare about peroxide blondes being germ-infested to such an extent that deadly danger lurks in their kisses, is supposed to have been started by their jealous brunette sisters.

The conviction of those 13 barrels of whisky at Cincinanti for not being what they pretended to be establishes a dangerous precedent. Suppose they should begin trying men on the same charge?

Another American heiress is to marry a foreign nobleman. Now that they are framing up a new tariff, why not protect our own marriageable young men by putting in a stiff prohibitive duty on coronets?

A New York milliner declares that she has never seen a suffragette wear a fashionable hat. Taking the fashionable hat of this spring as a basis from which to reason, this is a splendid compliment to the suffragette.

Persian nationalists are appealing to the civilized world to force the deposition of the shah. The ideas of representative government and of the abolition of absolutism are catching, even in the conservative east.

Of course navies are built for fighting, but let us not forget the great service they perform in impressing our size and importance upon the other nations of the earth. "We don't want to fight, but by Jingo if we do," etc.

It may be true, as the London Times says, that England has an inventor who can fly much better than the Wrights, "if he wants to," but this sort of aeronauting wouldn't win a prize at any county fair that we ever heard of.

It is expected by French scientists that a photographic map of the skies will show between thirty and forty million stars. The stage, according to the stellar outburst annually announced, is running the firmament rather hard.

Pittsburg churches have taken up the matter of abolishing pew rent and have made considerable progress along that line. Those that have tried the experiment claim their receipts are larger and their opportunity for doing good correspondingly expanded.

The rage to be an officeholder springs eternal in the human breast. Thsi abnormal craving of American human ambition was shown lately in the case of a Connecticut postmaster who offered to trade his job for a yellow dog and who is being deluged with offers.

People who believe that English is likely to become the language of the world will find confirmation for their opinion in the fact that President Manuel Estrada Cabrera of Guatemala has signed a decree making the study of English compulsory in the primary schools of that republic.

Indians and cowboys, going to exhibitions, delighted London crowds by war-whoops and cries as they passed through the streets. This performance will leave an abiding impression upon many London minds that the average street life in the United States is of the same vociferous kind.

Down in Maine the long-vexed question whether eels breed like other fish or lay large eggs like snakes has been settled by the discovery of spawn in one. For a fish that has been so largely used as food the eel has strangely escaped both scientific investigation and legal protection.

Whatever else may happen, there is a significance in recent occurrences in the east which cannot be misrepresented. An enlightened world has decreed the downfall of autocracy, and every despot, great or small, will act the part of wisdom in recognizing the fact and governing himself accordingly.

Of course there will be many opinions as to the militant preacher in Texas that thumped a bully who had made a practice of cursing the dominie on sight. But even the turn-the-other-cheek non-combatives have a sneaking satisfaction that the abusive sinner did not have to wait until reaching the next world before getting what was coming to him.

A hypothetical question of 31,000 words has been ruled out by the Massachusetts court which was trying a murder case on the ground that it is too long. It is not surprising that it was ruled out, but it is surprising that counsel ever proposed to put such a question. No layman would ever devise a question that would fill three or four pages of a newspaper.

GIRL IS ATTACKED

Neighborhood Aroused By Her Screams.

SEARCHING FOR ASSAILANT

Mildred Kelsey Furnishes a Good Description of Man Who Attacked Her on Way to School.

Des Moines, Ia., June 4.—Every patrolman and detective available on the Des Moines police deparment is being pressed into service by Superintendent of Public Safety J. L. Hamery in an effort to apprehend the man who attempted a criminal assault upon 14- year-old Mildred Kelsey while she was on her way to school yesterday morning.

While going from her home, which is about a half mile from the end of the Grandview car line at Des Moines to school, Mildred Kelsey, the 14-year-old daughter of William H. Kelsey, was attacked by an unknown man when about midway between the

MILDRED KELSEY.

house and the park. Her desperate efforts to ward off his attack and her screams attracted the attention of her mother at the house and the man fled into the woods.

A squad of twelve policemen, aided by the entire detective force, at once started on a search through the woods immediately after the news reached police headquarters. They were assisted by neighbors and friends of the Kelsey family and many threats were made which might result in the lynching of the man in case he is captured.

Bit Blood From Fingers.

No trace of the man has been found as yet, although the police have been vigilant in their search. All they have to work on is the description furnished by the little girl, who is none the worse from the attack, except from the excitement. Her clothes were badly torn and soiled. She described the man as being about 35 years old, short and stocky in stature, dark complexioned and with having about two days' growth of beard. He wore a black crush hat, a dark suit of clothes and a short stubby mustache.

The girl left the house shortly after 10 o'clock to go to school. When she was about mid-way between her home and the park the man ran up behind and seized her. He pulled her from the car track into the brush, but her screams were so loud that they frightened him, and he fled. She fought him, and blood on the ground leads the police to believe she severely bit his fingers. By the time the police reached the scene of the attack he had had sufficient time to make good his escape.

Four Fail to Pass.

Des Moines, June 4—Four of sixty-three applicants failed to pass the bar examinations held in the chamber of the house of representative at the state house by the state board of law examiners. The examinations were oral and conducted by Attorney General H. W. Byers.

Accountants Meet in Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., June 4.—More than fifty city comptrollers and accountants from all over the United States have gathered here for the fourth annual convention of the National Association of Comptrollers and Accountants.

Missioner Dead in India.

Boston, Mass., June 4.—News of the death of Rev. Henry J. Bruce, at Panchgani, India, May 4, has reached here. For forty-seven years Mr. Bruce had been one o the American board's missionaries in India. He was 74 years old

SETTING A NEW PACE.

ROCKEFELLER A GOLFER NOW

GAME MORE INTERESTING THAN FINANCE HE SAYS.

Declares He's Out of Stock Market—Glad There Is More Work for Unemployed.

New York.—John D. Rockefeller, looking unusually fit and wearing a deep coat of tan and a flossy looking golf cap, returned Friday to New York from Hot Springs, Va., where he took Mrs. Rockefeller some time ago for her health. The oil king was accompanied by his wife, his sister-in-law and granddaughter.

"I have had a splendid time," said Mr. Rockefeller, "and we are greatly improved in health and spirits. I have golfed and golfed and golfed."

"What do you think of the financial situation and bull markets?" he was asked.

"Do you know," replied the 70-year-old billionaire, "that they have one of the best golf courses in the world down there where we've been? It's a lot more interesting than finance and the stock market. You know I'm out of that sort of thing. I'm a golfer now. Ask me something about golf. I'm way up in the game. See what a tan I've got?

"But I am really glad to get back. I've been away five months, and it seems good to see New York again."

Mr. Rockefeller said the death of H. H. Rogers had been a great blow to him. "It was sad, very sad," he said.

He was curious to know if there was more work for the unemployed than there had been. When told that there was apparently more work than formerly, he said:

"That's fine. I'm awfully glad to hear it."

STREAM POLLUTION PERILS

Epidemic Caused and Waters Made Unfit for Use, Declares Report of Committee.

Washington.—The committee on the "Pollution of Streams," appointed last year, of which Alec H. Seymour, secretary of the New York state department of health is chairman, Friday presented its report to the meeting of the state and provincial boards of health of North America. The other members of the committee are Dr. Charles O. Probst, secretary of the Ohio state board of health, and Dr. H. D. Holton, secretary of the Vermont state board of health.

Studies of conditions all over the United States and reports of state health departments show that there have been many epidemics of typhoid fever directly due to this practice; that in many case public nuisances have been caused, and that many of the waters of the various states are rendered unfit for domestic and manufacturing purposes. Fish life has been destroyed and the waters ruined for boating, bathing and fishing and rendered objectionable and obnoxious in other ways.

The report shows that during the past few years many laws have been passed dealing with this subject, but that the legislative activity has not kept pace with the needs.

San Francisco Gets French Medal.

San Francisco.—The marvelous reconstruction of this city since the earthquake and fire of 1906 was gracefully recognized by France Saturday, when Ambassador Jusserand, on behalf of his government, presented to San Francisco a handsome gold medal in commemoration of its achievement.

CRIME FIGHTERS IN SESSION.

National Conference on Criminal Law and Criminology Draws Many Experts to Chicago.

Chicago.—Leaders in the war on crime from all parts of the country have been attracted to this city by the national conference on criminal law and criminology which opened Friday in the Northwestern University School of Law. The meeting is in a way a celebration of the school's fiftieth anniversary, and scores of lawyers, penologists, prosecuting officers, physicians, wardens, and others were invited to take part in the discussions. There will be no set speeches.

The wide range of the conference is shown by the topics that are being discussed. Some of them are:

The unnecessary multiplication of criminal laws as a cause of disrespect of, and disregard for, the law.

Needed reforms in the use of medical expert testimony, and the feasibility of establishing state commissions of specialists for expert testimony.

The problem of the jury system.

The problem of the simplification of judicial procedure by eliminating certain of the cumbersome and antiquated forms of the common law.

Limitations and restrictions on the right of appeal. To what extent should reversals for errors be permitted?

Measures for the supervision of suspects, especially in such matters as the "Black Hand" crimes.

Is irresponsibility co-extensive with insanity?

The mixed high school as a factor in adolescent criminality.

Whether all technicalities in pleading and practice which do not affect the substantial rights of the accused should be disregarded.

GIRL'S SLAYER TO HANG.

Jury Convicts Negro Who Killed Ottumwa Choir Singer and Barely Escaped Lynching.

Centerville, Ia.—Quickly following the jury's verdict of guilty in the case of John Junkin, a negro who murdered Miss Clara Rosen, a choir singer of Ottumwa, Judge M. A. Roberts sentenced the prisoner to be hanged.

The jury returned its verdict after a deliberation of less than four hours. There was an immense crowd awaiting the result of the trial and as the last words were read by the clerk a shout went up which was taken up by the crowd in the courthouse square.

Attorneys for the defense waived their customary right of three days before sentence of death is passed and agreed that Judge Roberts pass sentence immediately, which the court did. Junkin will hang the last Friday in July, 1910. He was taken to Fort Madison for safe keeping till the day of his execution.

Adj. Gen. Guy Logan of Des Moines was in the court room when the sentence was pronounced. He stated that there would be no need of militia to guard the prisoner as the verdict met with popular favor.

Junkin's crime was one of the most atrocious in Iowa. He confessed killing Clara Rosen with a stone while she was returning from the home of her sister. Later he dragged the girl into an excavation and assaulted her. Her dead body was found by a searching party the next morning.

Russian Prince Is Murdered.

Tiflis. — Prince Eristoff, a prominent member of the Union of Unions, has been murdered by unknown persons on his estate at Klonieff.

THAW LOSES APPE

MUST REMAIN IN MATTEAW ASYLUM, DECLARES COURT.

PATRICK LIKEWISE FAI

Slayers of Stanford White and William Marsh Rice Legally in Custody, Says Supreme Tribunal of New York.

New York.—Harry K. Thaw, fi ing incarceration at Matteawan A lum for the Criminal Insane, and bert T. Patrick, serving a life prisonment at Sing Sing, both l their appeals by adverse decisions the appellate division of the supre court Friday.

The appellate division held t Thaw accepted the alternative of c finement as insane when he plead insanity as a defense to the crime slaying Stanford White.

Patrick, the court held, was lega in custody, as there was no doubt the power of the governor to commu his sentence of death. Both defe ants sued out writs of habeas corp and the proceedings were upon a peals against decisions dismissing t writs.

Opinion in Patrick Case.

The Patrick opinion, which was wr ten by Justice Jenks, and concurred by the other members of the cou was in part:

"The judgment, as commuted, w attacked. I have no doubt that t

Harry Kendall Thaw.

governor has the power of commut ion in this case. I find no force t the contention that there cannot be commutation of the punishment o death to that of life imprisonment be cause commutation implies a less pun ishment, and life imprisonment is greater punishment than death. Th degree of punishment is not deter nined by the individual preference o the convict.

"The relator argued that he had never accepted the commutation, bu he states in his printed points that commutation does not require his ac ceptance. Such, I think, is the law. In this the commutation differs from pardon, either absolute or conditional.

Case to Be Carried Up.

"The whole proposition in effect is that the governor's act, ineffective to change the punishment, nevertheless remitted it. It is hard to see why the exercise of that power that cannot change a punishment in effect remits or abolishes it."

After the decision was rendered William L. McDonald, Patrick's counsel, said:

"We shall promptly take all the legal steps to bring Patrick's case into the higher courts. We have not an appeal by right from the appellate division, but that court can grant us an appeal if so disposed. If this is not done we shall get a writ of error and carry the case to the United States supreme court."

BANK LOOT IS $137,000.

Lewiston, Idaho, Insitution Is Systematically Robbed for Five Years—Defalcation Made Good.

Lewiston, Idaho.—That the Lewiston National bank has been robbed of $137,000 is the startling statement made by National Bank Examiner Claude Gatch, who has just completed an investigation.

Beyond the fact that the stockholders have made the alleged shortage good, Mr. Gatch declines to discuss the situation. The embezzlement has, it is stated, extended over a period of the last five years, and it was made possible, it is understood, by manipulation of the adding machine used in computing the daily balances.

Immediately after the condition became known to the bank officials, a meeting of the stockholders was called and the entire defalcation made good by them.

HER INFINITE VARIETY

By BRAND WHITLOCK

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SYNOPSIS.

Senator Morley Vernon's visit with his niece was interrupted by a call from the political boss at the state capital. Much regretted it, the girl more than he, because she had arranged to attend a play that evening with him. She said she yearned for a national office for him. On Vernon's desk in the senate he found a red rose, accompanied by a plea for suffrage for women. He met the author, pretty Miss Maria Greene of Chicago, who proposed to convert him to voting for house resolution No. 19. Miss Greene secured Vernon's promise to vote for the suffrage resolution. He also aided her by convincing others. He took a liking to the fair suffragette. Miss Greene consulted with the lieutenant-governor. Vernon admitted to himself that the suffragette had stirred a strange feeling within him. He forgot to read his niece's letter. Vernon made a great speech in favor of suffrage, aided by notes from Miss Greene. The resolution was made a special order. Vernon was enthusiastic on the prospects for the resolution. He was much in Miss Greene's company. Vernon neglected thoughts of Amelia. He took Miss Greene driving and talked out plans for the success of the resolution.

CHAPTER VII.—Continued.

"I did not care to lead a useless life," he said "I wanted to do something—to have some part in the world's work. The law seemed to be a respectable profession and I felt that maybe I could do some good in politics. I don't think the men of my class take as much interest in politics as they should. And then, I'd like to make my own living."

"I have to make mine," said Maria Greene.

"But you never thought of teaching, or nursing, or—well—painting or music, or that sort of thing, did you?"

"No," she replied; "did you?"

Vernon laughed at an absurdity that needed no answering comment, and then he hastened on:

"Of course, you know I think it fine that you should have done as you have. You must have met with discouragements."

She laughed, and Vernon did not note the bitterness there was concealed in the laugh; to him it seemed intended to express only that polite deprecation demanded in the treatment of a personal situation.

"I can sympathize with you there," said Vernon, though Miss Greene had not admitted the need of sympathy. Perhaps it was Vernon's own need of sympathy, or his feeling of the need of it, that made him confess that his own family and friends had never sympathized with him, especially with what he called his work in politics; he felt, at any rate, that he had struck the right note at last, and he went on to assure her how unusual it was to meet a woman who understood public questions as well as she understood them. And it may have been his curiosity that led him to inquire:

"How did your people feel about your taking up the law?"

Miss Greene said that she did not know how her people felt, and Vernon again had that baffled sense of her evading him.

"I've felt pretty much alone in my work," he said. "The women I know won't talk with me about it; they won't even read the newspapers. And I've tried so hard to interest them in it!"

Vernon sighed, and he waited for Miss Greene to sigh with him. He did not look at her, but he could feel her presence there close beside him. Her gloved hands lay quietly in her lap; she was gazing out over the prairies. The light winds were faintly stirring her hair, and the beauty of it, its warm red tones brought out by the burnishing sun, suddenly overwhelmed him. He stirred and his breath came hard.

"Do you know," he said, in a new confidence, "that this has been a great day for me? To meet you, and to know you as I think I do know you now! This morning, when I was speaking, I felt that with you to help me, I could do great things."

Miss Greene drew in her lips, as if to compress their fullness; she moved away on the seat, and raised her hand uneasily and thrust it under her veil to put back a tress of hair that had strayed from its fastening. Vernon saw the flush of her white cheeks come and go. Her eyebrows were drawn together wistfully, and in her blue eyes, that looked far away through the meshes of her dotted veil, there was a little cloud of trouble. She caught her lip delicately between the edges of her teeth. Vernon leaned slightly forward as if he would peer into her face. For him the day had grown suddenly hot, the spring had developed on the instant the oppressive heat of summer. He felt its fire; he could see its intensity vibrating in the air all about him, and he had a sense as of all the summer's voices droning in unison. The reins dropped from his listless fingers; the horse moped along as it pleased.

"I have always felt it, vaguely," Vernon went on, his voice dropping to a low tone, "and this morning it was suddenly revealed to me—"

Miss Greene raised her hand as if to draw it across her brow; her veil stopped her.

"Let's not talk about that now," she pleaded. "Let's enjoy the air and the country. I don't have them often."

Vernon Had Left Her at the Hotel.

Her hand fell to her lap. The color had gone out of her cheeks. And Vernon suddenly felt that the summer had gone out of the air; a cold wind was blowing as over soiled patches of snow left in shaded depressions of the fields; the earth was brown and bare; the birds were silent. He jerked the horse smartly, and it gave an angry toss of its head, as it broke into its tentative trot.

"I do wish you could know the women I know," said Vernon, obviously breaking a silence. He spoke in an entirely different voice. "I meant to put it the other way. I meant that I wish they could know you, and I mean that they shall. You would be a revelation to them."

Miss Greene smiled, though her face was now careworn, almost old.

"Right along the line of our constitutional amendment, now," he said, with a briskness, "do you think the women will become interested?"

"The women of your acquaintance, or of mine?" asked Miss Greene.

"You're guying," said Vernon, and when Miss Greene seriously protested, Vernon said he meant all the women, as politicians pretend to mean all the people, when they mean only the party.

"I'm afraid not," she said. "They could have the ballot to-morrow if they'd only ask for it. The trouble is they don't want it."

"Well, we must educate them," said Vernon. "I have great hopes that the women whom I know will be aroused by what we are doing."

"I have no doubt they will," said Miss Greene. There was something enigmatical in her words, and Vernon glanced uneasily at her again.

"How do you mean?" he asked.

"You'll learn when you see the newspapers to-morrow," said Miss Greene.

"Do you think they'll have it in full?" asked Vernon. He was all alert, and his eyes sparkled in a new interest.

"On the first page," she replied, with conviction. "Have they your picture?"

"I don't know," Vernon replied. "They can get it, though," he added, thoughtfully.

"They keep the portraits of all distinguished public men on hand," Miss Greene said, with a certain reassurance in her tone.

"Oh, well, I hope they'll not print it," said Vernon, as if just then recalling what was expected of a distinguished public man under such circumstances.

"That's one of the penalties of being in public life," she answered with a curious smile.

"A penalty the ladies will be glad to pay when our reform is accomplished; isn't that so?" said Vernon, seeking relief in a light bantering tone.

"I thought we were not going to talk politics," she said, turning and looking at him. She adjusted her hat and held herself resolutely erect.

The sun was going down behind the prairies, the afternoon was almost gone; as they watched the sunset, Miss Greene broke the silence.

"It's a familiar sight," she said, and Vernon thought that he had a clue at last. She must know the prairies.

"It is just like a sunset at sea," she added.

When they had driven back to the town and Vernon had left her at the hotel, he turned to drive to the livery stable.

"By George!" he said, suddenly, speaking to himself. "I haven't read Amelia's letter!"

He fumbled in his coat pocket.

CHAPTER VIII.

Miss Greene's predictions were all realized in the sensation Vernon's speech created. The newspapers gave whole columns to it and illustrated their accounts with portraits of Vernon and of Maria Greene. Vernon thought of the pleasure Amelia must find in his new fame, and when he wrote to her he referred briefly but with the proper modesty to his remarkable personal triumph, and then waited for her congratulations.

The legislative session was drawing to a close; the customary Friday adjournment was not taken, but sessions were held that day and on Saturday, for the work was piling up, the procrastinating legislators having left it all for the last minute.

The week following would see house and senate sweltering in shirt sleeves and night sessions, and now, if a bill were to become law it was necessary that its sponsor stay, as it were, close beside it, lest in the mighty rush of the last few days it be lost.

Vernon, by virtue of his speech, had assumed the championship of the woman-suffrage resolution, and he felt it necessary to forego his customary visit to Chicago that week and remain over Sunday in Springfield. He devoted the day to composing a long letter to Miss Greene, in which he described the situation in detail, and suggested that it would be well for her, if possible, to come down to Springfield on Monday and stay until the resolution had been adopted. He gave her, in closing, such pledges of his devotion to the cause of womankind that she could hardly resist any appeal he might make for her presence and assistance.

On Monday he wired, urging the necessity of her presence. Tuesday morning brought him a reply, thanking him, in behalf of women, for his disinterested devotion to their cause, assuring him of her own appreciation of his services, and saying that she would reach Springfield—Wednesday morning.

Meanwhile he had had no letter from Amelia, and he began to wonder at her silence. He was not only disappointed, but piqued. He felt that his achievement deserved the promptest recognition from her, but he found a consolation, that grew in spite of him, in the thought that Maria Greene would soon be in Springfield, and to his heart he permitted Amelia's silence to justify him in a freer indulgence of attention to this fascinating woman lawyer.

Tuesday evening the crowd, that grows larger as the session nears its close, filled the lobby of the Leland. The night was warm, and to the heat of politics was suddenly added the heat of summer. Doors and windows were flung wide to the night, and the tall Egyptians, used as they were to the sultry atmosphere of southern Illinois, strode lazily about under their wide slouch hats with waistcoats open and cravats loosened, delighting in a new cause for chaffing the Chicago men, who had resumed their customary complaints of the Springfield weather.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Sets Law of Kitchen.

A "law of the kitchen" has been set forth in England in an opinion by a county judge. He holds that where the mistress of a house goes to the kitchen to aid the maid of all work the two are brought on terms of equality such as would not be tolerated in larger establishments. The case was that of a cook and general maid who sought to recover a month's wages from her former mistress in lieu of notice. The mistress asserted that the servant always "answered her back," but the judge held that under the circumstances this was not sufficient to justify dismissal.

What He Knew.

A graduate of a New England university applied not long ago to a Portland (Me.) importer for a position in the latter's establishment.

"Let me see," said the prospective employer, when he had scanned the numerous letters of recommendation offered by the applicant, "do you know anything of the shipping business?"

"Well, of course, sir," was the frank response, "I know a good deal about the expeditions of Ulysses and Aeneas."—Harper's Weekly.

Live and Let Live.

A neatly attired but somewhat wan-faced middle-aged Italian woman, dressed in black, leading a little boy with each hand, called at a lawyer's office in the Land Title building recently and arranged with him to apply for a divorce. After going over the history of her case the lawyer said: "Well, I suppose you want to get alimony?" In slightly accented, though nearly perfect English, the client replied: "I would just like to get part of his money, that's all."—Philadelphia Record.

Chinamen at Communion.

An infrequent visitor to St. Paul's chapel was amazed to see three Chinamen go up to the communion rail one recent Sunday, come back to their seats, and sit very quietly and intently throughout the partaking of the communion by the others.

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To appreciate the role played by the Hercules some idea must be given of the effect of the storm on other methods of travel. Fourteen mail coaches were abandoned on as many roads. Another was dug out of drifts five times between Exeter and London.

Another was buried so deep that it took 300 men, principally sappers and miners, several hours to make a passage to the coach and rescue the mails and passengers, while near Chatham the snow lay to a depth of 30 or 40 feet, the military being turned out to the unmber of 600 to clear the way.

In London the drifts were ten feet deep and hundreds of men and carts were employed hauling snow out to the fields in the suburbs. The markets were in a bad way. One day only four stall holders were able to reach a main market. Greens which a few days before the storm were being sold for three pence a bunch at market, now fetched from ten pence to one shilling, turnips, carrots and celery becoming equally dear; while one penny handfuls of parsley realized two shillings sixpence, and the happy possessor of a bunch which he had previously purchased for ninepence realized for his prize no less a sum than £1 2s 3d.

Amid all this confusion the pioneer railways covered themselves with glory by running trains almost without interruption. There was a deep cutting on one line where the snow had drifted badly and, according to the Queen, great numbers of people turned out to see how the Hercules engine would get along. They imagined, of course, that she would be stopped, but to their astonishment the engine dashed right into the drift, "clearing her way through apparently without the slightest difficulty, the snow at the same time flying over the top of the engine chimney like foam from the broken waves of a violent sea, and notwithstanding obstructions the train came down from Greenhead (20 miles) in one hour and a quarter."

When a Tooth Is Not a Tooth.

In Seattle last year a man was charged with and tried for practicing dentistry without a license. Each particular piece of evidence necessary to make out the case on the part of the state was proved, except that the prosecutor, having procured the prosecuting witness to exhibit his botched tooth to the jury, either forgot or didn't think it was necessary to ask the witness if it was a natural or an artificial tooth, and so lost his case. It seems the statute made it a misdemeanor to mend a "human tooth" for a fee without a license. Now the sensible presumption—the presumption that men or judges would naturally indulge in if they had not become imbued with the passion of peering for loopholes—would be that the tooth was natural and not artificial. But if we presumed that, the law would cease to be an "exact" science, and many gaping spectators on the back benches would be deprived of the joy of watching to see which lawyer came out winner in the match of wits.—Collier's Weekly.

Secret of Successful Oratory.

"The most effective orator I have ever heard," says a writer in the Windsor, "was an Italian ex-friar, an old Garibaldian, Sig. Gavazzi by name, who lectured in England when I was in my teens. He was addressing some 5,000 men and women of the hard-headed north country type. He was speaking in English, which was to him an acquired and foreign language. He played on his hearers as if they were an old fiddle in the grasp of Paganini. He made them literally laugh and cry at will. He would one moment hush them in spellbound silence, and the next, by a word or gesture, he would explode the charged mine of their enthusiasm into deafening cheers. As I listened to him I first understood why Demosthenes insisted so strenuously on action—action or delivery as the first, second and third secret of successful oratory."

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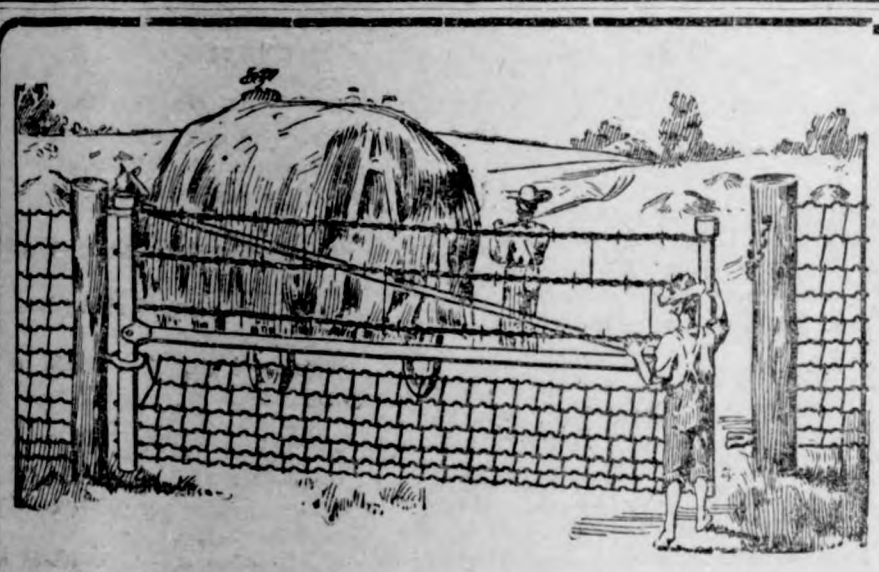

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Dear Editor—I wish that I could sit down with you all right now and have a six-hour talk with you, right from the shoulder, and tell you all about this wonderful country, where the possibilities are really unlimited. * * * I expect to get back to Garner in about ten days or so and will then go into detail with you. In this letter I only want to tell you in a few lines what I have been doing since I last saw you.

We left Garner on the morning of the 28th of May, and went as far as Dubuque, Iowa, where we stayed until Saturday night at 9:30 p. m. We got round trip tickets for $57.50 and our tickets are good until October 31, and fellows, I wish I could just stay until the limit of the tickets, as I'll confess that I am completely stuck on this country and the climate, and so far I must say the people too; everyone has been just the finest kind to me. They say, you know, that the Lord reserved this coast country for the best people on earth, and I am certainly beginning to think that I am one of the favored ones.

Well, I must get to my trip. We got to Omaha on the Illinois Central and laid over there until about 3:30 p. m. when we took the Union Pacific for Denver. Had a beautiful trip, and got to Denver half an hour late to make connection, so we took the train at 9 a. m. for the sight-seeing trip of my life, and I really believe that the piece of road between Denver and Salt Lake is the most wonderful piece of scenery in the world.

We traveled for hours on a train that is a palace, equipped in all the best, traveling at a high rate of speed with all the comforts of the home, and then some.

To appreciate this trip one must take the ride as it is absolutely grand and words cannot tell of the grandeur. The Grand Canyon of the Colorado is beautiful; the Hell Gate Canyon is also beyond description and as I say, you must see it all to believe it.

We crossed the Rocky Mountains over Tennessee Pass which is 10,224 feet over the level of the sea, and the air is delightful. At 9:30 that night we came to the summit and then the fun commenced. We got off the train while the trainmen were looking over the brakes and wheels for any possible defects, which took 20 minutes, and all of us got out and snowballed each other. The snow was two or three inches deep and it reminded me of the time when I was a kid washing the other fellow's face with snow. * *

Salt Lake City is a beautiful place, and while our time there was very short, I enjoyed seeing the Mormon Temple and the beautiful wide streets and tall buildings, and I want to say right here that when any of you take a trip west, you want to be sure and stop over at Denver, Salt Lake and Portland without fail.

We arrived at Portland at 8 p. m., and then was shown a city such as I never dreamed existed on this coast.

Portland has a population of 250,000 people and it looks twice that size to me, but for real up-to-dateness, it has all the large cities in the east skinned a mile. Got over to my friend, Mr. J Bracher's home where I am stopping now, about 11:30 p. m. and say, I can't begin to tell you how I slept that night.

At 8 a. m. Thursday we were on our way down town again, and then I was shown all around town and after a dinner at the Portland Commercial Club rooms, we left for the timber, via the Southern Pacific train at 4:15 p. m. We arrived at Cottage Grove, Ore., at 9:30 p. m. where Mr. Bracher's agent met us, and introduced us to our guide and cruiser, with whom we were to go into the real timbered country bright and early on Friday morning.

We left Cottage Grove at 7 a. m. with a team and two-seated rig, that were a pride and pleasure to be riding behind, and arrived at our destination at 8 a. m. Think of it; just an hour after we left town we were in the timber, and in an hour after that we were in a forest so dark and densely timbered that it is practically impossible to get a good photo of it. Here we found TIMBER, so straight, tall and clear that it took, as I said, two boys and a man to see the tops of some of the trees.

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I want to meet you all, fellows, when I get home, and tell you about this wonderful country and its immense opportunities and I know you won't be long taking a hint.

Get on the cars, see the fair at Seattle, and once you take a trip down in the timber you will be as crazy as I am.

I shall stop of at the Seattle Exposition on my way home, and also take a trip out on the ocean to Victoria, B. C. and then back to Tacoma and Seattle. Then I want to stop off at Ritzville for a day and then at Spokane to visit some of my old friends, and then take the Northern Pacific train for home.

Got some deer horns and could have brought home some elk horns too, but my suit case is full now and I can't carry any more things this trip.

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EVENTS HERE AND THERE

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

Senator La Follette accused Senator Aldrich of legislative trickery and declared he is unfit to be the leader of the Republicans in a senate speech.

Government engineers in a report to congress declare a 14-foot waterway from St. Louis to the gulf, at a cost of $128,000,000, undesirable.

J. F. Harm, in a letter to Secretary Wilson resigning as a government meat inspector scored the service at East St. Louis and told of filthy conditions in the packing plants.

Efforts of Senator Dolliver to get through amendments to the wool schedule of the tariff bill met with defeat.

Supporters of the income tax plan have refused to accept a substitute proposed by President Taft which provides for a two per cent. assessment on corporations.

The battleship Michigan made 20.01 knots in her trial trip, the government's requirements being 18.5 knots.

It was reported from Washington that President Taft has not decided to veto the tariff bill, as reported.

The senate voted to reduce the duty on cotton stockings about twenty cents a dozen pairs.

President Taft presented to Wilbur and Orville Wright, the aeroplanists, a gold medal awarded them by the Aero Club of America.

PERSONAL.

Dr. Paul Ritter, the new minister from Switzerland, was presented to President Taft.

George Ade, the playwright, has been chosen a trustee of his alma mater, Purdue university.

Andrew Carnegie's gifts for libraries amount to $51,596,963 while Mrs. Russell Sage has donated $25,000,000 for public purposes and mankind.

Lieutenant Commander H. M. Caldwell, who was an aid to Admiral George Dewey and stood by his side on the bridge of the flagship Olympia during the battle of Manila, has resigned from the navy.

Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, founder of Christian Science, gave out a signed statement denying allegations of Mrs. Delia Gilbert, one of her followers, that she "either was dead or a helpless, mindless puppet."

E. H. Harriman arrived in London from New York on his way to Paris. He had been seasick.

Dr. Richard Cockburn MacLaurin was formally inducted into the office of president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology at Boston in the presence of notable guests.

Daniel A. Sortwell, 25 years old, a broker's clerk, has been elected president of the Barre railroad at Boston, being the youngest head of a railway in the world.

Rear Admiral Uriel Sebree, commander of the Pacific fleet, on his arrival in Portland, Ore., made a plea for a large navy.

GENERAL NEWS.

Through the scent of a dog the New York police discovered the dismembered body of Samuel Bersin who was mysteriously slain.

Justice Dowling, who is hearing her divorce suit, rebuked Mrs. Howard Gould for her hazy memory which, he said, gave her husband's counsel unnecessary trouble.

A train was blown from the track and one person killed and several persons lost their lives in tornadoes which swept Texas.

J. F. Harms' charges of filthy conditions in East St. Louis packing houses are to be probed by government inspectors.

Fifty persons were rescued by a special train from Hiliman, Mo., when forest fires destroyed the town.

Herbert Todd, a merchant of Des Moines, Ia., was shot and seriously wounded by Moses Rice, a fruit vendor, who committed suicide.

Two earthquake shocks were felt in France and it was reported that several persons had been killed.

R. M. Smith & Co., lumber dealers, with large holdings in Indiana, Louisiana and West Virginia, were declared bankrupt by Judge Dayton at Parkersburg, W. Va.

John Hunt, a millionaire of California, says he was deserted in Europe by his wife, formerly Miss Henrietta Babcock of Detroit.

Otis D. Smith was hanged at Jacksonville, Fla., for slaying his sister.

Rear Admiral John J. Hunker, retired, is seriously ill at his home in Pasadena, Cal. He was for many years in command of the naval college at Newport, R. I.

A. H. Todd, a wholesale fruit dealer of Des Moines, Ia., was shot and severely wounded by a peddler in a quarrel over an account. Moses Rascnio, who shot him, killed himself by taking poison.

Nine mallard ducks have been hatched in New York city and in a few days the birds will be ready to swim. The eggs were brought from England in an attempt to prove that wild ducks may be propagated by farmers.

Jaquin Sorollay Bastiday, Spanish artist, sailed for France with $500,000 of American money. Just five months ago he arrived in New York with 346 of his own paintings and a European reputation.

The Carnegie Foundation has awarded an annual pension of $865 to Prof. Charles Edwin Loss of Transylvania university, who retires at the age of 85.

Announcement was made that William J. Bryan will be a candidate for United States senator from Nebraska.

Mrs. Howard Gould began her testimony at the trial of her suit for separation from her husband.

The Chicago police found that the revolver with which Dr. John T. Binkley was killed was purchased in New York and have dropped the theory of suicide.

William E. Corey, president of the steel trust, and Mrs. Corey were bruised and a companion fatally injured when they were thrown from an automobile in France.

The Iowa State Manufacturers' association adopted resolutions indorsing the course of Senators Dolliver and Cummins in the tariff fight.

William Benker killed himself by jumping from a hospital window at Mason City, Ia., after he had cut his throat.

Chicago trade expansionists who visited Tacoma, Wash., learned in that city that Mount Ranier has another name. In that city it is Mount Tacoma.

Youngstown, O., with 80,000 inhabitants, and the rest of Mahoning county, voted to retain saloons. The vote was "wet," 11,232; "dry," 9,263.

The Chinese foreign office has forbidden missionaries to proceed among the people in frontier provinces, because of their crude civilization and the fear of trouble.

A bag containing registered mail was stolen from an Illinois Central train at Champaign, Ill.

L. Gaban, a Cuban banker, has reached New York on his way to Europe and is traveling in a style suggestive of an Indian prince. The party includes his wife, three daughters, one son, four friends and two domestics. They took 20 rooms at a New York hotel.

The Burley Society of Tobacco Growers, meeting in Winchester, Ky., granted $24,000 back salary and a $15,000 bonus to President Clarence Lebus.

The federal court at Denver ruled that it is a fraudulent use of the mails for a person, in the interest of strikers, to communicate by letter with strike-breakers, offering them positions in other towns when such positions do not exist.

A report of a $1,300,000,000 railroad merger, credited to James J. Hill, was denied in St. Paul by Louis W. Hill, president of the Great Northern.

The twelfth annual convention of the Federation of American Zionists met in New York, chiefly to discuss the movement for the restoration of Palestine to the Jews.

The Minnesota Bankers' association opened its yearly meeting at Lake Minnetonka, President Joseph Chapman, Jr., of Minneapolis being in the chair.

William F. McDermott of Chicago has started action in court at Mercer, Pa., to have Mrs. Helen Boyle, his sister, who is serving a sentence of 25 years for kidnaping Willie Whitla, set free.

Charles Brown, aged six, and Edward Poe, a farmer, were killed by lightning near Anderson, Mo.

Floods are beginning in the Gunnison and Grand rivers in Colorado. The pumping plant at Grand Junction is menaced and hundreds of men are guarding railroad tracks and other property.

Damage to railroad property near Rapid City, S. D., as the result of a cloudburst, is estimated at $50,000. A Northwestern passenger train was piloted into Rapid City by a handcar after many hours' delay.

The auxiliary yacht Carnegie, built for the Carnegie institution for ocean surveys to correct compass data and in whose construction no magnetic metal is used, was launched at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Charles Miller, who worked as a waiter in the old Astor house in New York at $34 a month, has resigned and is going for a trip to Europe. He has accumulated a fortune of $200,000

ABOUT IOWA HOGS

Swine Breeders Hold Their Annual Convention.

A HUMAN INTEREST STORY

The Hog Is Quite the Biggest Creature in the State, With a Population of $8,000,000.

Des Moines.—The Iowa swine breeders' annual convention in Des Moines Tuesday is an important one. Moines Tuesday was an important one.

Few people realize the importance of this meeting. Every year Iowa produces 8,000,000 head of swine. This number is one-seventh the entire swine product of the United States. And it's a population of four hogs to every one of Iowa's 2,000,000 people.

These 8,000,000 hogs are worth $63,250,000, nearly one-fifth the valuation of all the hogs produced in the United States. The valuation is also greater than the combined product of any two states.

Iowa hogs surpass in numbers all the horses, mules, milk cows, beef cattle and sheep of the state.

Many of the men who are making and have made the Iowa hog what he is attended the convention. One of the most eminent authorities in the country on the subject of animal tuberculosis, Dr. John R. Moehler, chief of the pathological division of the bureau of animal industry was secured for this convention through Secretary James Wilson.

Many of the delegates to the Swine Breeders' convention remained over for the convention of the National association of expert swine judges, on the day following the breeders' meeting. The judging is to be done at the state fair grounds. This scoring work will be the big feature of the day's meeting.

Rain is Delaying the Farmers.

Rock Rapids.—The rainy weather continues to annoy the farmers who are anxious to get into the corn fields with the harrow and cultivator. Farmers are coming to realize in the past few years that it is the early attention that the corn gets that makes the crop and they say that there has been rain enough now and they want to go to work. The season is late, but the corn is coming along in fine shape and there is a general good stand.

Ralph Cruzen May be Suicide.

Oskaloosa.—Ralph Cruzen, aged 35 years, a prominent farmer of Madison township, is missing and it is believed that he drowned in the South Skunk river. Cruzen is demented and was confined in a private sanitarium at Des Moines. He escaped and walked to his home here. He has been tracked to a bridge over the river, where it is thought he committed suicide by drowning.

New Device Installed.

Waterloo—A deice that probably is destined to eliminate the possibility of a catastrophe should the trolley of an electric car fly off the trolly wire will in all probability be installed on the W. C. F. & N. eectric railway within the near future. This will be in the nature of a system of a new work guard about one foot in width and probably fifty feet in length.

With Dislocated Jaw.

Sioux City.—After having wandered the streets of Sioux City for three days, during which time he was unable to eat a bite of food because of a dislocated jaw, caused from falling down a hay chute four or five days ago , Ira Reber, whose exact residence is not yet known, lies in a critical condition at the Samaritan hospital.

Ensign to Woodbine.

Woodbine.—Prof. Forest C. Ensign of the State University of Iowa has been secured to deliver the address at the graduating exercises of the Woodbine Normal school, Friday evening, June 18. Rev. Mr. B. F. Hall will deliver the baccalaureate sermon, Sunday evening June 13, at the Christian church of Woodbine.

Sunday Converted 2,026.

Marshalltown.—A careful count of the converts' cards turned in to the local evangelistic committee as the result of the recent Sunday revival, shows a total of 2,026 conversions. All but 302 of this number have expressed some church preference.

Arersted for Embezzlement.

Onawa.—C. C. Smith, formerly auditor of the Neola Grain company at Rodney, Iowa, was arrested at Minneapolis by Sheriff Rawlings on a charge of embezzlement. The company claims a shortage of $1,100.

Iowa River Survey Made.

Keokuk.—Major Montgomery Meigs, George Hartel and Theodore Meyling left here in the launch Hornet bound for New Boston, where the Cedar and Iowa rivers empty into the Mississippi. The Hornet will go up the river as far as the junction of the two rivers. Columbus Junction, from where the trip down the river as far as Iowa City will be started. After finishing an examination of the Iowa river, the Cedar river will be examined as far as Cedar Rapids. The purpose of the examination is the same as that made of the Des Moines river to determine whether the river is worthy of a survey to discover if they are navigable. Major Meigs expects to be gone ten days.

Phone Improvements at Iowa Falls.

Iowa Falls.—The Iowa Telephone company has just sent to this city the advance guard of a big force of men who will re-equip the company's exchange in this city. A central energy plant will be installed and when completed, the old back number telephones will be removed and the new aquipment which calls the central office when the receiver is removed, will be offered the patrons of the company here. This work is being taken up gradually by the Iowa company all over the state and already the plants at Iowa City, Ames, Boone and other Iowa cities are thus equipped.

Bankers After This Man.

Eldora.—The Iowa Bankers' association is after a man giving the name of John Harris, who it is alleged has victimized any number of bankers. He recently operated at Weldon, Iowa, at Le Roy and Garden Grove, and several other places in southern Iowa, posing as a horse buyer and among other methods he uses forged telegrams to win his points. He is said to be about five feet ten inches in height, light complexion, blue eyes, smoothly shaved and is a rather smooth talker. He usually hangs around livery barns and is a good judge of horses.

Sons of Hermann Adjourn.

Fort Dodge.—At the closing session of the state convention of the Sons of Hermann, A. A. Lutze of Sioux City, was elected to the position of grand president. Other officers are past grand president, W. Wiese, Mapleton; first vice grand president, A. Kramer, Council Bluffs; second vice grand president, T. J. Thorson, Davenport; grand secretary and organizer, Carl Myers, Sioux City; grand treasurer, Frank Haaren, Sioux City; trustees, George E. Eisenberger of Alvard, Theodore Stickel of Davenport and John Groth of Remsen.

Nurses Conclude Meet.

Dubuque.—The convention of the registered nurses of Iowa elected as president, Miss Anna Goodale of Cedar Rapids; vice-president, Miss Abbie Tabor, Sioux City; second vice-president, Miss Letitia McNally, Independence; recording secretary, Miss Ida C. Nefa, Waterloo; corresponding secretary, Miss Floy Strayer, Waterloo; auditor, Miss Louisa Raffauf, Dyersville; delegate to the national convention, Miss Jane Garrard, Davenport. Des Moines was selected as the next meeting place.

Dies Next Day.

Des Moines.—After having received fatal injuries in the Coaldale mine Tuesday afternoon, James Spevack, 30, mule driver, walked to his home, several hundred rods distant. The terrific strain of this effort may have been the cause of his death thirty hours later. Spevack died at 5 o'clock Wednesday evening. He had been caught between the end of his car and a prop in the mine when his mule ran away. Peritonitis, caused by a rupture of the intestine, caused his death.

Straighten the Nishnabotna.

Council Bluffs.—By a majority of one vote, the board of supervisors acting as a drainage board, voted to establish the Nishnabotna drainage district. The project contemplates the straightening of the winding Nishnabotna river by means of a drainage ditch, which will cross the current of the turbulent stream eighty-one times.

College Trustees Elected.

Marshalltown.—At the thirty-fifth annual session of the Iowa State Christian conference, at LeGrand, trustees of Palmer college, the state denominational school, were elected in the persons of Rev. A. C. Grafton, Orient; Mrs. A. E. Trine and M. A. Gettis, LeGrand; Rev. L. E. Follansbee, Des Moines, and A. N. Benge, Winterset.

Needle Taken From Arm.

Forest City.—A needle an inch and a half in length was removed from the arm of L. J. Nelson, county auditor of this county, which he thinks has been in his body for some years.

GOT TO THE CAUSE

And Then All Symptoms of Kidney Trouble Vanished.

C. J. Hammonds, 517 S. Hill St., Pa Scott, Kansas, says: "I was operated on for stone in the kidney but not cured and some time after was feeling so badly that I knew that must be another stone that would have to be cut out. I decided to use Doan's Kidney Pills and the kidney action improved right away. Large quantities of sediment and stony particles passed from me and finally the stone itself, part dissolved, but still as big as a pea. When it disappeared all symptoms of dizziness, rheumatism and headaches have gained about 50 pounds since and feel well and hearty."

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ASK FATHER.

Clergyman—What would your father say if he saw you digging for worms on Sunday?

Willie—I don't know; but I know what he'd say if I did not dig for them. That's him fishing over there."

Ate a Chick with Big Eyes.

A trainman is telling an incident that occurred on a Mohawk & Malone train up in the woods the other day. The train was standing on a siding waiting the arrival and passing of another train when an Italian walked through the coach, his hands crossed on his stomach and his head waggling from side to side in a doleful manner.

"What's the matter, John?" some one inquired.

"Oh, me sick—me sick as dev," replied the man, rolling his head still more distressingly and continuing the rubbing of his stomach.

"Sick? Well, what you been eating?" asked the sympathetic passenger.

"Eata de chick with the big eyes," responded John, as his groans increased.

John had killed an owl the night before and it didn't agree with him.—Utica Observer.

A Man of Means.

Stern Parent—Ethel, young Fledley gave me to understand he was a man of means when he asked for your hand.

Ethel—He is a man of means, father.

Stern Parent—But he only makes $1,000 a year.

Ethel—Well, he means to make more.

Viewpoints.

Poet—Isn't it a shame the way those vandals are blasting away the beautiful Palisades?

Business Friend—I should say not. Why, that was the finest place in the world to paint patent medicine ads.—Puck.

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SYNOPSIS.

nator Morley Vernon's visit with his ree was interrupted by a call from political boss at the state capital. h regretted it, the girl more than he, use she had arranged to attend a er that evening with him. She said yearned for a national office for him. Vernon's desk in the senate he found ed rose, accompanied by a plea for rage for women. He met the au- ress, pretty Miss Maria Greene of cago, who proposed to convert him voting for house resolution No. 19. Greene secured Vernon's promise to for the suffrage resolution. He also d her by convincing others. He took king to the fair suffragette. Miss one consulted with the lieutenant-gov- . Vernon admitted to himself that suffragette had stirred a strange feel- within him. He forgot to read his ree's letter. Vernon made a great ech in favor of suffrage, aided by ices from Miss Greene. The resolution made a special order. Vernon was husiastic on the prospects for the res- tion. He was much in Miss Greene's pany. Vernon neglected thoughts of elia. He took Miss Greene driving and out plans for the success of the reso- ion. Vernon's speech caused a great spaper sensation. He was being neg- ted by Amelia, who had not answered letter.

CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

Vernon was of this crowd, moving m one group to another, smoking, ghing, talking. His heart may have en a little sore at the thought of melia's strange neglect of him, but e soreness had subsided until now it s but a slight numbness which he uld forget at times, and when he did ink of it, it but gave him resolution play the game more fiercely.

He found it pleasant as he threaded s way through the crowd to halt sen- ors as he met them and say:

"Well, the woman suffrage resolu- n comes up to-morrow. You'll be r it, of course?"

It gave him such a legislative and tesmanlike importance to do this. be was going leisurely about this est, testing some of the sensations a parliamentary leader, Cowley, e correspondent of the Courier, ac- sted him, and, showing his teeth in at odd smile of his, asked if he red to say anything about the reso- ion.

"Only that it comes up as a special der in the morning, and that I have doubt whatever of its adoption by e senate."

"Have you assurances from—"

"From everybody, and every assur- nce," said Vernon. "They're all for Come and have a cigar."

They went over to the cigar stand, d when they had lighted their cigars owley said:

"Let's go out for a little walk; I ay be able to tell you something that ill interest you."

CHAPTER IX.

Vernon was glad enough of a breath the evening air, and they went own the steps to the sidewalk. Along e curbstone many men had placed hairs and in these cool and quiet ed- es of the brawling stream of politics ey joked and laughed peacefully. ixth street stretched away dark and viling. Vernon and Cowley turned outhward and strolled along com- nionably. The air was delicious aft- the blaze of the hotel; the black ade of a moonless night was restful; eir cigars were fragrant.

"I've just got hold of a story," be- an Cowley, after they had enjoyed e night for a moment in silence. 'I've just got hold of a story—" he oke, of course, as always, from the lached standpoint of a newspaper an, "which you ought to know."

"What is it?" asked Vernon.

"Porter and Braidwood are against our resolution." Cowley spoke these mes in a tone that told how futile y opposition would be. "And right and his fellows are against it, o," he added.

"Nonsense," said Vernon.

"Well, you'll see," replied Cowley.

"But they told me—"

"Oh, well, that's all right. They've hanged in the last day or two."

"Why?"

"Well, they say it's risky from a arty standpoint. They think they already have all the load they want to arry in the fall campaign. Besides, hey—"

"What?"

"They say there's no demand for such a radical step, and so see no reason for taking it."

Vernon laughed.

"All right," said Cowley in the careless tone of one who has discharged a duty. "Wait till you see Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop land in here to-morrow."

"Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop!" Vernon stopped still in the middle of the sidewalk and turned in surprise and fear to Cowley. Cowley enjoyed the little sensation he had produced.

"But they were all for it," Vernon muttered.

"Oh, well, you know they never took the thing very seriously. Of course they passed it in the house just to line up old man Ames for the appropriation bill. They didn't think it would amount to anything."

"Yes, I know—but Maria Burley Greene—"

"Well, she's a pretty woman; that's all."

"You bet she is," said Vernon, "and she'll be down here again to-morrow, too."

"Will she?" said Cowley, eagerly, with his strange smile.

"Yes—but, look here, Charlie!" Vernon exclaimed, "don't you go mixing me up with her, now, understand?"

"Oh, I understand," said Cowley and he laughed significantly.

When Vernon reached the hotel he set to work in earnest. He tramped about half the night, until he had seen every senator who could be found. He noted a change in them; if he did not find them hostile he found many of them shy and reluctant. But when he went to his room he had enough promises to allay his fears and to restore, in a measure, his confidence, and he fell asleep thinking of Maria Greene, happy in the thought that she would be there with her charms to offset the social influence of Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop.

CHAPTER X.

Vernon went down to breakfast the next morning wearing the new summer clothes his tailor had sent to him from Chicago the day before. He had a flower in his buttonhole; a red rose, indeed, showing his colors for the final triumphant day.

The rotunda of the hotel, swept of the litter of the night before, was clean and cool, and the morning air of a perfect day came in refreshingly at the open doors. The farmer members, confirmed in the habit of early rising, were already sauntering aimlessly about, but otherwise statesmen still slumbered, tired out by their labors of the night before.

Vernon, in the nervous excitement which arouses one at the dawn of any day that is to be big with events, had risen earlier than was his wont. He hastened into the dining room, and there, at the first table his eye alighted on, sat Maria Burley Greene. She saw him at once, for she faced the door, and she greeted him with a brilliant smile. With springing step he rushed toward her, both hands extended in his cagerness. She half rose to take them; their greeting silenced the early breakfasters for an instant. Then he sat down opposite her and leaned over with a radiant face as near to her as might be, considering the width of the tablecloth and the breakfast things between.

"And so you're here at last!" he exclaimed.

His eyes quickly took in her toilet; remarkably fresh it was, though it had been made on the Springfield sleeper. It gave none of those evidences of being but the late flowering of a toilet that had been made the night before, as do the toilets of some ladies under similar circumstances. She wore this morning a suit of brown, tailored faultlessly to every flat seam and a little turban to match it. Beside her plate lay her veil, her gloves, and a brass tagged key. And her face, clear and rosy in its rich beauty, was good to look upon. The waiter had just brought her strawberries.

"Send John to me," said Vernon to the waiter. "I'll take my breakfast here. May I?" He lifted his eyes to Miss Greene's.

"She'll Be Down Here Again To-Morrow, Too."

"Surely," said she, "we'll have much to discuss."

"And so you're here again at last," repeated Vernon, as if he had not already made the same observation. He laid, this time, perhaps a little more stress on the "at last." She must have noted that fact, for she blushed, red as the strawberries she began to turn over with a critically poised fork.

"And did you come down alone?" Vernon went on.

"No, not exactly," said Miss Greene. "Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, and, I believe, several—"

"Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop!"

"I think," said Miss Greene, "that she sits somewhere behind." There was a twinkle in the eyes she lifted for an instant from her berries.

Vernon scanned the dining room. There was Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, in all her—and yes, beside her, sheltered snugly under her all-protecting wing, was Amelia Ansley! They were at a long table, Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop at the head, and with them half a dozen women, severe, and most aggressively respectable. They sat—all of them—erect, pecking at their food with a distrust that was not so much a material caution as a spiritual evidence of their superiority to most of the things with which they were thrust in contact every day. Their hats scarcely trembled, such was the immense propriety of their attitudes; they did not bend at all, even to the cream.

Vernon, who was taking all this in at a glance, saw that Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop was severer than he had ever imagined it possible for women to be—even such a woman as she. He would not have been surprised had he suddenly been told that her name had acquired another hyphen; certainly her dignity had been rehyphenated. There she sat, with her broad shoulders and ample bust, her arms jeopardizing the sleeves of her jacket.

It was the most impressive breakfast table he had ever seen. It might have given him a vision of the future, when he should have secured for women all their civil and political rights, and the nation had progressed to female lieutenant generals, who would be forced at times to dine in public with their staffs. But he had no such vision, of course; the very spiritual aversion of those women to such a thought would have prevented it, occultly.

In point of fact, his regard in an instant had ceased to be general and had become specific, having Amelia for its objective. She sat on the right of her commander, a rather timid aide; and she seemed spiritually to snuggle more closely under her protecting shadow with each passing moment. She seemed to be half frightened, and had the look of a little girl who is about to cry. Her gray figure, with its hat of violets above her dark hair, was, on the instant, half pathetic to Vernon. She sat facing him, her face downcast.

There was no conversation at that table; it was to be seen at a glance indeed that among those ladies there would be need for none, all things having been prearranged for them. Vernon noted that Amelia seemed to him more dainty, more fragile than she had ever been before, and his heart surged out toward her. Then she raised her eyes slowly, and held him, until from their depths she stabbed with one swift glance, a glance full of all accusation, indictment and reproach. The stab went to his heart with a pain that made him exclaim. Then perceiving that the complicating moments were flying, he rose hastily, and with half an apology to Miss Greene, he rushed across the dining room.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A Handy Library.

Many of the new books come out in serial form in the magazines and papers. Cut out the installments as they appear and glue them together—book fashion, if from a magazine, or in one long strip if taken from a newspaper. Take a long, stout envelope, paste the name of the story on the back, fold the sheets or strips of clippings and place in the envelope. This is a book which takes only a small space on the shelves, and the name is easily seen from the outside. These envelope books are invaluable for sick people, as frail hands are not tired by holding a light slip of paper when it would be impossible to hold a heavy book. As a bit of cheer for all invalids they might be aptly termed the sunbeam library.—Housekeeper.

ARTIFICIAL LIGHT FOR BIRDS

Lengthens Their Day, Giving Them More Time for Feeding.

Winter has always proved a trying time for rare and delicate birds in the zoological gardens. One interesting theory has been advanced, that owing to the long nights in these latitudes in winter the poor birds do not feed long enough during the day to "keep body and soul together." In the old insect house some good was effected by inducing the birds to feed before dawn with the aid of a powerful motor lamp which was placed there an hour in the winter.

In the new small birdhouse, says the London Daily Mail, an elaborate incandescent gaslight installation has just been completed. It is controlled from outside and at six o'clock in the morning a watchman switches on the lights.

Immediately a chorus of songs breaks out from the aroused birds which start breakfast immediately. This extra feeding time has already produced good results in the shape of improved condition of the birds of paradise, mynahs and other rare tropical birds in the house.

Oil Lamps Brighter Than Electric Light.

Probably one of the most wonderful as well as useful of modern inventions is that of a New York scientist who has just secured from the Government protection on a lamp burner, which by converting the oil into hydro-carbon gas, burning on a mantle, gives an eighty candle power light with less oil consumption and without carbonizing the mantle or overheating the lamp. It can be fitted to any lamp and the wick lasts a lifetime. There is absolutely no danger, no odor and no smoke. The Union Light Co., of New York City, have acquired the selling rights of this burner, which is called the "Herzog," after the inventor, and, we understand, are making a special discount to introduce it into each township with a view of securing a local representative.

SEEMED APPROPRIATE TO HER

Wife of Sick Man Thought She Had Reason for Appealing to Locomotive Works.

One day last winter a feeble Irish woman called upon us for aid. The case sounded urgent, so I went with her at once. Everything was just as she had stated. Her husband was very ill, she was too old and feeble to work, their children were dead, there was no fire and their only food was bread which their neighbors, almost as poor as they, had given them. I asked her why she had not come to us before and she replied that she had appealed to the church and to several individuals without success.

"Thin," she went on, "oi wint to th' big place 'round the strate." The only "big place" near was a plant for the manufacture of steam engines, and I wondered.

"But what made you go to the locomotive works?" I asked.

"Well, ma'am, shure an' ain't me old man got locomotive taxes?"—New York Telegram.

Dodging Responsibility.

"Why should a man pay rent when he can own his own home?" said the thrifty citizen.

"I don't know," answered Mr. Meekton, "unless it's because you'd rather have your wife speak her mind to the landloard than to you when the place gets run down."

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Jewitt—What isn't?

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FIFTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Twenty-eight Finish Course in the Rural Schools of Hancock County

PROGRAM SATURDAY

The Fifth Annual Commencement exercises of the public schools of Hancock County will be held at the court house in Garner on Saturday morning, June 19th, at ten o'clock. The following is the program:

Music.
Invocation— Rev. S. M. McConnell.
Music.
Recitation—Eva A. Wagner.
Recitation—Harry L. Hickok.
Music.
Address—Hon. A. C. Ripley,
Music.
Address—Hon. John Hammill.
Presentation of Diplomas.
Music—"America."

The following are the names of those who comprise the class of 1909:

Harry L. Hickok
Eva A. Wagner
Vera Fern Hickok
Martha Laura Hawley
Alice Ernestine Perrigo
Nora Jane Eliason
Ina Yeakel
Beate Henrietta Ahrens
Nettie M. Flint
Clara E. Durant
Jesse Frank Keraus
Ethel Johnson
Milton John Mertz
Daisy Lewis
Olga A Jacobson
Carrie V. Zeigler
Floy Lucile Daniels
Eleanora C. Fredrickson
Rose Dallman
Sarah Murray
Mabel Bushman
Henry Orthel
Joseph Henry Lloyd
Clarissa Rosabelle Peterson
Walter William Dirksen
Anna Orthel
Lena Dallman
Rose Evelyn Gifford

ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Miss Mae Yohn visited several days last week with Forest City friends

Hod Lawhorn and wife and Miss Hazel were at the Lake Sunday.

Roy Kimball, of Clear Lake, spent Sunday with friends here.

Fred Haupt has erected a windmill on his Ell Center farm.

Jim Young, the veterinery of Garner, was in this neighborhood last Friday

Ira French and family were fishing at the lake Sunday.

Chronic Rheumatism

This is the variety of rheumatism that usually attacks the larger joints, knees, hips and shoulders. It is aggravated by cold and damp weather, and for this reason a man afflicted with it can often foretell changes in the weather. Chamberlain's Liniment applied freely and with vigorous rubbing relieves the pain and makes sleep and rest possible. It will also effect a cure, but will not prevent the recurrence of the disease. For sale by G. A. Pabst & Co.

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Come in and pick out that New Suit for

JULY 4th...

You can pick from all the latest styles with Cuffs and Pocket Flaps, in all the new shades:

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Olive Brown
Fancy Tan
Fancy Blue
Oxford Grey
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see our line of Pattern Hats and Trimmed Hats. Nice line of headwear for the Children. We have the best assortment ever shown in Klemme or the surrounding towns. Don't buy until you have seen our display.

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Read Ell Bros. ad on the first page.

Found—A pair of spectacles. Call at State Savins Bank.

Ell Bros. shipped another car of eggs to Chicago last Saturday.

For a chunk of good cold ice call at Bloom's elevator or on G. R. Waterman. 44tf

Miss Ely, of Belmond, was here yesterday giving instruction to her class in music.

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

F. J. Wenck and M. L. Parker were at Waterloo, Iowa, last Thursday and Friday, attending the bankers convention.

Morris Day returned to Klemme Saturday, after spending a few days at Fort Dodge attending the G. A. R. encampment.

New cement walk will also be built in front of Kirkwood's restaurant. The old walk has been torn up and the gravel foundation is being put in.

Make easy money at home corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary. Send stamp for particulars. Empire Press Syndicate, Middleport, N. Y. 45-3

Mr. and Mrs. John Bachman, who have both been sick with typhoid fever, have again been seen on our streets, which is a source of satisfaction to their many friends.

We printed bills yesterday announcing a dance to be held at the Klemme opera house on Friday evening, June 18. Good music and a good time. The bills say everybody is invited.

As you will notice by an ad in this paper, Britt is going to make the eagle scream this year on July 3rd. Plan to celebrate in Britt, where they always show their visitors a good time.

News is an awfully scarce article this week. The weather is fine and the farmers are all busy plowing corn. It is very quiet in town, but every day of sunshine is worth hundreds of dollars to good old Iowa.

If you want to buy anything or if you have anything to sell, you can't reach the buyer or seller any easier or cheaper than by inserting a small ad in the Times. The cost is small and results are sure.

Today is the day that a total eclipse of the sun is scheduled to appear, visible in all portions of the United States except in the extreme southern. The eclipse will begin in this section at 6:10 in the evening and will continue until after sunset. At the time of the disappearance of Old Sol, the moon will obscure about one-half of his area. Today is also the big Woodmen picnic day at Belmond.

A Thrilling Rescue

How Bert R. Lean, of Cheny, Wash. was saved from a frightful death is a story to thrill the world. "A hard cold," he writes, "brought on a desperate lung trouble that baffled an expert doctor here. Then I paid $10 to $15 a visit to a lung specialist in Spokane, who did not help me. Then I went to California, but without benefit. At last I used Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me and now I am as well as ever." For lung trouble, bronchitis, coughs and colds, asthma, croup and whooping cough its supreme, 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co.

Ice cream sodas, sundaes, and all kinds of cool refreshing drinks at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

Obituary

Carolina Berg, nee Schwichtenberg, was born December 24, 1862, near Elkport, Iowa, and died June 12, 1909, in West Grove, Iowa, as the result of apoplexy of the brain.

On June 19, 1884, she was joined in marriage to Rev. Wm. Berg, and for nearly twenty-five years she shared with him the joys and hardships of the ministry. She was reared in a Christian home and from early childhood attended the Sunday School and church services, thus becoming acquainted with Christian teachings. she was converted and joined the church in her youth.

Her gentle, quiet, patient disposition was a marked characteristic. With her cheerful manner she made friends everywhere. Prayer and the reading of the word of God were her anchorage. She delighted in German hymns and Christian literature. Though her death came suddenly and unexpectedly, we have all reason to believe that she was ready for the final summons.

After a service in the church in West Grove, of which her husband is pastor, the remains were brought to Klemme for burial. Services were held in the German M. E. church Monday afternoon and interment was made in the Klemme cemetery. The deceased leaves her husband, one son, her aged mother, one brother, and one sister, and a large circle of friends and relatives.

German M. E. Church Items

Camp meeting begins this evening and continues until Monday noon.

Emelia Lenz and Anna Griewe are attending the teachers' institute at Garner this week.

Mrs. Peck of Garner was a visitor in Germantown with Mrs. Tanner the first of the week.

Lydia and Edna Schuidt returned Monday evening from their trip to Clayton county.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Weisbrod departed Monday for their future home near Fenton, Iowa.

The Children's Day programs last Sunday were short, yet were listened to with interest.

Mrs. Levi Klotzbach, of Beulah, Iowa, is visiting her parents and will attend the camp-meeting.

Benj. Schlei came down from northern Minnesota to be present at the marriage of his sister Della.

H. Brockmeyer and wife, of Colesburg, arrived here Sunday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Berg.

Carl Albright starts on a long tour this week through the western and southern states. He will be gone several months.

Wm. Kulper and wife, of Waterloo, attended the Weisbrod-Schlei wedding last week and spent a few days with their relatives.

Ella Griewe and Lurena Wessel returned from college last week and have been exercising these days in the kitchen and garden.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tanner had their little boy christened last Sunday, naming him Luther Irving. Mr. and Mrs. George Schaper at the same time and place had their little boy baptized, Homer Stanley

James Schneider and wife, of Froelich, Iowa, arrived last week to visit friends and look after their land interests. Mr. Schneider returned Saturday, while Mrs. S. is spending a few days with her people.

As to Publishing Council Proceedings

The following law was passed by the last legislature and goes into effect July 4th:

Sec. 1. Immediately following a regular or special meeting of the city or town council, the clerk shall, when so ordered by said council, prepare a condensed statement of the proceedings of said council, including a list of claims allowed, and from what funds appropriated, and cause the same to be published in one or more newspapers of general circulation published in said city or town, or by posting in one or more public places, as directed by said council.

Sec. 2. That the compensation allowed each newspaper for such publication shall not exceed one-third of the legal fee provided by statute for the publication of legal notices.—Ex.

Sold Bad Eggs---Pays Fine

A dispatch from Marshalltown to the Register and Leader says:

Because Dr. M. M. Evans, a leading physician of LeGrand and a prominent Iowa poultry fancier, sold twelve dozen eggs to C. M. Wheeler, a grocer of this city, and the eggs proved bad, a state pure food inspector, accompanied by Constable A Morse of this city, swooped down on Evans and arrested him on a charge of selling adulterated eggs.

Dr. Evans paid a fine of $25

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CELEBRATE
the Fourth of July in Britt.

The Big Celebration of Hancock County this year will be held at

BRITT
on Sat. July 3

Good Speaking, Good Music and Other Patriotic Exercises

Two Good Bands
Grand Street Parade

Two Free Base Ball Games
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$50 in Gold in Four Prizes to those who register.

Something Doing Every Minute from Sun-up until Midnight.

Come to BRITT
and have the best time of your life.

W. R. BLOOM
Buyer and Shipper of
Grain and Live Stock
Best Grades of Hard and Soft Coal. Will be prepared to furnish my patrons with the celebrated Petroleum COKE about July 1st. Leave your orders while you can get the coke.
Stock wanted 6 days in the week

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Photograph
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This year you can make the trip you have had in mind for so long—a trip to the Pacific Coast. Go now, while rates are low and routes arranged so you can see the most at lowest cost, including the great exposition at
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It covers an area of 250 acres, located on two beautiful lakes, overlooked by snow-capped mountains, and will interestingly exhibit the wonderful development and possibilities of Alaska and the countries of the Pacific. Very low fares daily during the summer. Let me tell you how comfortably and conveniently the trip is made
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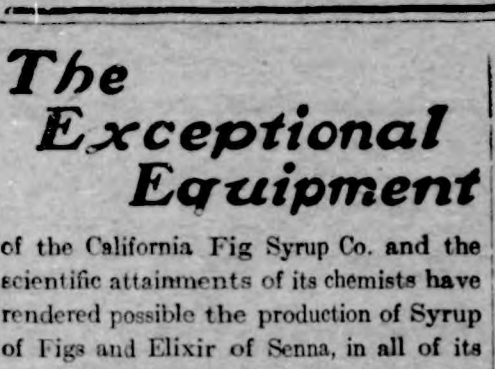
As there is only one genuine Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna and as the genuine is manufactured by an original method known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only, it is always necessary to buy the genuine to get its beneficial effects.

A knowledge of the above facts enables one to decline imitations or to return them if, upon viewing the package, the full name of the California Fig Syrup Co. is not found printed on the front thereof.

WOMAN'S WORTH.



Wifey—I see by this paper that a man in America sold his wife for a shilling.

Hubby—Well, if she was a good one she was worth it.

Rabbinical Wit.

An English rabbi was asked if there was any weighty reason against having a clock in the synagogue. "By no means," was the reply. "Have your clock, but put it outside the building, and then you can tell how late you come to the service." Two rabbis were passing the beautiful synagogue in which one of them officiated. "How I envy you!" said the first. "You must be in a paradise." "Hold, friend!" the second explained. "In the original paradise there was only one serpent, but in this congregation are many of them."

Lack Means to Fight Tuberculosis.

Homer Folks of New York city recently stated before the National association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis that there are in the United States at the present time 75,000 cases of tuberculosis in advanced stages of the disease, every one of whom should be isolated in hospitals, but there are at the present time not anything like enough hospital beds for these cases in the country.

Stuck.

Gunner—Why in the world do the fellows around this club allude to old Foggman as "Mr. Automobile?" He's not swift, is he?

Guyer—Just the opposite. It's a polite way of calling him old "Stick in the Mud.'"

PRESSED HARD
Coffee's Weight on Old Age.

When prominent men realize the injurious effects of coffee and the change in health that Postum can bring, they are glad to lend their testimony for the benefit of others.

A superintendent of public schools in one of the southern states says:

"My mother, since her early childhood, was on inveterate coffee drinker, had been troubled with her heart for a number of years and complained of that 'weak all over' feeling and sick stomach.

"Some time ago I was making an official visit to a distant part of the country and took dinner with one of the merchants of the place. I noticed a somewhat peculiar flavour of the coffee, and asked him concerning it. He replied that it was Postum.

"I was so pleased with it, that after the meal was over, I bought a package to carry home with me, and had wife prepare some for the next meal. The whole family were so well pleased with it, that we discontinued coffee and used Postum entirely.

"I had really been at times very anxious concerning my mother's condition, but we noticed that after using Postum for a short time, she felt so much better than she did prior to its use, and had little trouble with her heart and no sick stomach; that the headaches were not so frequent, and her general condition much improved. This continued until she was as well and hearty as the rest of us.

"I know Postum has benefited myself and the other members of the family, but not in so marked a degree as in the case of my mother, as she was a victim of long standing." Read, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

TO MAKE TEST CASE

Limit of $200 on City Jobs Causes Trouble.

COURT WILL SETTLE MATTER

Mayor Wants Courts to Take Responsibility, and Thinks Decision Can be Had in Couple of Weeks.

Des Moines, Iowa, June 12.—Realizing that the city will be bound hand and foot in doing municipal work if it cannot perform jobs amounting to more than $200 except by contract, Mayor Mathis has offered a compromise measure in the way of a test case of the law, to Councilman MacVicar, whose department is the most affected.

The mayor has suggested that some piece of work, amounting to more than the statute limitation, be ordered by the city and that a case be started in good faith. He claims an opinion can be received from the district court in ten days or two weeks. If the district court holds the council is not restricted in the amount of work that can be done by day labor, as was the old board of public works, then he will continue to vote for the performance by the city of work amounting to more than $200, pending a supreme court decision. That will place the responsibility of possible illegal procedure on the court, and not on the city officials. But if it is found that the $200 limitation is applicable under the Des Moines plan, the mayor says he will refuse to vote for a continuation of the present method. Councilmen Hamery and Ash take the same stand.

Board on Water Ways Named.

Governor B. F. Carroll named the first state drainage and conservation commission that Iowa ever had, in accordance with the law passed by the recent legislature setting aside $5,000 for preliminary steps towards making Iowa rivers navigable. The commission is as follows:

Al. C. Miller of Des Moines, Dr. T. M. McBride of Iowa City, E. A. Burgess of Sioux City, Senator A. F. Frudden of Dubuque, Prof. W. H. Stevenson of Ames, J. W. Keerl of Mason City, L. W. Anderson of Cedar Rapids.

By people who are interested in improvement of Iowa waterways and the conservation of the state's natural resources, the creation of this board is regarded as the most important act of the legislature. The appropriation is too small however, to admit of the carrying out of the provisions of the act, which calls for river surveys, geological tests, forest preservation, use of water power, etc. A secretary, at $1,500 per year, is provided for. He will be elected probably when the board holds its first meeting in July.

Prosecutors Will Meet.

County Attorney Lawrence DeGraff of Polk county will be one of the principal speakers at the annual convention of the State Association of County Attorneys to be held in Marshalltown June 23 and 24. He will read a paper on "New Laws and Decisions Affecting County Attorneys and Their Duties."

The sessions of the county attorneys will end just at the opening of the state convention of the Iowa Bar association and a majority of the prosecutors will stay over and attend the meetings of the barristers.

River Threatens Damages to City.

With heavy rains in northern Iowa and with the Des Moines and Raccoon rivers rising rapidly, indications were that the lowlands of Des Moines will be entirely floodel and railroad traffic partially crippled.

The Des Moines river rose two inches an hour Thursday and at 10:30 o'clock the Locust street bridge gauge showed a stage of twelve feet and eight inches, a rise of eleven inches since 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Carroll Cancels a Date.

Owing to a slight attack of indigestion, Governor Carroll was unable to attend the meeting of Iowa bankers at Waterloo. He was dated to address the meeting and arrangements were made with J. D. Whisenand of Des Moines to read the governor's paper before the convention.

Des Moines Woman Wins.

Des Moines members of the Women's Relief corps are rejoicing over the election of Mrs. Marie L. Basham to the office of chief of the W. R. C. of Iowa at Fort Dodge. Mrs. Basham resides in Highland Park and is one of the most popular members of the order in Iowa.

General Byers has forwarded to Commissioner Wright a complete explanation of the new law passed by the recent legislature, forbidding discriminations in the purchase of milk, cream, butter, eggs or other produce. Commissioner Wright had asked the opinion because of the numerous requests for information as to the meaning of the law, which have been sent to him.

Mr. Byers' communication is as follows:

"The purpose of the act was to prohibit any person, firm, company, association or corporation doing business in this state and engaged in the business of buying milk, cream or butter fat for the purpose of manufacture, or of buying poultry, eggs or grain for the purpose of sale or storage, from destroying the business of a competitor or creating a monopoly by paying different prices in different parts of the state for the same grade and quality of the article purchased after making due allowance for the difference in transportation from the point of purchase to the point of manufacture, sale or storage. The thing prohibited by the act is the discrimination in price for an illegal purpose, viz., for the destroying of competition or the creating of a monopoly. The act itself, however, permits the paying of a different price in one place than is paid generally by the same person at different points throughout the state, provided the change in price is made in good faith to meet competition in a particular locality.

"The payment of a different price than that generally paid throughout the state for the same article, considering the difference in cost of transportation, by the indirect method of fraudulently reading the butter fat test is as clearly illegal and a violation of the act as though a different price were paid in the regular way, provided that this is done for the purpose of destroying the business of a competitor or creating a monopoly.

"The enforcement of this act is by section 5028-e of the supplement to the code, 1907, especially enjoined upon the county attorney and the attorney general.

"I conclude, therefore, that the only duty encumbent upon you in reference to this act is that which necessarily results from the nature of the act and its relation to your department.

"Considering that complaints for violation of this act will constantly be presented to your department, I suggest that you refer all such complaints to the county attorney of the county where the law is violated, and also to the department of justice."

Woman for Reformatory Head.

"If we could find a woman with executive ability for the head of the Mitchellville school we would prefer her to a man," declared Chairman John Cownie of the state board of control.

This was the first positive announcement that the board of control favors a woman as successor to Superintendent E. P. Fitzgerald, who has resigned. According to Mr. Cownie only a few women have applied for the position and the greatest difficulty confronting the board is to find a woman capable of managing the school and carrying on the good work done by Mr. Fitzgerald.

Mrs. Geo. Newman Falls Dead.

Mrs. George A. Newman, 60, wife of the adjutant general of the Iowa department of G. A. R., died in Fort Dodge of apoplexy.

Mrs. Newman went to Fort Dodge with her husband to attend the annual encampment of the Iowa department of G. A. R. For years she has taken an active part in the work of the Women's Relief Corps, and it was during the opening session of that organization that she was stricken. Mrs. Newman is survived by her husband and two sons. Funeral services were reld at Cedar Rapids.

Postal Receipts are Climbing.

Postal receipts for the month of May, as given out by John Ryan, the assistant postmaster, show another big increase as compared with former years.

Following are the figures:

May, 1909	$50,905.01
May, 1908	48,020.75
Gain (6 per cent)	$ 2,844.26

This is also one of the biggest increases for this season in many years.

Two More Ask Pardons.

Two new names have been added to the list of lifers, which the board of parole will consider for pardons at the July meeting. They are L. W. Watson, convicted of murder from Mills county in 1884, who has served twenty-five years of his sentence, and Byron Guinn, Lucas county, sent to the penitentiary eighteen years ago for one of the many murders in Iowa coal fields. Both men have good prison records.

SHOT BY CORPORAL

Corporal Lisle Crabtree Wounds Three Officers.

TRIES TO END OWN LIFE

Raymond Near Death, but Sergeant Washburn and Corporal Such Not Seriously Injured—Last Bullet in Own Body.

Des Moines, Ia., June 14.—Capt John C. Raymond, commanding officer of Troop B, Second United States cavalry, was shot and probably fatally injured in his office at Fort Des Moines by Corporal Lisle Crabtree of his own troop at noon Sunday. First Sergeant James H. Washburn and Corporal Elijah Such, who were in the room with Captain Raymond at the time, were also wounded, and Crabtree also shot himself just below the heart. He will probably survive.

Crabtree's attempt at wholesale murder was the result of an official reprimand by Captain Raymond for having over-stayed his leave from the post. He had been in Des Moines Saturday night and had arrived at the fort during the morning, too late to report before his leave of absence expired. Crabtree reported to his captain in response to a summons, declared that he understood his leave extended until 7:30 p. m. yesterday instead of 7:30 a. m., and his excuse was accepted.

Victims of Shooting.

Capt. John C. Raymond; shot in left side of neck, bullet ranging downward and striking spinal column, causing paralysis; condition critical.

First Sergt. James H. Washburn; shot through right hand and jaw; jaw bone broken; will recover.

Corporal Elijah Such; flesh wound in left arm; slight.

Corporal Lisle Crabtree; self-inflicted wound, in left breast, just below the heart; will probably recover.

Captain Raymond's Condition.

Early Monday morning it was stated by the surgeons at Mercy hospital that Captain Raymond's condition was not encouraging, but no immediate danger was anticipated. He experienced great pain last night. Surgeons will probably probe for the bullet which struck his spinal column.

Three Drown in Lake.

St. Louis, Mo., June 14.—Three men were drowned by the overturning of a rowboat on Creve Coeur lake, a resort 25 miles west of St. Louis. The corpses have not been identified.

OIL INSPECTORS ARE NAMED

Flags Fly at Half Mast and All Boston Pays Tribute to Beloved Leader.

Boston, Mass., June 14.—Under the gold dome of the auditorium of the South Congregational church, where for many years Edward Everett Hale broke the bread of life to his people, gathered the great Unitarian family of Boston to pay a last tribute to the leader of Unitarianism. At the same hour a host of friends and admirers of Dr. Hale gathered at the Park street Trinitarian church to listen to eulogies by clergymen of many creeds. Flags were floated at half mast by order of the city's chief executive.

The body was taken to the Forest Hill cemetery, where the burial services were strictly private.

Stop Collection of Tax.

Oklahoma City, Okla., June 14.—In the United States court of the Eastern district of Oklahoma at McAlester, Judge Ralph E. Campbell granted temporary injunctions restraining the county treasurers from collecting the last half of the 1908 taxes assessed against the Missouri, Kansas & Texas; Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe; Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, Fort Smith & Western, and the Midland Valley Railway companies.

Iowa Man Made a Trustee.

Rockford, Ill., June 14.—The Swedish Free church conference elected J. A. Hanson and J. C. Olson of Holdredge, Neb., W. C. Hundell of Omaha, Neb., Ernest Carlson of Boone, Ia., P. J. Princell and K. Newquist of Chicago, I. Nyholm of Minneapolis, A. A. Anderson of Eton, Colo., and Irving Haleen of Holcomb, Neb., trustees of the Swedish Biblical institute, which is to be removed from Chicago to Omaha.

Subway Planned.

Albia.—A $40,000 viaduct-subday is planned here.

LOOKED A LITTLE UNSTABLE

Body Servant of Gen. Mahone Doubtful of the Qualities of His Master's "Props."

Gen. Adalbert R. Buffington, at dinner in Madison, N. J., told a number of civil war stories.

"Gen. Mahone," he said, "was very thin. One cold and windy December morning in '64 he was taking a nap in his tent when his old colored servant, 'Uncle Davy,' tiptoed in, and, stumbling in the darkness, knocked down the general's folding cot and spilled him out on the frozen ground.

"Gen. Mahone jumped up furious, seized a scabbard and made for Davy ran. The general gave chase.

"Uncle Davy tore up hill and dale till he was pretty well out of breath; then he looked back over his shoulder at his master, who bounded after him on slender limbs, blue and thin, his long, while night shirt flattering in the chill morning.

"'Fo' de lan's sake, Mars' William!' the exhausted Davy yelled, desperately, 'yo' hain't trustin' yo'se'f in de wind on dem legs, is you?'"

AGONIZING ITCHING.

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"I was troubled with a severe itching and dry, scrufy skin on my ankles, feet, arms and scalp. Scratching made it worse. Thousands of small red pimples formed and these caused intense itching. I was advised to go to the hospital for diseases of the skin. I did so, the chief surgeon saying: "I never saw such a bad case of eczema." But got little or no relief. Then I tried many so-called remedies, but I became so bad that I almost gave up in despair. After suffering agonies for twelve months, I was relieved of the almost unbearable itching after two or three applications of Cuticura Ointment. I continued its use, combined with Cuticura Soap and Pills, and I was completely cured. Henry Searle, Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 8 and 10, 1907."

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WOMAN'S REALM

CONOMY IN DRESS

NTS OF ESPECIAL INTEREST TO BUSINESS WOMAN.

ments That Seem Expensive Really Are the Cheapest in the End—Important Essentials for Workaday Neatness.

would be absurd to make the ement that there are fashions de- ed especially for business women. woman who goes forth to wrest bread from the hands of strangers ot a species apart from the rest of ankind, but one with her sisters entitled to every little vanity for ch she can pay. But it is neces- to put the curb on this privilege actual business garments, for om has made a certain plainness rable for these.

is plainness is accomplished most by a coat and skirt suit of some hat and well-fitting gloves and boots. This model is by far the best to choose when only one business frock can be afforded, but it should be of excellent material and good make.

The shirtwaist bought for the office or store cannot be too good as far as its make and quality are concerned, for cheap waists wash badly, and no other garment gives so completely the look of inadequacy when it is the wrong thing.

Quite six wash bodices are necessary for workaday neatness, and the peter pan model, whose sleeves are somewhat though not greatly smaller than last year, is a good one to consider, especially when it is in stout linen, duck or pongee. A stock in golf design, of the shirt material, is a very smart and inexpensive neck finish for the business shirtwaist, and this comfortable and orderly neck fixing is becoming to most wearers.

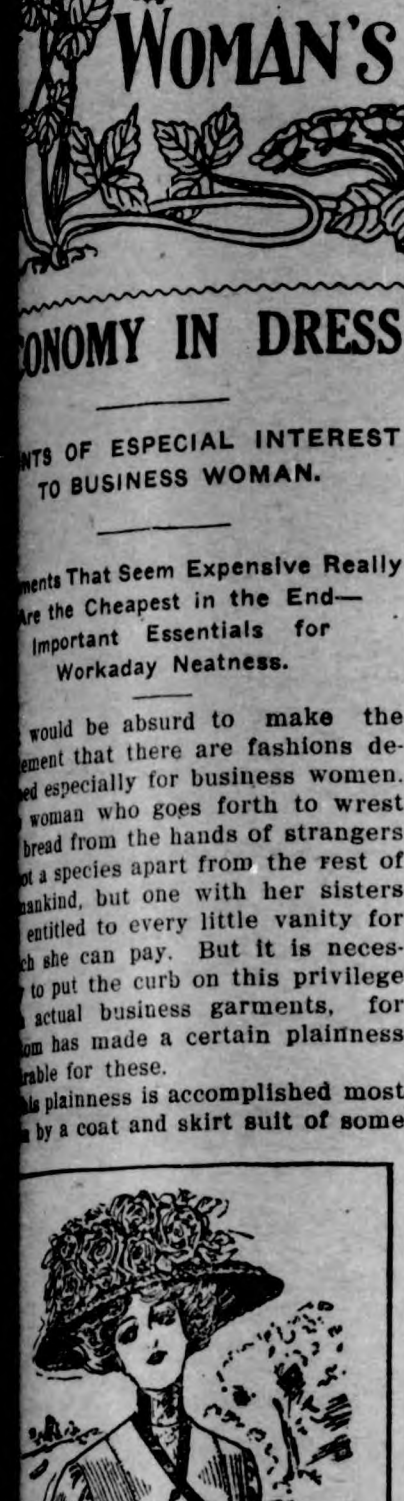
A hat which seems to be getting more notice this season than any other is the mushroom shape, which, when not of exaggerated size, with its compact trimmings provides a stylish headpiece for business wear. Some of the rough straw shapes in this model are very simply decked with flat bands of black velvet and close bunches of some fruit. The fruit trimmings will doubtless be run in the ground after a while, but meantime the gay cherries, and dusky plums, and dear, foolish little apples and gooseberries seem very charming.

Other neat hats may be of Cuban straw, with fringed scarfs of striped ruffia, belts and handbags of the same material going smartly with these. With the black dresses so much worn for business the raffia gives a fresh and new note when used in this way, and it will be really delightful with the pongee dresses later on.

As to the business woman's best bib and tucker, and the material for her workaday frock, with the stylish designs here shown, are good examples.

The cut shows a stunning model for a wool or wash business dress. The line of the diagonally fastened coat is repeated in the trimming of the skirt, and though a braid is here employed a stitched band of the gown stuff could readily effect the smart outlining. Black or dark blue serge, panama cloth, or brilliantine, with hercules braid, would be the best choices for this dress, which could be worn with the mushroom hat, a wide sailor or a flower trimmed shape. A black dress would be immensely smartened by a flower hat, but do not forget that the natural colored roses would be out of place for business wear. Then they have been almost entirely replaced by the faded flowers, whose unearthly tints, when properly combined, create an effect actually restrained.

A woman fond of elegance, and who suffers from summer heat, might have this dress of black, blue or brown pongee, in which case the parasol would be of the same material.



nning Model for Business Dress.

, which is always kept in good con- on with pressing and cleaning, and orn with a neat shirtwaist, trim

ST ADAPTED FOR NEGLIGEE.

te Swiss, Lace and Ribbon Used the Most Fashionable Makers of Costumes.

ven the most fashionable dress- ers lend their talents to the mak- of most attractive negligees of e swiss, lace and ribbon. This fabric has come into more favor the kind of garment one wears in s own room or for breakfast and heon with the family alone. The is fine and has a small dot, and negligee is usually made in two es, put together on one belt, ch is covered by a broad sash of red satin.

is is often high-waisted at back is finished at the left with a large tte and two long ends.

e neck is open, in V-shape, and hed with deep lace ruffles and a of satin at the back.

e tight elbow sleeves are finished deep lace ruffles and a bow of at the back.

ch negligees are cooler and er than those of silk or other ma- ls that do not wash.

High Canvas Shoes.

or those who like to wear high s during summer there are some rt canvas ones in white and tan. y are undoubtedly much cooler leather and in better taste for et wear than suede.

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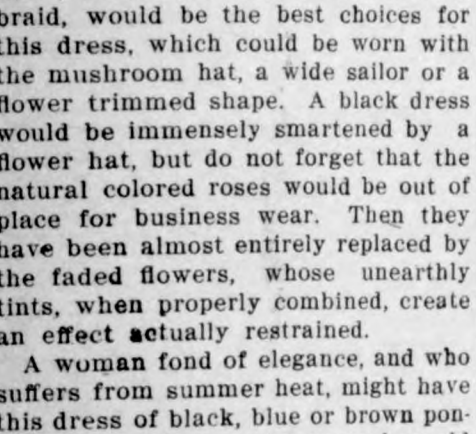
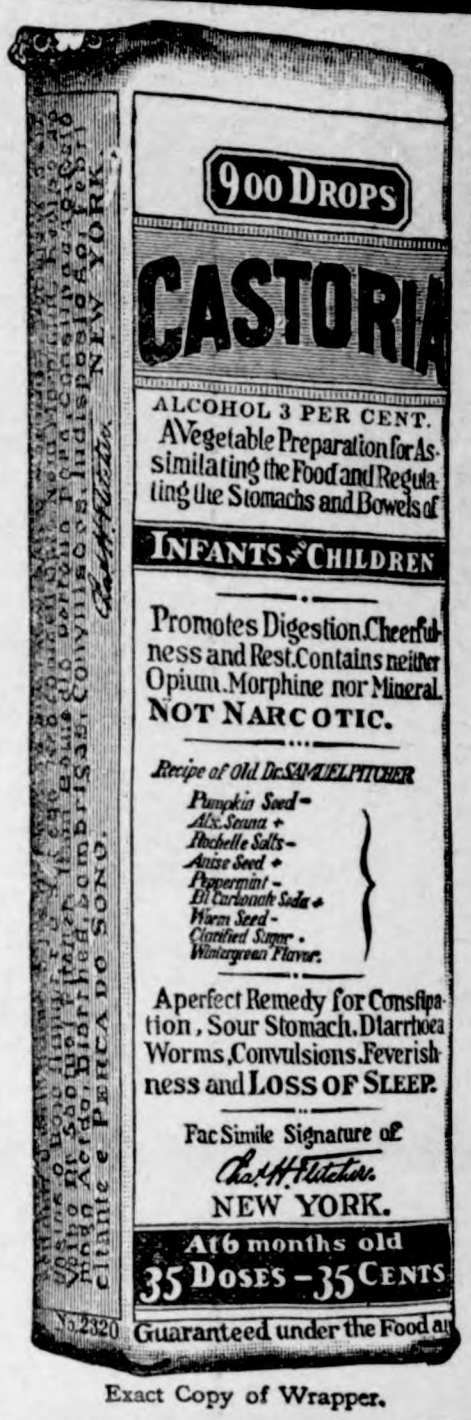


ribbon. Little wash-leather pockets are provided for the scissors, and will help to keep them bright and in good condition when not in use, and there are straps of ribbon arranged to hold bodkins, a button-hook, a stilletto and a thimble in the center, while other straps for holding packets of needles are provided on the flaps of either side. There is a larger flap at the top, which folds down over the other two, and is finally tied across with ribbon ends. This flap is furnished with several pieces of flannel, which serve the purpose of a needle-book



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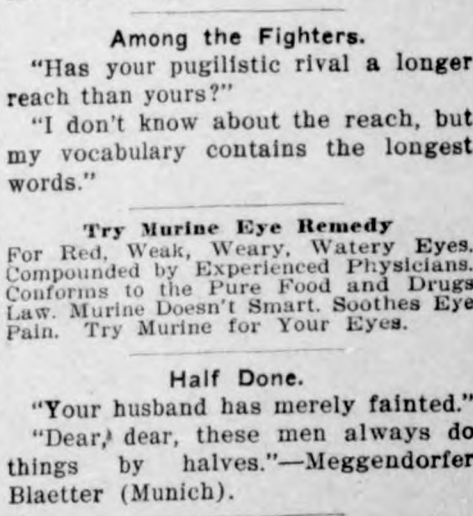

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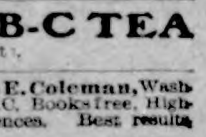

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and costs upon his plea of guilty. He denied, however, that he had any intention of selling eggs that were not fit for human consumption, and explained that the eggs became incubated by reason of their becoming damp in the cellar. Mold accumulated and this, with the sawdust in which they were packed, caused them to heat and spoil. The grocer and Dr. Evans both noticed that the eggs were heating when they were sold, and Evans instructed the grocer to let him know how many were bad. When they all showed up as unfit for food the state food commissioner at Des Moines was notified.

S. O. Van DeBogart, the inspector who investigated the case and caused Dr. Evans' arrest, says that other prosecutions may be expected, not only here but in other parts of the state, as the state commission has tired of trying to prevent the sale of bad eggs without causing arrests.

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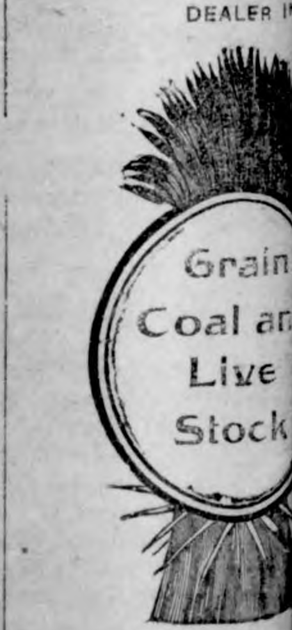

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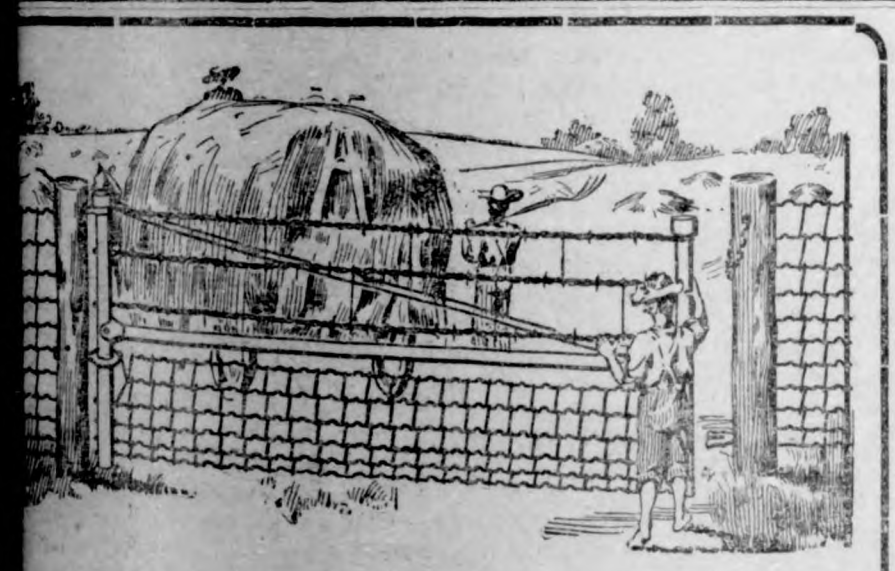

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Special Correspondence:

The Kuskie sale Tuesday was well attended.

Agustus Baack has been working for Herman Barz.

Charley Kuskie visited with friends at Dows last week.

Miss Cora Lawhorn visited with Garner relatives last week.

Miss Norma Post visited with Mrs. Hod Lawhorn one day last week.

Miss Lela Haskin of Klemme spent the first of the week at Hod Lawhorn's.

Luke Wessels and sister Dirgie attended the dance at Klemme Friday evening.

Fred Schwartz, of Madison township, bought a valuable horse at the Kuskie sale.

The tilers on the Ingham farm drove to Kanawha Saturday and returned Monday.

Mrs. Myron Haskin of Klemme is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Tom Nelson, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Webner entertained their daughters, Mesdames Nelson and Haskins, last Sunday.

Fred Haupt and family, of German township, were looking over their farm in Ell township where he has cattle on pasture, Tuesday.

Herman Stroemer, the road boss, done a great stunt with the grader in the Ax district Tuesday. That means better roads for the mail man.

Trouble Makers Ousted

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BRITT

From the News:

Henry Sprod has traded for the Prull restaurant. In the deal Mr. Prull gets a farm near Jamestown, N. D.

Frank O'Rourke has leased the Stephensen building, which he is overhauling and will open up a short order restaurant.

Will Fillenwarth went to Kanawha Tuesday to assist T. H. Thompson the new postmaster at that place who took possession this week.

A game of ball was played at the park on last Friday morning between Britt and Algona. The score was 4 to 1 in favor of the visitors.

E. R. Dana left Monday for Terrill, Iowa, where he has secured a position as manager of the Jas. A. Smith lumber yard. His wife will join him some time this week.

Miss Edna B. Welty and Mr. L. E. Ericson were married at the home of the bride's parents in Britt, on Wednesday evening, June 16, 1909, Rev. H. E. Hutchinson of the M. E. church officiating.

A needle an inch and a half in length was removed last week from the arm of L. J. Nelson, county auditor of Winnebago, which he thinks has been in his body for some years. For years he has been the victim of acute pains, so sharp at times that they caused a nervous collapse which seemingly occurred at intervals in all parts of the body. For a couple of days the pain has centered in his arm and a physician was called, who opened the flesh and removed the needle. Mr. Nelson was of the opinion he was the victim of rheumatism and has been receiving medical treatment for the past ten years for that trouble. How the needle got into his body is a mystery to him.

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MESERVEY

From the Messenger:

Mr. Larson of Klemme was in this locality the first of the week looking after the wool trade.

Mrs. Clifford Brogan, who had been at the home of her parents for the past seven weeks, where she was caring for her children, Master Merril and little Marvel, returned home with the children Friday. Little Marvel is well and happy but Merril, though gaining is still very weak.

Chas. P. Ell, founder of the Messenger but at present in the commission business at Klemme, was in town last Friday. He purchased N. A. Myer's crop of wool and shipped it from this point. Chas. thinks that some time in the future he will again enter the printing business though he says he never was better satisfied than now.

Oliver McGee, who has been spending some time attending to business matters at Greene, arrived Tuesday and will superintend the job of putting in tile and other work about his farm northwest of town. Mr McGee has done much the past few years in the way of improvement on his farm and is still busy getting it up to a high state of cultivation.

A Thrilling Rescue

How Bert R. Lean, of Cheny, Wash. was saved from a frightful death is a story to thrill the world. "A hard cold," he writes, "brought on a desperate lung trouble that baffled an expert doctor here. Then I paid $10 to $15 a visit to a lung specialist in Spokane, who did not help me. Then I went to California, but without benefit. At last I used Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me and now I am as well as ever." For lung trouble, bronchitis, coughs and colds, asthma, croup and whooping cough its supreme, 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co.

GOODELL

From the Globe:

W R. Bloom of Klemme, was a Goodell caller Monday.

Mrs. Ad Elder and children went to Waverly, Iowa, Monday, to visit relatives.

Mary Ahrenkiel, of near Klemme, was the guest of relatives here last Saturday.

Layman Plummer, of Forest City, came Monday evening and will visit at the A. D. White home for a few days.

Miss Louise Hahn, of Des Moines, Iowa, visited with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Bremmer, the latter part of last week.

Wm. Lemke is at the home of his parents in Garner this week, laid up with a sprained ankle and looking after other interests there during ins itute.

A Study In Locations

At 8 p. m. while pa and ma
Helped entertain with sis,
Both John and May in distant seats
Were far apart like this.

At 9 p. m. as pa withdrew
And sought his room up-stairs,
The lovers found some photographs
And nearer brought their chairs.

At 10 p. m. as ma decamped—
And then, ye Gods! What bliss!
Those lovers sat till nearly one
Aboutascloseasthis.

The Limit

It is said that General Sherman was a witness of this scene.

A private named Pat was mounted upon a mule which was kicking with great vigor. Finally the mule got its foot caught in the stirrup.

"Begorra," said Pat, "if you're going to get on, I'll get off."

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KLEMME - - - IOWA

SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The senate voted to raise the house rate on print paper from two to four dollars a ton.

William Lorimer, the new senator from Illinois, was sworn into office and cast his first vote on the tariff schedule on paper.

More than two hours and a half was taken up by the Taft cabinet discussing economy of administration in the government departments.

President Taft sent a message to congress urging a tax on the undistributed earnings of corporations.

Senator Borah announced in the senate that he will vote, when the opportunity comes, to give self government to the Philippines.

Plans have been made by President Taft and Senator Aldrich to defeat, if possible, the supporters of an income tax provision.

PERSONAL.

Rev. U. G. Pierce, D. D., pastor of All Soul's Unitarian church of Washington, was designated by a senate resolution to act as chaplain until otherwise ordered.

Former President Roosevelt in an article in the Outlook compared the rule of the corporations with that of a bloodthirsty mob.

Justice Mills in the New York supreme court postponed the hearing on Harry K. Thaw's application for release from the insane asylum at Matteawan until July 6.

Charles W. Morse, the convicted New York banker and former "ice king," was freed from jail on a $125,000 bond.

Ralph Shull, a wealthy lumberman of Minneapolis, is going to the workhouse for five days for exceeding the automobile speed limit.

Charles W. Fairbanks, former vice-president of the United States, was entertained in elaborate fashion by the governor of Kyoto, Japan. He was driven to his hotel in the governor's carriage.

Former Judge Abner Smith of Chicago is now librarian at the Joliet penitentiary, where he was sent for bank wrecking.

Francis E. Leupp resigned as Indian commissioner and President Taft appointed Robert G. Valentine to fill the place.

GENERAL NEWS.

The sixty-fifth annual meeting of the American Institute of Homeopathy opened in Detroit with a large attendance.

The Michigan State Association of Letter Carriers met in yearly convention at Benton Harbor.

Joe Matson, driving the Chalmers-Detroit machine in the small car race at Crown Proint, Ind., won the contest in which 16 autos competed.

Medals awarded by the nation, the state of Ohio and the city of Dayton were presented to the Wright brothers for their aerial achievements.

Testimony showing that Mrs. Howard Gould often was visited by Dustin Farnum, an actor, was given by witnesses.

The trial of Patrick Calhoun, the San Francisco millionaire charged with bribery, came to a close after six months.

Albert Munro and his bride of a week were found dead at Williamsport, Pa., and are believed to have been the victims of poisoned candy.

James D. Hallen was placed on trial in New York charged with defrauding the Nicaraguan government by shipping sawdust in boxes supposed to contain ammunition.

Council for Broughton Brandenburg admitted that the signature attached to the article purported to have been written by Grover Cleveland was not genuine.

Mrs. Emma Kaufmann, wife of a wealthy brewer of Flandreau, S. D., who was charged with killing her maid, was found guilty of battery and fined $100, which was paid.

The Swedish consul in New York in a dispatch to the government emphasizes the unwisdom of Swedes emigrating to America, where, he declares, times are bad at present.

Bishop Bonacum and two priests were driven from Ulysses, Neb., by an angry mob when they went there to take charge of a church over which there has been a feud for several years.

Great Britain has asked America not to press her claim for participation in the Hankow-Szechuen railroad loan of $27,500,000, which British, German and French bankers stand ready to take up.

The French budget for 1910 was introduced in the chamber of deputies by Finance Minister Caillaux and shows a deficit of $21,000,000. Nine million dollars of this is charged to the budget of 1911.

While guarding the royal yacht on which the czar and the German emperor were holding a conference, a Russian torpedo boat fired upon a British steamer and wounded the engineer.

Charles F. Leininger was killed and two other men shot by an actor who had been attacked by several persons at Fairfield, Ill., because of his attentions to one of the young women of the town.

Hearing of testimony in the case of Private Klein, of a Chicago militia company, who killed Earl Nelson, a Kankakee boy with a bayonet, began at Paxton, Ill.

Thomas J. McCoy, former banker and politician of Laporte, Ind., was released from the state penitentiary where he served three years for embezzlement.

Levi Yoder, of Massilon, O., killed himself rather than comply with the provisions of his mother's will, which required him to wear hooks and eyes instead of buttons on his clothes.

Earl Moran, a legless man, married Mrs. Julia Davis, of Plaquemine, La., at Waukegan, Ill.

Gov. Harmon and staff reviewed the parade of the Ohio G. A. R. veterans on the closing day of their encampment at Newark.

Ralph de Palma broke the automobile speed record for 25 miles, making the distance in 23 minutes and 35 seconds at Readville, Mass.

George C. White, William Kilgannon, and the latter's wife, Elizabeth Kilgannon, pleaded guilty in the United States circuit court in New York to indictments charging them with smuggling.

In a fire in a five-story tenement house in Cincinnati, the 100 panic-stricken occupants were saved by daring rescues by firemen.

Fourteen hat manufacturing firms of Connecticut were sued for $364,000 damages by the Amalgamated Hat Manufacturers of New York, as a result of the recent strike.

A cigar or cigarette carelessly tossed away is supposed to have caused a fire that destroyed the auditorium of the Monumental building in which the Ohio Grand Army veterans held their encampment in Newark.

The towns of Purdy and Monett in Missouri were wrecked, and the surrounding country devastated by a tornado. At least two were killed.

The high federal court of Venezuela has given a decision declaring unconstitutional Castro's decrees of January, 1907, which annulled the salt and match monopoly concessions. The decision restores to the Ethelburga syndicate, limited, of London, all its rights.

John G. A. Leishman, the retiring American ambassador to Turkey, has left Constantinople for Rome.

Servants and former employes of Mrs. Howard Gould told of seeing her frequently intoxicated.

The Illinois supreme court declared the state's primary election law unconstitutional.

"Mother" Jones, who seeks a pardon for a man who violated the neutrality laws, made an appeal to President Taft in the prisoner's behalf.

A report by department of agriculture experts says tuberculosis among hogs in the United States is increasing.

Senator Elkins declared his daughter, Miss Katherine, is going to Europe because of an affection of the heart and not to meet the duke of the Abruzzi as has been reported.

Damage estimated at $400,000 in the piano factory of Hardman, Peck & Co., in New York, was caused by fire.

The Augustana Synod of America, meeting at Red Wing, Minn., decided to hold its next conference in Rock Island, Ill.

The submarine boats, Grayling, Ronito and Snapper were launched at Quincy, Mass.

Celebration of the twentieth anniversary of statehood was held in Aberdeen, S. D.

Farmers near Taitsville, Mo., after two of their daughters had been shot from ambush, carried rifles while they worked in their fields.

An Erie passenger train was wrecked at Waverly N. Y., and several passengers painfully injured.

Edward Arnold, two years old, was playing in front of the house from which deputy sheriffs were evicting his parents in Far Rockaway, N. Y., when he was killed by an ice wagon.

The German emperor and the czar of Russia met on a royal yacht and discussed a world policy.

Wilbur and Orville Wright were honored at a big fete in their home city, Dayton, O.

Iowa News

NEWSY ITEMS GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE STATE.

The Nishna Botna river at Red Oak is bang full and still rising due to the heavy and continuous rains to the north. Reports from Griswold and other points north and east are to the effect that much corn has been washed out and considerable damage to crops has resulted from the excessive wet weather.

The senior class of the university, after class breakfast at Burkley, effected a permanent organization. William L. Carberry of Panora was elected permanent president, and Hale H. Smith, Lamoni, permanent secretary.

The program has been arranged for the eighth annual meeting of the Iowa Central Luther league, the young people's association of the Norwegian Lutheran church. The convention will be held at Bethesda Lutheran church at Jewell July 7 to 9.

The Rev. F. H. Gamel of Pocahontas, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of Lake City.

The greatest church consolidation which has taken place in recent years may be consummated in Des Moines when the three divided bodies of the Norwegian Lutheran church are united under the head of the United Norwegian Lutheran church.

Charles S. Doerman of Dubuque was re-elected department commander, United Spanish War Veterans; Geo. A Evans of Cedar Rapids, senior vice commander; James N. Hedge of Des Moines, department inspector; Irving Gates of Fort Dodge, gunner vice commander; G. H. Smith of Clinton, sargent; J. E. O'Brien of Waukon, judge advocate; S. J. Parker of Hampton, chaplain.

Liebbe, Nourse & Rasmussen, architects, were awarded the contract for drawing the plans and specifications for a new hotel which is to be built at Fort Dodge. It will be modern in every respect and will cost $175,000.

Th oil portrait of the late Dean Frederick Howard of Drake university conservatory of music, was unveiled in Howard Hall. Tributes to the memory of the musician were paid by George F. Ogden, representing the music students. The Rev. Charles S. Medbury, pastor of the University Place Church of Christ, unveiled the portrait and President Hill M. Bell made a brief address.

The Ida County Normal Institute had over one hundred teachers in attendance.

Fred H. Thomas was run over at Spencer and his leg cut off. He was taken to Mason City.

A Milwaukee freight train at Ottumwa killed Mrs. Adaline Longcor, injured her granddaughter, Pearl Longcor, and failed to hit Mrs. Mary Dyer by her jumping into the Des Moines river in safety.

"Jack" Parker a C. & N. W. engineer at Marshalltown trimmed a corn too closely, blood poisoning set in and his leg had to be amputated.

Smith's general store at Pleasanton was destroyed by fire. The stock was not insured.

By unanimous vote Des Moines was chosen as the next place to hold the convention of the State Bankers' association. Mason City, the only place in the race for the next gathering, seconded Des Moines' nomination.

Branch No. 1 of the Greater Iowa club, with forty-five charter members, was organized at Afton, Iowa.

The Iowa State Auctioneers' association held its ninth annual meeting at Des Moines.

The city council of Knoxville has passed a resolution to pave the square and a block in each direction, making in all twelve blocks.

Impelled by the desire for more money to continue his carousals, Duke Nesbit, a young man of Le Claire, Iowa, robbed the post office at Le Claire, securing $60 in cash. He was captured at Princeton, Iowa. He belongs to one of the best families.

The East Dubuque postoffice was dynamited, and $500 in money and $50 in stamps taken. The robbers got away.

Mrs. H. P. Shepherd, one of the oldest and best-known residents of Indianola is dead.

Rev. Thomas E. Sherman, formerly of Minnesota, was installed as pastor of the Presbyterian church at Williamsburg.

Edward Hoffman, 76, of Fort Madison hung himself in a woodhouse. He was despondent.

The Rev. Ed Kiser of San Francisco has purchased Oskaloosa college, the pioneer educational institution of the Christian church of Iowa.

Guy Dotson and Harry Briggs lost their lives in the Seaman mine near Ottumwa by being overcome with gas.

Rev. D. M. Helfenstein, D. D., of Des Moines, was elected president of the Iowa State Christian conference at the thirty-fourth annual session at Le Grand. Rev. A. B. Kendall of Le Grand was chosen vice president; Rev. E. C. Kerr of Le Grand, treasurer, and Rev. A. M. Hanon of Le Grand, secretary. Department secretaries were elected as follows: Christian Endeavor, Rev. P. H. Howard Birchdale, Minn.; Sunday school, Rev. A. C. Grafton, Orient; education, Mrs. Ida Menaugh, Des Moines; George Hutton of Madrid was chosen as a trustee of the conference.

Chester Burrel of Epworth, Iowa, was elected captain of the University of Iowa base ball team for next year. George Engstrom of Marion, Iowa, was elected captain of next year's track team.

Dr. Kramer Gilbert and Miss Bessie Sanders, Dr. Carl Kail and Miss Beulah A. Sanders were the principals in a double wedding at Carlisle, Iowa.

Frank Wesner, of Council Bluffs, a traveling salesman, shot himself to death because of family troubles. He leaves a wife and five children.

Thomas Flynn, 71, pioneer resident of Polk county, died at his home seven miles west of Des Moines, after an illness of a week. Mr. Flynn was for forty years a resident of Polk.

About 200 Iowa and Nebraska coal dealers held a two-day session at the Savery house in Des Moines.

Dr. C. Thomas, aged 72 years, one of the pioneer dentists of Des Moines, died at his home, 1230 Tenth street, after a prolonged illness.

One hundred negro Methodists attended the annual Iowa conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church at Des Moines.

Iowa postmasters commissioned are: Kanawha, Thomas T. Thompson; Mallard, Arvin C. Sands; Palmer, Martin A. Hanse; Cou Falls, William P. Zeithammal.

Plans for the removal of the headquarters of the J. I. Case Threshing Machine company from Waterloo to Mason City is announced by the management at Mason City. The company will not move till after the present season.

Delbert W. Duncan has been recommended postmaster at Sioux Center for appointment by the president.

Green caps for the freshmen and old gold caps for the sophomores will be adopted at the University of Iowa next fall, according to the plans of the spirit committee of the students and the members of Owl and Keys, a secret sophomore society in the college of liberal arts.

Six cars of meat and two cars of merchandise in train No. 62 of the Milwaukee were ditched at a point two miles west of Deadham, on the Council Bluffs division. The engine and the five lead cars passed over the place of derailment.

Frank Scott living near Pender, Neb., has been indicted at Council Bluffs, for swindling John Hemerlbracht out of $5,000. It is said he was once a member of the Mabray gang.

Sarah Irwin, aged 18 years, the daughter of Eugene Irwin, a motorman, was crushed to death under the wheels while attempting to board a moving street car at Burlington. Her mother witnessed the tragedy.

Albert Penland, of Oskaloosa, while returning from a fishing trip was run over by an Iowa Central train. His head was cut off and the body badly mutilated. He was 33 and leaves a wife and child.

William Dennis of Shenandoah was taken to Creston by Deputy United States Marshal Wesley Bryant to answer to a charge of bootlegging before the federal court.

"Chick" Kirk, the star University of Iowa athlete, will coach the Simpson college athletic teams this coming year.

The Des Moines city council refunded Mrs. Mose Rice, wife of the attempted murderer and suicide, $28.19 on an unexpired license belonging to her husband. Rice had on May 25 paid the city $35 for a first class peddler's license.

Hereafter the superannuated clergymen and professors in the United Norwegian Lutheran church are to receive $500 each a year as benefits from a ministerial pension fund of $100,000.

The annual Des Moines Epworth league convention which closed its sessions in Colfax, will meet at the Highland Park Methodist church next year.

Thomas Holmes, an old time engineer of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, is dead at his home in Stuart. He was a member of Stuart division of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Harry Matthews, aged 25, has mysteriously disappeared from Iowa City, and his friends and only immediate relatives, a sister, fear he may have met foul play.

The sixty-second commencement of Iowa college at Grinnell came to a close after graduating the largest class in its history, ninety-six in number.

LONG TRIAL END

Case of San Francisco Millionaire Goes to Jury

AN UNUSUAL COURT RECORD

Prosecutor Heney Makes Closing Plea in Calhoun Case and Judge Lawler Delivers Instructions to Jury.

San Francisco, Cal., June 21.—Concluding the greatest issue in the history of San Francisco's graft scandal the case of Patrick Calhoun, millionaire president of the United railroads charged with bribery, was given to the jury after a trial that dates back to Jan. 12, 1909.

When the morning session opened Heney, who had spoken fifteen hours at the end of Friday night's session resumed the final stage of his argument. His voice was hoarse and he spoke rapidly, apparently in an effort to make the most of his allowance of ninety minutes.

Mr. Heney made direct charges of witness fixing and perjury against several officers or employes of the United railroads.

The speaker charged that James L. Gallagher's home in Oakland had been dynamited by agents of the defense and at the end of his subject said

"Now that A. A. Moore of the defense has assured me that the defendant and his associates wish me long life I shall take added precautions for my own protection and make certain as I can that I shall not be shot in the back or dynamited in my bed. The evidence here shows that it is often possible to prepare a defense in advance, and I do not overlook warnings of this sort."

Mr. Heney brought his argument to a close three minutes ahead of the allotted time. A moment before he was engaged in a review of the supervisor's testimony. Judge Lawler reminded him that the remaining moments were few and Mr. Heney throwing aside a quantity of notes yet unreferred to, said:

"Gentlemen, I thank you for your attention. I leave this case in your hands confident and expectant that San Francisco will have no cause to question the good faith of your verdict, whatever it may be and that the state of California will learn from your conduct that you do not have to bring before a jury the men who seek a briber pass the money to secure a conviction; and that any amount of circumstantial evidence will not be treated as insufficient when a wealthy man is on trial, although a supervisor—Coffey, for instance—can be convicted in a few minutes."

In order to prevent the possibility of a demonstration in the vicinity of the room where the jurors were deliberating, the streets were cleared of spectators as soon as Mr. Heney concluded his address.

Jury Disagrees.

San Francisco, Cal., June 21.—Terminating in a disagreement of the jury, with ten men determined on acquittal and two steadfastly resolved upon conviction, the trial of President Patrick Calhoun of the United railroads ended at noon yesterday.

Negro Shoots Two Brakemen.

Vail, Ia., June 21.—A negro shot and killed Brakeman Lee C. Ward and fatally wounded Brakeman A. C. Brechtel on an oil car one mile east of here. The train was in charge of Conductor McCartney, who picked up stock here and missing the brakemen at West Side, searched the train, finding both brakeman on the oil car. Brechtel, who was badly wounded, said that a negro did the shooting. Bechtel died of his injuries.

"It's My Daughter," Cries Siegel

New York, June 21.—Leon L. with hs string of Chinese aliases and his American clothes, may never be found, but the mutilated body of a New York girl left behnd in a trunk in his room will not be buried in potter's field. Paul Siegel, the father claimed and positively identified the body at the morgue, admitting for the first time that the victim was his daughter Elsie.

Magoon Stops in Paris.

Paris, June 21.—Charles E. Magoon, formor govenor of Cuba, left here for Bad Nauheim. Before his departure he was presented to President Fallieres by Ambassador White.

Grain Men at Wichita.

Wichita, Kan., June 21.—Grain dealers of Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri and Texas were entertained here by the board of trade at the second annual union of the grain dealers. Over 200 visitors registered at headquarters.

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SYNOPSIS.

ator Morley Vernon's visit with his ee was interrupted by a call from political boss at the state capital. regretted it, the girl more than he, use she had arranged to attend a er that evening with him. She said earned for a national office for him. Vernon's desk in the senate he found d rose, accompanied by a plea for age for women. He met the au- ss, pretty Miss Maria Greene of ago, who proposed to convert him voting for house resolution No. 19. Greene secured Vernon's promise to for the suffrage resolution. He also her by convincing others. He took king to the fair suffragette. Miss e consulted with the lieutenant-gov- . Vernon admitted to himself that uffragette had stirred a strange feel- within him. He forgot to read his ee's letter. Vernon made a great ch in favor of suffrage, aided by es from Miss Greene. The resolution made a special order. Vernon was usiastic on the prospects for the res- on. He was much in Miss Greene's pany. Vernon neglected thoughts of elia. He took Miss Greene driving and out plans for the success of the reso- n. Vernon's speech caused a great spaper sensation. He was being neg- d by Amelia, who had not answered letter. Vernon is "tipped off" that his age resolution may not pass. As Greene was due the following morn- he had no fears. Miss Greene ar- and breakfasted with Vernon. ss the dining room, entrenched be- women opponents of the suffrage lution, he spied Amelia. He started rd her.

CHAPTER XI.

one of the ladies relaxed at Ver- 's approach, Mrs. Overman Hodge- rop least of all. On the contrary seemed to swell into proportions were colossal and terrifying, and n Vernon came within her sphere influence his manner at once sub- d itself into an apology.

Why, Amelia — Mrs. Hodge-La- op!" he cried, "and Mrs. Standish, . Barbourton, Mrs. Trales, Mrs. gdon—how do you do?"

e went, of course, straight to Mrs. erman Hodge-Lathrop's side, the that sheltered Amelia, and he d to take the hands of both women once. Amelia gave him hers coldly, thout a word and without a look. He w weak, inane, and laughed un- ily.

Delightful morning," he said, "this ntry air down here is—"

Morley," said Mrs. Overman- dge-Lathrop, severely, "take that t at the foot of the table."

e obeyed, meekly. The ladies, he ught, from the rustle of their skirts, hdrew themselves subtly.

Vernon shrank.

Morley Vernon," Mrs. Overman dge-Lathrop continued, "do you w what I have a notion to do?"

No, Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop," he said a very little voice.

Well, sir, I've a notion to give you good spanking."

Vernon shot a glance at her.

Oh, you needn't look, sir," she con- ued, "you needn't look! It wouldn't the first time, as you well know— d it isn't so many years ago—and I ve your mother's full permission, ."

The chain of ladylike sympathy that sed about the table at this declara- n was broken only when its ends verged on Vernon. Even then they emed to pinch him.

Your poor, dear mother," Mrs. erman Hodge-Lathrop went on, "in- ed, indeed, on coming down her- f, but I knew she could never stand h a trip. I told her," and here Mrs. erman Hodge-Lathrop paused for an tant, "I told her that I thought I ld manage."

There was a vast significance in this eech.

The waiter had brought the substan- ls to the ladies, and Mrs. Overman dge-Lathrop began eating deter- nedly.

It was, of course, just what I had ways predicted," she went on, in a cato that was timed by the rise of r fork to her lips, "I knew that pol- cs would inevitably corrupt you, on or late. And now it has brought u to this."

To what?" asked Vernon, suddenly owing bold and reckless. Amelia d not given him one glance; she s picking at her chop.

Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, rais- g her gold glasses and setting them istocratically on the bridge of her se, fixed her eyes on Vernon.

Morley," she said, "we know. We ve heard and we have read. The hicago press is an institution that, fortunately, still survives in these conoclastic days. You know very well, of course, what I mean. Please do not compel me to go into the re volting particulars." She took her glasses down from her nose, as if that officially terminated the matter.

"But really, Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop," said Vernon. He was growing angry, and then, too, he was conscious some how that Miss Greene was looking at him. His waiter, John, timidly approached with a glance at the awful presence of Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, and said:

"Yo' breakfus, senato', is gettin' col'."

"That may wait," said Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, and John sprang back out of range.

"Please Do Not Compel Me to Go Into Revolting Particulars."

Vernon was determined, then, to have it out.

"Really, Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop, jesting aside—"

"Jesting!" cried Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, "jesting! Indeed, my boy, this is quite a serious business!" She tapped with her forefinger.

"Well, then, all right," said Vernon, "I don't know what I've done. All I have done has been to champion a measure—and I may add, without boasting, I hope, with some success—all I have done has been to champion a measure which was to benefit your sex, to secure your rights, to—"

"Morley!" Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop said, cutting him short. "Morley, have you indeed fallen so low? It is incomprehensible to me, that a young man who had the mother you have, who had the advantages you have had, who was born and bred as you were, should so easily have lost his respect for women!"

"Lost my respect for women!" cried Vernon, and then he laughed. "Now, Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop," he went on with a shade of irritation in his tone, "this is too much!"

Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop was calm.

"Have you shown her any respect?" she went on. "Have you not, on the contrary, said and done everything you could, to drag her down from her exalted station, to pull her to the earth, to bring her to a level with men, to make her soil herself with politics, by scheming and voting and caucusing and button-holing and wire-pulling? You would have her degrade and unsex herself by going to the polls, to caucuses and conventions; you would have her, no doubt, in time, lobbying for and against measures in the council chamber and the legislature."

Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop paused and lifted her gold eye-glasses once more to the bridge of her high, aristocratic nose.

"It is that kind of women you have been brought up with, Morley? Do we look like that sort? Glance around this table—do we look like that sort of women?"

The ladies stiffened haughtily, disdainfully, under the impending inspection, knowing full well how easily they would pass muster.

"And, if that were not enough," Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop went on, inexorably, "we come here to plead with you and find you hobnobbing with that mannish thing, that female lawyer!"

She spoke the word female as if it conveyed some distinct idea of reproach. She was probing another chop with her fork. She had sent the pot of coffee back to the kitchen, ordering the waiter to tell the cook that she was accustomed to drink her coffee hot.

"And now, Morley Vernon, listen to me," she said, as if he were about to hear the conclusion of the whole matter. "If you have any spark of honor left in you, you will undo what you have already done. This resolution must be defeated in the senate to-day; I am down here to see that it is done We go to the State House after breakfast, and these ladies will assist me in laying before each member of the senate this matter in its true and exact light. As for our rights," she paused and looked at him fixedly, "as for our rights. I think we are perfectly capable of preserving them."

Her look put that question beyond all dispute.

"And now," she resumed, "you would better take a little breakfast yourself; you look as if you needed strength."

Vernon rose. He stood for an instant looking at Amelia, but she glanced at him only casually.

"I suppose, Amelia, I shall see you later in the morning?"

"I suppose so, Mr. Vernon," she said. "But pray do not let me keep you from rejoining your companion." She was quite airy, and lifted her coffee cup with one little finger quirked up higher than he had ever seen it before.

He went back to where Miss Greene sat, and where his breakfast lay.

"My goodness!" he said, seating himself. "I've had a time!"

"I should imagine so," said Miss Greene.

She was just touching her napkin to her lips with a final air. She carefully pushed back her chair, and rose from the table.

"I beg your pardon," he stammered, getting up himself, "I'll see you after breakfast."

Miss Greene bowed. Then she left the dining room.

CHAPTER XII.

Morley Vernon came out of the dining room in a temper far different from that he had worn when he went in. His breakfast, after so many vicissitudes, was sure to be a failure, though John, striving against fate, had tried to restore the repast to its original excellence by replacing each dish with a fresh one. He affected a heroic cheerfulness, too, but the cheer was hollow, for his experience of men and of breakfasts must have taught him that such disasters can never be repaired.

Vernon, however, had heavier things on his mind. In his new position as knight-errant of Illinois womankind, he had looked forward to this day as the one of triumph; now, at its beginning, he found himself with two offended women on his hands, and two hopelessly irreconcilable mistresses to serve. He began to see that the lot of a constructive statesman is trying; he would never criticise leaders again.

The lobby of the hotel was filling rapidly, and men with their hair still damp from the morning combing were passing into the breakfast room with newspapers in their hands. In the center of the lobby, however, he saw a group of senators, and out of the middle of the group rose a dark bonnet; the flowers on the bonnet bobbed now and then decisively. Around it were clustered other bonnets, but they were motionless, and, as it were, subordinate.

"Can you tell me who that is?" asked Brooks of Alexander, jerking his thumb at the group.

"Yes," said Vernon, "that's Gen. Hodge-Lathrop. She's on her way to the front to assume command."

"Oh!" said Brocks. "I saw something in the papers—" And he went away, reading as he walked.

Vernon looked everywhere for Miss Greene, but he could not find her. The porter at the Capitol avenue entrance told him that she had driven over to the State House a few minutes before. Vernon was seized by an impulse to follow, but he remembered Amelia. He could not let matters go on thus between them. If only Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop were not in command; if he could get Amelia away from her for a while, if he could see her alone, he felt that explanations would be possible.

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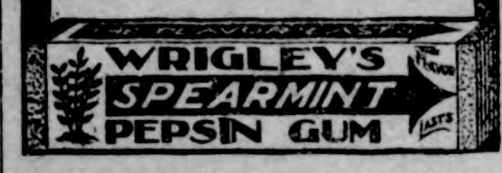

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No. Anxious Inquirer, these hard winds are not caused by the lions roaring in Darkest Africa; they are just the result of the large amount of wind jamming now going on at Washington, D. C.

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reate or Crumble?" Read State Savings Bank.

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d the new ad of Ell Bros. is page. They want to our poultry and produce.

g. Barz shipped a car of attle to Chicago Sunday ing, going in with the ship-

good crowd attended the e in the opera house last g evening. A good time orted.

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e eclipse of the sun which advertised so extensively positively to appear last rsday, was rather a fizzle as s this section of the country concerned. It was a par- eclipse all right, coming on little after six o'clock in evening, but as a total se it was a total failure.

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Ralph Blank was at Garner Monday evening.

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Rev. H. Achtermann, of Buffalo, New York, is the new pastor for the Klemme German Reformed church, and he and his family are expected here in the near future. Rev. Achtermann will preach his first sermon in Klemme on July 18th.

Dr. Edgar N. Zinn arrived in Klemme from Walkerton, Canada, last Friday and is now busy getting acquainted with the good people of Klemme and vicinity. He has formed a partnership with his uncle, Dr. Geo. Zinn, who has been enjoying a good practice here for about seven years. We welcome the new Dr. Zinn and hope he may find Klemme to his liking.

The Miller band passed thru Klemme last Friday on the north bound freight on their way home from attending the Woodmen picnic at Belmond, where they entered the band contest. There were six bands in on the deal, Algona getting first prize, Corwith second, Miller third, Kanawha fourth, Belmond fifth, and a show band took the cellar honors The Miller boys are to be congratulated on landing third money in such a good bunch of musicians and they have a right to feel proud of their showing. They favored Klemme with a couple of selections while the freight was switching in the yards here, which were highly appreciated by those who heard them. Miller people should and do feel proud of their band.

Frank Terhufen was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

B. Swalve marketed some nice hogs in Klemme Monday.

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G. R. Waterman sold the gray horse he has been driving on his dray to horse buyers last week.

Scott Bowen, of Garner, is building a new house and barn on the Aug. Barz farm one mile east of Klemme.

W. R. Bloom and children spent last Friday and Saturday taking an outing at Clear Lake and Mason City. They returned home Sunday.

Mrs. C. C. Suckow and daughter, Fern, attended the commencement exercises of the Hancock county schools at Garner last Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Wellemeyer, of Charles City, came down from the camp-meeting at Garner Monday evening to visit at the home of their son, Arthur.

Quite a number of Klemmeites took in the Woodmen picnic at Belmond last Friday. The day was an ideal one and an enormous crowd was in attendance. All report a very fine time. Belmond won the ball game from Algona by a score of 6 to 5.

Rev. Muehlmeier, pastor of the Klemme German Reformed church, had his household goods loaded on the car Tuesday, preparatory to moving to his new pastorate at Monticello, Wisconsin. This good family has resided in Klemme for about seven years and they will be sadly missed by the members of the church and also by a large number of other friends and acquaintances. While very sorry to see them leave, all will join us in wishing them unbounded success and happiness in their new field of labor.

German M. E. Church Items

English preaching in Germantown church July 4th.

Our Sunday Schools are planning to hold a picnic on July 5th.

Mrs. Arthur Bettin and Sadie Boevers, of Fenton, Iowa, are visiting with Emil and Bertha Bettin.

Jacob Fluhrer of Floyd county, called on his brothers in law, Wm. and Louis Sampson and other relatives.

Wesley and Alma Bettin arrived from Charles City Saturday and will spend their vacation on the farm.

Amanda Arnold and Mary Griffen departed last week on a trip through Minnesota and parts of South Dakota

John Griewe cut the wrong piece of meat Tuesday morning. It happened to be his finger which was nearly severed.

Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Wellemeyer spent Tuesday with their son Arthur, and family. They also took a drive out to their farm in Germantown

John Schwichtenberg accompanied his brother-in-law, Rev. Wm. Berg, to Colesburg, Iowa, on Tuesday, where they will visit relatives and friends.

Wm. Gast Sr., came up from Steamboat Rock last week and attended the campmeeting. His sister, with whom he is making

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WERE BOTH OF MIXED BLOOD

Points of Resemblance Between Englishman and Cowboy, as the Latter Understood It.

"The countess de Pourtales was a New York Lorillard," said a New York tobacconist. "So on both sides, of course, she has blue blood. Yet she is without false pride.

"At a recent tobacco men's convention a director told me of a remark the countess made in Biarritz to an arrogant Englishman.

"This fellow boasted of his ancestry. The countess said that sort of talk wouldn't be understood in the wild west. She said an Englishman said to a Texas cowboy once:

"'I have Tudor blood in my veins on the maternal side and through my father's family I am a Plantaganet.'

"'Is that so?' said the cowboy, brightening with keen interest. 'My blood's a leetle mixed, too. My grandfather was a Jersey tenderfoot and my grandmother a Digger Indian squaw. We're both half-breeds, stranger. Come and liquor up!'"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

SORE EYES CURED.

Eye-Balls and Lids Became Terribly Inflamed—Was Unable to Go About—All Other Treatments Failed, But Cuticura Proved Successful.

"About two years ago my eyes got in such a condition that I was unable to go about. They were terribly inflamed, both the balls and lids. I tried home remedies without relief. Then I decided to go to our family physician, but he didn't help them. Then I tried two more of our most prominent physicians, but my eyes grew continually worse. At this time a friend of mine advised me to try Cuticura Ointment, and after using it about one week my eyes were considerably improved, and in two weeks they were almost well. They have never given me any trouble since and I am now sixty-five years old. I shall always praise Cuticura. G. B. Halsey, Mouth of Wilson, Va., Apr. 4, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

Evidence.

Farmer Hayrick—The city is mighty wicked.

Farmer Corncrib—Yes, even the trees are behind bars.

The imitations cost you just as much as real Wrigley's Spearmint with a spear on it!

A youngster describes heathens as "folks who don't fight over religion."

Nothing so good as the new RUSS BLUE. Delights the laundress. Refuse Imitations.

A homely truth is better than a handsome lie.

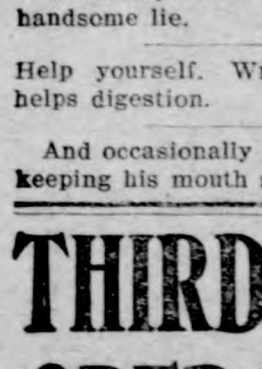
Help yourself. Wrigley's Spearmint helps digestion.

And occasionally a man tells lies by keeping his mouth shut.

THIRD OPERATION PREVENTED

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Chicago, Ill. — "I want to tell you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. I was so sick that two of the best doctors in Chicago said I would die if I did not have an operation. I had already had two operations, and they wanted me to go through a third one. I suffered day and night from inflammation and a small tumor, and never thought of seeing a well day again. A friend told me how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had helped her, and I tried it, and after the third bottle was cured."—Mrs. ALVENA SPERLING, 11 Langdon Street, Chicago, Ill.



If you are ill do not drag along at home or in your place of employment until an operation is necessary, but build up the feminine system, and remove the cause of those distressing aches and pains by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs.

For thirty years it has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively restored the health of thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, or nervous prostration. Why don't you try it?

A Fourth of July Obstacle Race

AND HOW INDEPENDENCE WAS DECLARED

"IN MY young days," said Grandaunt Mary, "girls didn't want to go in with the boys to play games."

Grandaunt Mary shook her head and rocked peacefully, looking over her spectacles at Grandniece Mary, who was doubled up in a discontented heap in a corner of the rose-scented veranda.

"It isn't the games," wailed Mary, disconsolately, "it's a race—a Fourth of July race that I want to go in."

"Dear, dear child, you'll get yourself all heated up if you flounce about like that, and so you would in a race. We'll go and see the boys, and you can wear your pretty new white dress," commented Grandaunt Mary, calmly, with no idea of further rebellion which she was arousing in her greatniece's breast.

"I don't want to be dressed up," Mary was beginning in a still greater outburst of revolt, when she was interrupted by a new arrival—a thin girl with bright blue eyes and bright red hair, who dashed around the corner of the veranda as if it weren't a very hot third of July indeed, and the hottest part of the afternoon.

"Oh, Mary!" cried the red-haired girl.

"Oh, Bunny!" cried Mary, "have you heard about it? These hateful boys aren't going to let us be in the races. They say they don't want girls on the program at all. And with our records, too!"

"Who told you?" demanded Bunny.

"Tom," said Mary. That settled it. The news was evidently authentic, for Tom was Mary's brother, and both girls knew his word was not to be doubted. Besides, he was chairman of the committee on Fourth of July sports, which the boys of Douglaston were going to hold at the village school grounds. An admission of 25 cents for grown-ups and ten cents for children was to be charged, and with the proceeds new suits were to be bought for the junior ball team. Of course, in some places the girls wouldn't have thought of having a part in so important an event, but the girls of Douglaston and their summer visitors were very fond of all sorts of sports, and Bunny and Mary were members of a small group of girls who had come from big schools where athletics and gymnastic work were a most important part of the course. Consequently they felt deeply aggrieved at being debarred from participating in the Fourth sports.

"And it would be much more interesting if they had at least one girls' race," wailed Mary, bursting forth again with her complaint. "Everybody is always more interested in girls' events than in boys. I'm sure more people would go."

Bunny suddenly sprang into the air and began clapping her hands in the wildest fashion. "Mary, you're a dear, a dear," she cried. "I've thought of something and we'll do it, too. Bring your gym bloomers and come over to my house right after tea and tell Susie and Evelyn. I'll tell the rest of the girls."

"There, now," said Aunt Mary, "what is that child going to do?"

"I don't know, but Bunny does. Bunny's found a way," carolled Mary joyously, and she ran gayly off to look up her gymnasium suit.

On Fourth of July morning the boys of Douglaston had a surprise. Tom Mason, Mary's brother, saw it first. It was a banner—a large white banner, which was swung across the main street from the post office to the principal grocer's opposite. Tom approached it curiously. On it he read this legend:

GIRLS' FOURTH OF JULY SPORTS.
This afternoon, between the hours of two and five o'clock the girls of Douglaston will compete in racing, jumping and basketball on Judge Evans' meadow. Admission 25 cents for adults, 10 cents for children.
LEMONADE FREE.

Tom stood spellbound a second. Then he turned and ran straight for the house of his chum, Johnny Driscoll. He stopped only a moment, and that was to gaze over into the Evans meadow. Preparations for the afternoon's event were already in progress. A group of girls were pacing off distances for the obstacle race, and his own sister was twining a hurdle with red, white and blue garlands.

"And they're going to do it up fancy like girls do," groaned Tom to Johnny a few moments later, in reference to the paper garlands.

"They'll get all the crowd," said Johnny dolefully.

"Sure thing," acquiesced Tom. "Judge Evans' man had a dozen banners to put up, and everybody'll see them."

"There's only one thing in our favor," he declared, "and that is the openness of the meadow. Anybody can see the races there without paying admission, and, of course, some people will be mean enough to do it. So if they want to make money they'll have a hard time, while, of course, there's a fence around our place. Not that that will do us any good if the folks can find something else to see that's just as lively and that they don't have to pay for if they don't want to."

"The only thing for us to do," said Johnny, firmly, "is to get all the fellows together."

It was rather a sheepish lot of boys who later marched two by two up to the Evans place. The Evans meadow was by this time assuming a decidedly gala appearance, with its abundance of flags and garlands flying from fence posts and trees.

Tom as leader of the opposition called a parley. His overtures were responded to with suitable reluctance by Bunny as queen of the Amazons. "You know," said Tom, "you only asked for one obstacle race, and we're willing to let you girls have half the events if you'll only combine with us. You can't make much money here, anyway. You can only keep us from making any at all, and we'll give you half the proceeds."

Now there was one very good thing about Bunny, which was that she knew when to make concessions. So she hesitated only long enough to tell the other girls that they ought really to forgive the boys, and then she straightway sent the judge's man to tack the following addendum to the white banners:

"The girls' sports will be held in combination with the boys' at the school field."

And the girls didn't take advantage of Tom's offer, either, for they didn't really want half the events. All that they wanted was a fair representation on the straightaway races and an opportunity of enjoying that fascinating sport, the obstacle race. They didn't make quite as good time as the boys, for, after all, boys are pretty good at some things, but when Grandniece Mary came in in the lead of all the girls after having undergone the perilous adventures of the high fence, the fence to be crawled under, the low fence, the hurdle and the barrel with both ends out, even Grandaunt Mary dropped her knitting bag in her excitement and said she wished they had done such things when she was a girl.

ANSWERED.

The Professor—Let me see! What day of the month is this?

"The Fourth of July!"

WOMEN SUFFER NEEDLESSLY

Many Mysterious Aches and Pains Are Easily Cured.

Backache, pain through the hips, dizzy spells, headaches, nervousness, bloating, etc., are troubles that commonly come from sick kidneys. Don't mistake the cause—Doan's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of women afflicted in this way—by curing the kidneys. Mrs. C. R. Foresman, 113 S. Eighth St., Canon City, Colo., says: "Three years I suffered with rheumatism, dropsy and kidney complaint, and became utterly helpless. I found relief after using two or three boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills and kept on until cured. Doan's Kidney Pills have been a blessing to me."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

A PROUD PAIR.

"What makes that peasant so proud to-day?"

"Oh, he has the biggest rooster in town—and his wife the biggest hat."—Fliegende Blaetter.

Not Lacking in Dignity.

There was once upon a time a country lawyer who was noted for his sedate manners and his judicial bearing. In the course of time he was elevated to the bench, where he conducted himself and the court with becoming demeanor, and where he won a reputation for sagacity based nearly altogether upon his solemn accents and his corrugated brow.

One who knew him well was asked by a stranger who saw the judge pass upon the street whether he was really an efficient arbiter.

"Well," said the acquaintance slowly, "I think I may say that John presides with more dignity and less ability than anyone else I ever knew."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Sees Extinction of Tuberculosis.

Dr. William Osler says: "Whether tuberculosis will be finally eradicated is even an open question. It is a foe that is very deeply intrenched in the human race. Very hard it will be to eradicate completely, but when we think of what has been done in one generation, how the mortality in many places has been reduced more than 50 per cent.—indeed, in some places 100 per cent.—it is a battle of hope, and so long as we are fighting with hope, the victory is in sight."

Evidence.

"His wife married him to reform him."

"And she succeeded, didn't she?"

"I don't know; I didn't know him before he was married."

"Neither did I; but you can see that he don't amount to anything now."

WON'T MIX

Bad Food and Good Health Won't Mix.

The human stomach stands much abuse but it won't return good health if you give it bad food.

If you feed right you will feel right, for proper food and a good mind is the sure road to health.

"A year ago I became much alarmed about my health for I began to suffer after each meal no matter how little I ate," says a Denver woman.

"I lost my appetite and the very thought of food grew distasteful, with the result that I was not nourished and got weak and thin.

"My home cares were very heavy, for besides a large family of my own I have also to look out for my aged mother. There was no one to shoulder my household burdens, and come what might, I must bear them, and this thought nearly drove me frantic when I realized that my health was breaking down.

"I read an article in the paper about some one with trouble just like mine being cured on Grape-Nuts food and acting on this suggestion I gave Grape-Nuts a trial. The first dish of this delicious food proved that I had struck the right thing.

"My uncomfortable feelings in stomach and brain disappeared as if by magic and in an incredibly short space of time I was myself again. Since then I have gained 12 pounds in weight through a summer of hard work and realize I am a very different woman, all due to the splendid food, Grape-Nuts."

"There's a Reason." Trial will prove. Read the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

IOB WOULD KEEP HIM BUS

Greenhorn Sailor Realized the Capt Had Given Him a Big Contract.

In the height of the recent wheat mult Broker Patten, discussing government's wheat estimates with reporter, said calmly:

"But some of the men the gove ment takes its figures from are gre horns. Perfect greenhorns. As as the Dutch sailor, you know.

"The captain said to the sail when the ship came to port:

"'Take a boat, run ashore and two dollars' worth of vegetables.'

"The sailor didn't know what ve tables were, so as soon as he stru land he said to a 'longshoreman:

"'What is vegetables, mate?'

"'Oh, dried peas, for instance,' 'longshoreman answered.

"So the Dutch sailor spent his dollars on a huge sack of dried pe

"When he drew near the ship ag with his load the captain called h from the bridge:

"'Well, have you got those ve tables?'

"'Aye, aye, sir,' said the sailor.

"'Then,' said the captain, 'ha them up to cookie one at a time.'

"'Shiver my timbers!' said t sailor, 'I've got a job before me no and no mistake!'"

NEVER DONE.

Slimkins—I—I hope you did mind my putting that little matter $5 in the hands of the bill collect yesterday?

Podger—Not at all; I borrowed dollar from him.

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In the Black Forest.

"That man's passport is all rig Why does the policeman carry hi off?"

"Oh, the policeman is afraid to home through the dark woods alon —Meggendorfer Blaetter (Munich).

He Learned Better

"I never spoke a cross word to m wife but once."

"Honest?"

"Honest. Once was enough f mine, thank you."—Cleveland Leade

Be promoted! Real Wrigley's Spea mint with a spear on it promotes gestion and sweetens breath.

Economy.

Some women's idea of economy doing without the things that h husband likes best to eat.

Don't delay! Wrigley's Spearmint waiting for you with a spear on t wrapper. It's fine for digestion.

Or, They Should.

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NFERENCE ENDS

egian Lutherans Accomplished Much Business.

T THE CONFERENCE DID

ion Into Districts and Establishent of Pension Funds Regarded as Ranking First In Importance.

s Moines, June 19.—The big nal convention of the Norwegian eran church has adjourned. r eight days the delegates to this rtant ecclesiastical body met in Moines. During those days busi- of the utmost importance was acted.

re in a nutshell is what the nce did:

elected following officers: Rev. Ellestad, vice president; Rev. J. oseland, secretary, and Erik Wald, treasurer. The president, the Rev. T. H. Dahl, D. D., was elected ear for a term of three years.

tablished a pastors' and profes- pension fund of $100,000.

cided to commence the erection of 0,000 Deaconess' home and hospiin Chicago.

cided to commence excavations $60,000 ladies' dormitory at St. college, Northfield, Minn., this

cided to divide national body inistricts of about 150, each with an- meetings and meetings of nal body every third year instead nnually.

ected its first English board of e missions. This action denotes it intends to work aggressively nglish as well as Norwegian.

rdained twenty men to ministry accepted four pastors from other wegian Lutheran bodies.

reated one board of charities to charge of all orphans' homes, es for the aged, the Deaconess' e and hospitals.

ded another chair to the regular lty of the theological faculty.

ecided to buy site for new acadin Canada.

ade appropriations amounting to 000, not including mission contriions, which are over twice this unt.

pproved more extensive use of heran evangelists.

was announced that all the apriations made last year had been and the convention was without . The check for $500 which was eived from the Des Moines Comcial club was given to needy pas- widows. Appropriations amount- o $38,000 were made for the comyear. This does not include the ropriations for home and foreign sions, which will amount to about 00 additional. The greatest apriation this year was given to St. f college.

esolutions of thanks were voted the Des Moines Commercial club, railroads and the representatives the press.

committee to arrange for a celetion of the twenty-fifth anniversof the united church—The Rt. . Dr. Dahl and Reverends O. Lokgaard, B. G. Reinersten, S. O. aten and N. G. Peterson.

nands Big Damage.

William Wirk, who was seriously ined in the West Riverside Coal comy's mine several weeks ago by ing slate, filed suit in the district rt demanding $25,000 damages. The intiff says he sustained internal inies that will make him a cripple life and that he is therefore end to that much money from the pany.

rgeon to Visit Austria.

Dr. William Jepson, professor of gery at the state university, has plied to Adjutant General Logan of Iowa National Guard for leave of ence during August, in order that may attend the international conss of medicine at Budapest, Aus-. Dr. Jepson is surgeon of the y-sixth Infantry with the rank of or.

e Gets Biggest Tax.

tate Treasurer Morrow received a ck for $40,000 in payment of the teral inheritance tax on the es- of the late George Wells of ddy Center. This is the largest ever paid by a single estate and paid only after a long controsy.

ers Says the Lid Is On.

Attorney General Byers told the wegian Lutheran conference that lid is on Iowa and is on to stick. conference decided that hereafter ed evangelists will not be tabooed, may be employed if they are therans.

River Navigation Important.

to place products of this state on velopment and utilization of the natural waterways of Iowa to produce a cheaper mode of transportation so as to place the products of this state on the markets of the world were given a great boost by S. A. Thompson, field secretary of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, who was here on invitation of the Iowa State Manufacturers' association, and at a noonday meeting at the Savery addressed the business men representing all the local booster organizations.

"The development of the rivers of Iowa is of the greatest importance to Des Moines," he said. "Nothing would give this city greater advantage than the use of a navigable stream, and I believe the improvement of the Des Moines river and the tributaries would benefit Des Moines far more than a half dozen cross-continent railroad lines. The lowering of freight rates multiplies the area from which trade is drawn and with water competition it is wonderful how low freight rates become.

"With a dependable Mississippi on the east, a navigable Missouri on the west and complete development of the interior streams, such as the Cedar, Des Moines and Iowa, this state would have a future of which few could even dream. It wuold place Des Moines and Iowa in touch with every nation of the world, and Iowa products could be put in the ports of the old world cheaper than they can now be placed on the markets of New York. Some day the time is coming when these rivers will be under control, when they will be navigable, and when that time comes the growth and advancement of the interior states will be marvelous."

Mr. Thompson declares that transportation nullifies the tariff and that the railroads benefit by the protective tariff. One illustration he offered was that the freight rates on a ton of oranges from Italy to New York was $3 and the duty $20, making a total of $23 a ton. When the tariff was imposed the railroad rate on a ton of oranges from California to New York was increased and now it is $23, making it as cheap to import a car of Italian oranges and pay the duty as it is to buy in this country.

Des Moines Near the Top.

Des Moines ranks fourth in the list of fifty-seven of the largest cities in the United States in the percentage of increase in building and construction work for the last month over the corresponding month last year. The increase in construction work in this city las month was 218 per cent greater than in May last year. Newark is first with 499 per cent, Toledo second with 274 per cent and Omaha third with 246 per cent.

Octogenarians Hold Picnic.

Two hundred residents of Iowa, between the ages of 70 and 100 years attended the tenth annual picnic of the Octogenarian society of Iowa at Union park. The principal speakers were Col. W. S. Dungan of Chariton and T. B. Perry of Albia. Election of officers was held and reports for the past year made.

Will Make Big Contracts.

During the ensuing three weeks contracts for a quarter million dollars worth of coal will be let by the state board of control. It will require 90,900 tons to supply the fourteen state institutions during the ensuing year. The price including transportation will range from $1.75 to $3 per ton.

Garrett to Speak Again.

Secretary B. W. Garrett of the state board of parole has accepted an invitation to deliver his lecture, "A Glimpse of Prison Life," before the convention of the Iowa Christian Endeavor union. The meeting will be held in Iowa Falls September 6 to 8.

Attends National Convention.

State Labor Commissioner E. W. Van Duyn has gone to Rochester, N. Y., to attend the national convention of labor commissioners. He will read a paper outlining the work of the Iowa commissioner.

Des Moines Gets Convention.

The mid-winter annual meeting of the Iowa State Manufacturers' association will be held regularly in Des Moines. The summer convention will be held over the state as usual.

Wright Spots Impure Oils.

State Food and Dairy Commissioner H. R. Wright has notified retail dealers that large quantities of adulterated linseed oil are being sold to retailers by jobbers and manufacturers in Omaha and Chicago.

Agar Is Denied a New Trial.

Judge Howe overruled the motion of the Agar Packing plant for a new trial of its $350,000 damage case against the Rock Island.

SOME TASTY CAKES

RECIPES THAT ARE WORTH REMEMBERING.

The Always Popular Sally Lunn—For Popovers—Robert Lee Jelly Cake—Steam Pone In Southern Style.

Sally Lunn.—One teaspoonful of salt, one quart of flour, one pint of sweet milk, one-half cup of sugar and one small cup of yeast. Make a batter and put in a warm place to rise, and in three hours, when it is light enough, add five eggs which have been beaten separately and one-half cupful of melted butter. Add one-half pint of flour to make a stiff batter. Spread in pans one inch thick, and let rise, then bake. Serve two at a time with melted butter between.

Popovers.—Beat two eggs very stiff and add one cup of milk, one cup of flour, and a pinch of salt. Have small tins very hot and well buttered. Fill half full with the mixture, bake in a quick oven for 20 minutes and serve at once.

Robert Lee Jelly Cake.—Use any recipe for sponge layer cake and fill with the following: Yolks of three eggs, juice and grated rind of one lemon, one-quarter pound of butter and one-half pound of sugar. Put in a saucepan on the stove and stir until cooked, then put in the well-beaten whites of the three eggs. As soon as it comes to a boil take off and stir until cold. Put between layers of cake.

Steam Pone.—One teacupful of New Orleans molasses, five teacupfuls of corn meal, two teacupfuls of brown flour, one teaspoonful of salt, one quart of buttermilk, and two teaspoonfuls of soda. Mix thoroughly, and put in airtight tin. Set in kettle of boiling water and boil for six hours. Then take from tin, put in pan, and bake slowly for two hours till it is a rich brown.

Velvet Sponge Cake.—Six eggs, two cups sugar, one cup boiling water, three cups flour, and one teaspoonful of baking powder. Separate the eggs and beat the yolks, and add to them the sugar and beat very light. Add the whites, then the hot water, and last beat the flour in very lightly. Bake in a moderate oven. Put together with icing flavored with the juice and grated rind of one lemon. This same cake may be baked in a big mold in layers, or in muffin tins.

Spice Cakes.—Four teacups of flour, one good teacup of butter, three teacups of sugar, four eggs, one teaspoonful of soda in one cup of sour milk or cream, and one-half teaspoonful each of nutmeg, allspice, mace, cinnamon and cloves. Cream together butter and sugar, break the four eggs over it, and heat. Add milk and soda, and put in gradually flour and the spices. Drop with a spoon on greased tins and bake. Ice with white icing flavored with lemon or brandy.

Filet of Beef.

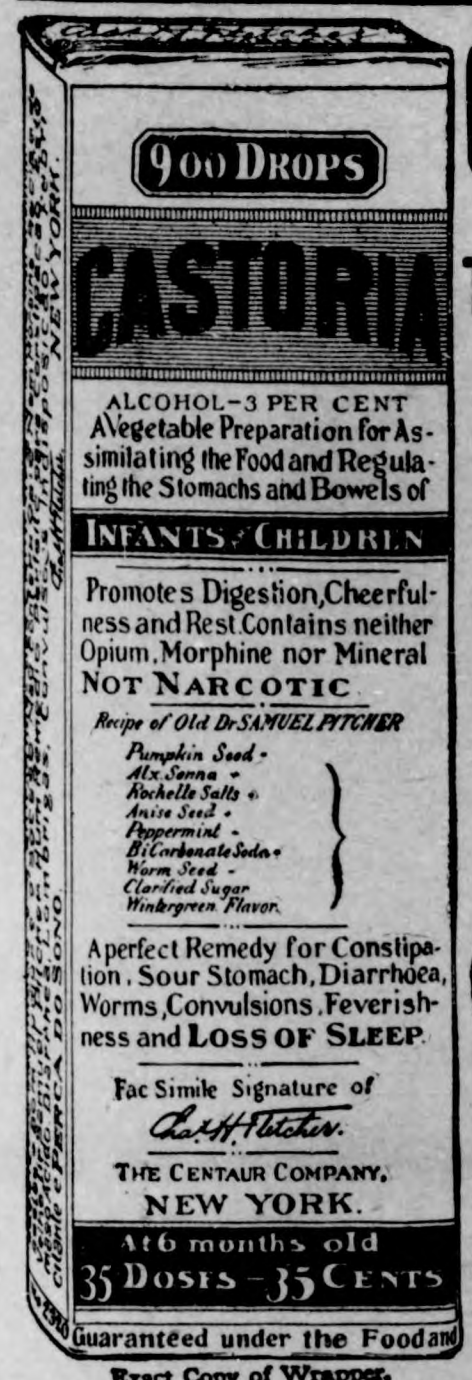
Have some filet cut into slices about an inch thick; melt a piece of butter the size of an egg in a saucepan and put in flat the meat sprinkled with salt and pepper. Let it stand in the butter one hour, then put the saucepan over a quick fire and burn the meat on each side. Take the meat out and keep it warm, meanwhile add to the butter a tablespoonful of flour; stir it smooth; put in half a pint of bouillon, half a pound of mushrooms already peeled, washed, and cut up if too large, and lastly the meat. Cook until the mushrooms are done. Add the juice of half a lemon and serve with the meat in the center of the dish, the mushrooms around it, and the gravy poured over.

Minced Lamb.

Remove all the good meat from what remains of roast lamb and mince fine. Put the bones and bits of skin in a saucepan and cover with a pint of water. Add one onion, one-half carrot cut small, a few sprays of parsley, and two mint leaves and simmer for one-half hour; add any gravy left from roast and strain. Thicken with one tablespoonful of flour rubbed in one tablespoonful of butter, add a teaspoonful of salt, a dash of cayenne, and the minced lamb. Let it come to a boil and serve.

Delicious Breakfast Dish for Two.

Cut four hard boiled eggs in slices and place them in an earthen baking dish. Into a pan on the fire put a little chunk of butter, a tablespoon of flour, and about half a pint of cream. A few bits of sage or thyme added are nice, but not obligatory. When this mixture boils put on three or four tablespoons of Parmesan cheese, which is sold grated in the shops. Then pour all this over the eggs, sprinkle bread crumbs over the top and bake brown in a hot oven.



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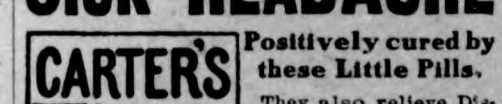

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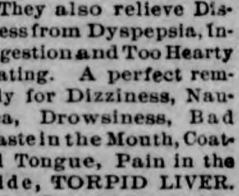

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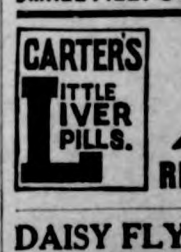

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his home, came with him. They returned Tuesday evening

Rosa Wessel, of Colesburg, took in the campmeeting and spent a few days with her brother and family. She departed for Burt, Iowa, on Wednesday.

Clarence Arnold started on an extended tour last week. He will visit most of the western states, take in the exposition, the national park and many other places of interest.

Many of the readers of the Times will be pleased to know that William Brandt is improving nicely in the Osteopath Infirmary at Kirksville, Mo. We received the following lines on Monday: "Our patient, Mr. Brandt, is getting along fine. He is now able to take a few steps with the aid of the nurse. He uses his hands fairly well. He got out of bed by himself today."

The campmeeting which closed Monday afternoon was one of the best in years. Tho' the attendance from other places was not so large, the interest of those present was all the more manifest. The beautiful weather added materially to the success and put to shame the old saying that a campmeeting brings rain. To defray the running expenses, $140 was raised in a few minutes. The annual business meeting was so enthusiastic that committees were appointed to plan for the erection of a large pavilion in the near future.

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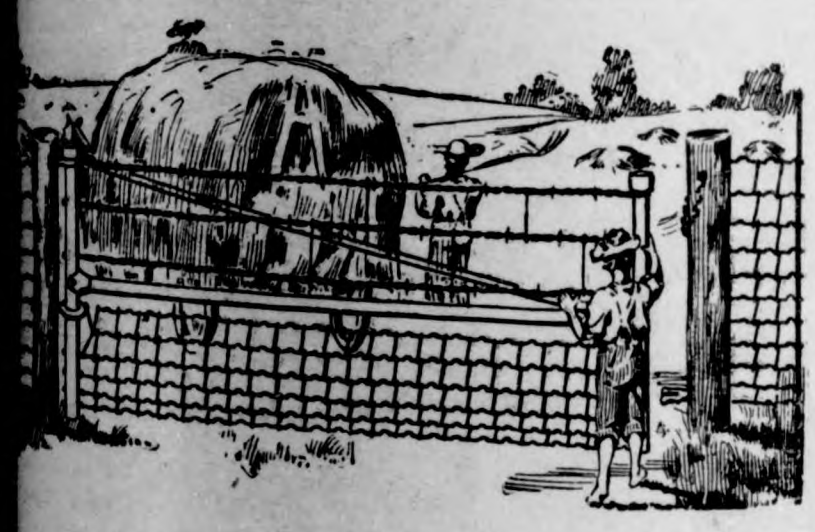

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U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		25,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		1,032 75
Banking house furniture and fixtures		2,050 87
Due from National banks		11,920 88
Due from approved reserve agents		29,716 57
Checks and other cash items		96 77
Notes of other National banks		1,590 00
Fractional paper currency nickels and cents		91 09
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Specie	$ 7,090 45	
Legal tender notes	120 00	7,210 45
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer		1,250 00
Total		179,031 91

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000 00
Surplus fund	901 15
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	760 91
National bank notes outstanding	25,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	27,760 34
Demand certificates of deposit	99,609 51
Total	179,031 91

STATE OF IOWA, } ss
Hancock County, }

I, F. A. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemny swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. A. ARNOLD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of June, 1909.

FRANK M. HANSON,
[SEAL] Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

AUG. LAU
R. M. DAY } Directors
AUG. BARZ

ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Walter Stoker is working for Joe Lawhorn.

Norma Post was at Belmond last Thursday.

Wm. Yohn and family were at the Lake Sunday.

Peter Josten is having some tile put on his farm.

Mr. Babcock spent Sunday with his family at Kanawha.

Mrs. Wm. Yohn was a caller at Hod Lawhorn's Friday.

Clifford Schwartz visited his parents near Garner Sunday.

Erma Born, of Twin Lake, is staying with Mrs. Henry Josten.

Mrs. Hod Lawhorn called on Mrs. Mark Adwell last Thursday.

Tom Nelson Sr. of Klemme, is helping his son Tom over a rush of work.

Mrs. Herman Barz visited with Mrs. Hod Lawhorn last Thursday evening.

Mr. Josten and son John were in this neighborhood last week looking after their farms and visiting relatives.

Joe Lawhorn and family, Tom Nelson and family and Mrs. Haskin and children took an outing at the lake one day last week.

Mrs. Kuskie and children drove to Belmond last Thursday. From there they go to the western part of Nebraske for a visit with relatives.

Sees Mother Grow Young

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GOODELL

From the Globe:

Goodell will celebrate on Monday, July 5th.

A number around here are enjoying the German measles.

J. D. Bachman transacted business at Klemme Monday afternoon.

Arthur Savogue spent Sunday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. E. Kinney at Belmond.

R. M. Clark, of Staples, Minn. came Saturday and will visit at the home of his brother, G. W. Clark, and with other relatives here for a time.

H. F. Freeman returned Saturday from the south part of the state where he has been on business.

Frank McNutt and carpenter force recently completed a fine large barn for Mc. J. Thompson west of town.

Seven families enjoyed a picnic supper last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. E Porter, the event being Mr. and Mrs. Porter's sixth wedding anniversary. A very pleasant evening was passed by those present.

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"For ten years I couldn't ride a horse without being in torture from piles," writes L. S. Napier, of Ruggless, Ky., "when all doctors and other remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me." Infallible for piles, burns, scalds, cuts, boils, fever-sores, eczema, salt rheum, corns 25c. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co.

MESERVEY

From the Messenger:

Louis Hulsebus assisted Swaledale in a game of ball against Rockwell at Rockwell Tuesday.

Lawrence Jensen who has been staying on a farm near Belmond, returned home last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lemke, accompanied by their daughter Miss Amelia and son Ferdinand, attended the campmeeting at Garner last Sunday.

Fred Paul, who is at Dows with the Paul Bros. string of steppers, was visiting relatives and friends here on the 12th inst. He is greatly pleased with the results from his horse training.

Geo. J. Fischer went to Hampton, Minn., on last Saturday to visit his father who is sick at the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Becker. Geo. reports the old gentleman as improving, being much better than he was when they were called there a few weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lauster, of Bigstone, S. D., are spending the week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lauster. Geo. reports that he and his brother Wm. are enjoying a good trade in their mercantile business at Bigstone.

BRITT

From the News:

A new cement sidewalk has been put in in front of the Cole block.

John Love is having a lot of tile laid on his farm southwest of Britt.

W. D. Arnett, who is now located in South Dakota, spent Sunday in Britt.

Harold Smith has gone to Clinton, this state, where he has a good position with the Iowa Telephone Co.

Jos. Weis left last Saturday for Holyoke, Mass., where he will spend the summer with one of his sons. Chas. Miller accompanied him as far as Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Castle will leave soon for Hettinger, N. Dak., where Mr. Castle has purchased a residence lot and will erect a house thereon. He will operate an auto livery as he has done here the past year.

Mrs. James Johnson Sr. died at her home in Britt at about 3:00 o'clock on Saturday morning, June 19, 1909, heart trouble being the cause of death. While she had not been in good health for some time, her illness was not considered serious and her death was sudden and somewhat unexpected.

The Farmers' Picnic held in Britt last Saturday was quite well attended but people from the country were slow in coming in on account of the busy time of the year and but few came until afternoon. A good program was given and all seemed to enjoy it very much.

A Night Rider's Raid

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Barnum and Bailey's circus is billed to appear at Mason City on July 19th.

THE KLEMME TIMES

ALLEN C. FLINT, Publisher

KLEMME - - - IOWA

SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Senator La Follette in an editorial in his weekly magazine covertly accused President Taft of helping to throttle the move for an income tax.

Vice-president Sherman appeared in the senate wearing a suit of blue jeans made in Georgia.

President Taft's corporation tax plan was presented to the senate by Senator Aldrich.

The senate voted to increase the duty on shoes from 15 to 20 per cent. ad valorem.

President Taft summoned members of his cabinet and several leading senators to the White House for a conference to devise a plan for levying a tax on corporations.

PERSONAL.

Miss Edith Dodds, daughter of the secretary of the Illinois board of pharmacy, was married in London to Robert L. S. McClure, son of S. S. McClure, the magazine publisher.

Maj. Charles J. T. Clarke, Twenty-sixth infantry, has been dismissed from the army for misconduct in financial affairs.

William J. Bryan, Jr., and Miss Helen Berger were married at the bride's summer home at Grand Lake, Col.

Newton D. Alling of New York was elected president of the American Institute of Banking, and Chattanooga, Tenn., was selected as the next meeting place.

The home of W. H. Whalen, former superintendent of the Iowa division of the Northwestern railway, was destroyed by a bomb at Tucson, Ariz.

John J. Ryan, former race track plunger, was indicted in Cincinnati on a charge of operating a bucket shop.

Charles M. Schwab, president of the Bethlehem Steel Company, returned from a trip to Europe.

GENERAL NEWS.

Robert Eastman, slayer of Mrs. Edith Woodill at St. Michaels, Md., killed himself when surrounded by pursuers.

Justice Dowling in the New York supreme court granted a separation and $36,000 a year alimony to Mrs. Howard Gould.

William Kage, employed by the United States Express Company at Green Bay Wis., confessed that he, and not a robber, as he first reported, stole $4,600 from the company.

Thirty-four deaths from cholera and 99 new cases were reported within 24 hours in St. Petersburg.

Striking car men attacked the barns of the La Crosse, Wis., street railway company and a demand was made for militia to protect the property.

England will send three warships to San Francisco in October to assist in celebrating the rebuilding of the city

Albert Reese, a negro murderer, was taken from jail and hanged by a mob of 15 masked men at Cuthbert, Georgia.

The American Institute of Homeopathy changed the code of ethics applying to its members by releasing physicians from professional secrecy when silence is injurious to innocent persons.

It has been found that Abdul Hamid, deposed sultan of Turkey, had $21,500,000 in the Imperial Bank of Germany.

Charles F. Hansen a blind organist of the Second Presbyterian church in Indianapolis, saved the sanctuary from fire after it had been struck by lightning.

A number of Navajo Indians, who have been held at Fort Huachuca at hard labor for two years, will be liberated and returned to the reservation at once, following an order of the supreme court of Arizona.

Rumors were heard in Milwaukee that the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company would remove its headquarters from Milwaukee to Chicago. Officials of the company refused to confirm the report.

When a bottle of hair restorer turned Mrs. Kate J. Moeser's hair into a bright green, she sued the manufacturer of the preparation and won a verdict of $500 in a New York court.

Doctors of Bellevue hospital, New York, are puzzled by the strange case of James M. Faul, a car driver. His skin all over, except that on one side of his face, has turned black.

Only the uncertainty concerning the time to be devoted to the western trip of President Taft is said to stand in the way of completing arrangements for a meeting between him and President Diaz of Mexico in the autumn. The meeting place would be El Paso, it is believed.

Seismic disturbances continue daily in Messina, Sicily, the shocks reaching a record in the last 24 hours, when they numbered 23

Mrs. Edith May Thompson Woodill, protege of Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, was slain at St. Michaels, Md., by a newspaper writer named Roberts and her body weighted down in a creek.

Mrs. Howard Gould again took the witness stand and denied charges made by her husband's witnesses. Dustin Farnum, in a deposition, denied improper relations with Mrs. Gould.

Reports from several cities of the capture of Leon Ling, slayer of Elsie Sigel, proved to be untrue.

Twelve men fell 315 feet to the bottom of a coal mine near Clinton, Ind., when the clutch of the elevator failed to work, and several may die.

Gov. Hoke Smith of Georgia suspended D. G. McLendon, chairman of the state railroad commission, who had refused to order a reduction in rates.

As the result of a race feud growing out of the election of Gov. Hughes, negroes set fire to several buildings in Goshen, N. Y., and the blaze caused $100,000 loss.

After Fred M. Kell of Des Moines, Ia., had been killed by lightning, his faithful horse trotted into Perry with the body in the buggy.

The body of Oscar Carlson was washed ashore and it is believed his companions, Andrew Smith and Edward Holn of Gladstone, Mich., were also drowned while on a fishing trip.

Six persons died in Pittsburg and eight in New York from the terrific heat which has been causing prostrations in the east.

The Suburban handicap, one of the greatest races on the American turf, was won by Fitzherbert, owned by Sam Hildreth.

Naval architects and marine engineers numbering 125, representing many firms of the country, are in Detroit for the annual convention of the body.

There was a deluge of small perch in Harlem street, New York, when firemen cleaned out the hydrants. Many children carried home the live perch in pails of water.

If President Taft's plan to tax corporations wins, 39 leading business concerns of the country will pay the government approximately $5,000,000 a year. The Standard Oil Company will contribute about $1,200,000 a year, it is estimated.

By the arrest of Cho Wong Dock at Portland, Ore., Immigration Inspector Barbour believes he has unearthed an organized band that has smuggled Chinese into this country.

Seventeen men were killed and 16 injured by an explosion in mine No. 4 of the Lackawanna Coal & Coke Company at Wehrum, Pa.

Lydia Moffett, 17 years old, who had been held prisoner for six days in a Chinese opium den near the scene of the Elsie Sigel murder, was rescued by her mother.

Sergt. Acadenia, leader of the mutinous constabulary in the Philippines, was killed by Sergt. Hewson, one of his pursuers.

Mark Woodruff, former register of lands of Colorado, was arrested on a charge of embezzling $15,000 of school land funds.

Nine tourists, including five Americans, were drowned when a boat capsized in Lake Killarney, Ireland.

Speaker Cannon told a group of girl graduates from Oswego, N. Y., men would have no chance at all if women were allowed to vote.

Fred Stevens, a young farmer, was shot from ambush while driving with his brother near the village of Hubuck, Ill.

Severe earthquake shocks were felt in several California cities and in Reno, N. M.

The New York to Seattle automobile race was won by the Ford car No. 2, its time being 22 days and 55 minutes.

Dr. Hills Cole of New York, in an address before the Homeopathic conference at Detroit, declared the people needed scaring to bring about a successful war on tuberculosis.

A. Teon, a Mexican banker, and his wife and seven children, arrived in New York from Europe, after spending $100,000 on a year's vacation. They will visit Chicago on their way home.

Edward H. Harriman is quoted at Vienna as saying that "many men in New York would be glad to learn I was dead." He added that he "intended to live longer than most of them."

Filipino constabulary have killed the chief of the Savao mutineers and five have been captured. The remnant of the rebels is being pursued.

Hailstones as big as walnuts fell in Iowa and caused much damage to corn and other crops.

TO HEAD Y. M. C. A.

Believed that J. H. Goodell Is Slated for State Secretary.

IN TOUCH WITH DUTIES

Present State Financial Secretary Likely to Be Made Secretary of the State Association.

Marshalltown, Ia., June 28.—It is believed in Y. M. C. A. circles that John A. Goodell, formerly of Duluth, but for two years past, prior to a year ago, secretary of the Railroad Y. M. C. A. of this city, is slated for the position of state secretary for Iowa, to succeed the late W. A. Magee. Mr. Goodell is at present state financial secretary, to which position he was appointed less than a year ago.

Mr. Goodell is believed by his friends on the state committee to be especially qualified for the work of state secretary. Since he became state financial secretary he has come in close touch with the state secretary's duties, and during Mr. Magee's last illness he had the work of the state secretary in charge.

The state committee, with which rests the selection of a successor to Mr. Magee, is composed of J. G. Olmsted of Des Moines, chairman; F. A. McCornack of Sioux City, vice chairman, and C. E. Hunn of Des Moines, secretary. Mr. Goodell is now acting as state secretary.

Schroeder Declines Des Moines Offer.

Marshalltown, Iowa, June 25.—E. G. Schroeder, physical director of the state university, who was offered the directorship of the Des Moines Y. M. C. A., declined the Des Moines offer by mail, he having decided to remain with the university another year. Schroeder does not expect to do physical work more than a few years, as he is studying law. Were he expecting to continue physical work he would accept the Des Moines offer, which he considers the finest field in the state.

Banknotes Paper Walls and Floor.

Burlington.—The mystery of the disappearance of the wealth of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Farrier of Sperry, Ia., a short distance above Burlington, has been cleared away by the administrators of the estate, who, in tearing up the carpet, discovered that the floor under it was fairly papered with bank notes of large and small denominations, $600 thus being found. Under the organ $200 was found stuffed away, and similar bunches of money are being found in various parts of the house in unexpected places. So far $2,000 have thus been recovered, and the search is still going on. Mrs. Farrier died April 12, and it being known that she was well to do, her administrators could not imagine where all her money had gone. It appears that the woman was afraid of banks and chose to secret her money about the house where she could watch it.

Mail Clerk's Fast Work.

Mason City.—The fastest man among the mail clerks in Iowa is said to be Edward Flemming of this city, who has a run between this city and Dubuque on the Milwaukee, who in a test taken at Sioux City distributed 1,004 cards in 72 different separations in just 21 minutes. Assistant Chief Clerk Henderson, in charge of the test, said it was the best record yet made and that Flemming's work was absolutely errorless.

Many Co-operative Elevators.

Hampton.—Five farmers' co-operative elevators have been organized during the past two months by Commercial Agent McMillan of the Short Line. He has just completed the organization of the fifth concern at Racine, the first station south of Iowa Falls. The elevators are located at Hurley, Sheffield, Hampton, Chapin and Racine. The average investment of each is $5,000.

Badly Hurt in Runaway.

Columbus Junction.—Miss Florence Bonnichsen, age 15, narrowly escaped death when thrown many feet from a road wagon drawn by horses running away through Main street. The father was also thrown from the wagon, which was destroyed before breaking loose from the running team. He fell on his back, but no serious injuries were incurred.

Iowa Actor Run Down by Train.

Creston.—With his head crushed and with bruises covering his left arm and leg, the lifeless and terribly mutilated body of Elmer Corey, son of Nate Corey, of this city, was discovered on the Burlington right-of-way, three miles east of Prescott.

New Trolley Line Planned.

Centerville.—A proposition that was unanimously acceptable to the public interurban committee of fourteen was made by the Centerville Light and Traction company and the solicitation for bond subscriptions began at once. The line will be built to Mystic, seven miles northwest on the Milwaukee road, with rich coal lands intervening. The traction company proposes to furnish the remainder of the capital if the local people will subscribe for $75,000 in bonds at 6 per cent, secured by first mortgage on the property of the entire plant, lighting, heating and street railway.

Centerville has 8,000 people, Mystic and environs 3,000, with several small coal camps on the line.

The intention is to get the matter under way so the construction work can be done before cold weather.

Country Girls Stranded.

Des Moines.—Two pretty country girls from near Fort Dodge were picked up by the police practically starving upon the streets of Des Moines. They had been put out of a rooming house for lack of funds and had nothing to eat for nearly two days. Their names are Zelphia Frost and Mable Knapp. They had come to the city to find work and failed.

Chief of Police Miller at once notified the mother of Miss Frost who came to Des Moines and took her daughter back home. A friend appeared at the last moment who supplied Miss Knapp with sufficient funds to pay her fare to Fort Dodge, where she will live with her sister.

Body of Murdered Child in Lake.

Spirit Lake.—Some children made a find of the body of an infant along the shore of West Okoboji. They were old enough to realize the importance of the discovery and at once gave the alarm. The coroner made an examination and found that its skull had been beaten in. There was no clothing on the body. It was a boy baby and had probably been thrown into the lake about eight days previous.

No New School for Shenandoah.

Shenandoah.—The proposition to vote bonds to the amount of $14,000 of which $13,000 was to be used to build a new ward school building in the west part of town, and $1,000 to make repairs on the present high school building, was defeated at the special election by a majority of 186 out of a total vote of 742.

Sunday Converts Join Church.

Marshalltown.—A total of 416 new members to seven churches of this city were received. Most of them were converts at the "Billy" Sunday meetings that closed recently. The First Methodist church heads the list, taking in 125 members. The Central Church of Christ is second, with 105.

Iowa Woman Gasoline Victim.

Sioux City.—Her clothing ablaze from the waist up, the result of a gasoline stove explosion in her home, Mrs. Louise Borowsky rushed into the street screaming for help and was seriously, perhaps fatally, burned before neighbors succeeded in extinguishing the flames.

Butler County Soldiers Meet.

New Hartford.—The thirty-first annual reunion of the Butler County Veterans' association occurred at New Hartford. Only 62 of the boys who wore the blue registered at headquarters, but an interesting program was carried out.

Packing Plant for Fort Dodge.

Fort Dodge.—A packing plant is the next thing for Fort Dodge in the way of new manufacturies. The sum of $150,000 has already been subscribed in stock and $150,000 more, the remainder necessary, is already in sight.

Safe Blowers Get $3.90 at Diagonal

Diagonal.—The safe in the postoffice at this place was blown to pieces by robbers. Only $3.90 was taken, as the funds are deposited every night in the bank.

Baby Weighed Only 1½ Pounds.

Odebolt.—A baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brogan, weighing one and a half pounds, has been placed in an incubator in hopes of saving its life.

Iowa Wesleyan Prizes.

Mount Pleasant.—Harry Wishard of Bloomfield, a member of the sophomore class of Iowa Wesleyan university, won the Harlan oratorical prize of $50.

Attacked and Bitten by Dogs.

Mason City.—Attacked by two dogs, who lacerated his legs, Guy Weed, a local traveling man, is suffering from the wounds and in fear of infection.

Todd Will Leave Hospital.

Des Moines.—A. H. Todd is rapidly recovering at Mercy hospital from the bullets fired into him by Mose Rice.

TRUNK TO NEWA

Police Believe Ling's Trunk tained Body of Girl.

HE DROVE BACK TO NEW Y

Tried to Lose the Trunk in New sey Town—New Evidence in Siegel Murder Case Discovered.

New York, June 28.—New ents developed in Newark, N. the mystery surrounding the m of Elsie Sigel, which threaten stroy many of the main theorie on whih the police have been ing since the discovery of the body in the room of Leon Ling a week ago.

The trunk in which the girl's was found was carted from a re ant in New York to the room of in Eighth avenue on the afterno June 10th, the day after the gir appeared. James Halstead, the man who carried the trunk, iden a photograph of Leon as his f that day.

The Newark restaurant is co ed by Li Sing, who admits th knew Leon and who claims th June 10 Leon came to his resta with his trunk and asked perm to leave it there.

Leon returned at 10:30 o'cloc afternoon with Halstead and hi Li says the trunk was so heavy he asked Leon what it contained the Chinaman told him "Clo With these facts established are inclined to think that the gi killed elsewhere than in Leon's and that the body was then sh to Newark and thence to New

CLOUDBURST DELUGES

Several Men and a Baby Nar Escape Death in the Mad dened Waters.

Vail, Ia., June 28.—A g cloudburst occurred here and water was in every business from three inches to two and feet deep and many residences flooded. Some were swept their foundations. One res was moved 150 feet and anoth feet and partly turned around. men and a baby nearly drowne were rescued with dufficulty. rain fell in torrents for two The Chicago & Northwestern r tracks were washed out in places west of here and all were delayed.

Great destruction was don stocks of goods of business hous carpets and rugs of the homes were flooded. The water left a of mud from two to eight thick and sidewalks and crossin all swept far from their places. damage will reach into tho and it will be a month befo town will resume its usual be

According to the oldest inhab the water was two feet higher any previous flood.

GREEKS ATTACK CONDU

His Train Had Run Over a G Barricaded Depot Saved Him.

Fairfield, Iowa, June 28.—A because one of their number w over by a Burlington freight, ty-five Greeks employed in th struction gang at Lockridge, miles east of Fairfield, attacke Hayes of Burlington, conductor freight, and chased him to th senger station, where, with th of the agent he barricaded th and remained there until help

Lockridge people organized drove all the Greeks out of Hayes was not seriously injur

The Greek who was caught the train was badly injured a taken to Burlington.

Forty Years in a School Ro

Omaha, Neb., June 28.—Afte years of school teaching, of w quarter of a century was d Omaha, Miss Villa B. Shipp structor of history in the grades at Long school, has r and gone with her elder siste Kate Shippey, to live at th home, Gowanda, N. Y.

Schlater Jailed on Fraud Cha

Des Moines, June 28.—"Sch physician, minister of the gosp self styled faith healer, was a in his apartments at the Sabi by Detective Brunnemer on gram from the sheriff at Clint charging him with obtaining by false pretenses.

HER INFINITE VARIETY

By BRAND WHITLOCK

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SYNOPSIS.

ator Morley Vernon's visit with his ee was interrupted by a call from political boss at the state capital. regretted it, the girl more than he, use she had arranged to attend a er that evening with him. She said earned for a national office for him. Vernon's desk in the senate he found d rose, accompanied by a plea for age for women. He met the au- es, pretty Miss Maria Greene of go, who proposed to convert him voting for house resolution No. 19. Greene secured Vernon's promise to for the suffrage resolution. He also her by convincing others. He took ing to the fair suffragette. Miss e consulted with the lieutenant-gov- . Vernon admitted to himself that uffragette had stirred a strange feel- within him. He forgot to read his e's letter. Vernon made a great h in favor of suffrage, aided by es from Miss Greene. The resolution made a special order. Vernon was usiastic on the prospects for the res- on. He was much in Miss Greene's pany. Vernon neglected thoughts of lia. He took Miss Greene driving and out plans for the success of the reso- n. Vernon's speech caused a great spaper sensation. He was being neg- d by Amelia, who had not answered letter. Vernon is "tipped off" that his age resolution may not pass. As Greene was due the following morn- he had no fears. Miss Greene ar- and breakfasted with Vernon. s the dining room entrenched be- women opponents of the suffrage lution, he spied Amelia. He started rd her. She treated him coldly and women opponents of suffrage re- ed him for his part. Mrs. Hodge- rop told Senator Vernon that his uct with Miss Greene had been hard Amelia.

CHAPTER XII.—Continued.

e looked at his watch; it was half- t nine; the senate would convene ten; the resolution would not be ched before half-past ten at any ; and so he determined to brave . Overman Hodge-Lathrop again. turned back into the lobby; there was, hobnobbing with men; she not pass from group to group, aft- the manner of any other lobbyist, by some coercion he wished he ht be master of, she drew them un- ngly to her side. Now she had ldwood, the leader of the house, chairman of the steering commit- and Porter, the leader of the sen- She appeared to be giving them tructions.

he had set her committee on less portant game; the ladies were scat- d over the rotunda, each talking to ttle set of men. When Mrs. Over- n Hodge-Lathrop saw Vernon com- she turned from Braidwood and ter and stood awaiting him. angely enough Braidwood and Por- stayed where they were, as if she put them there. And Vernon re- ted that he had never known them, doubtless no one else had ever wn them, to do such a thing as t before.

"Where's Amelia?" he asked before could speak.

"I have sent her upstairs," said . Overman Hodge-Lathrop, "poor ld!"

Vernon wondered why "poor child." "It's really too bad," Mrs. Overman dge-Lathrop continued.

"What is too bad?" demanded Ver- . He had grown sulky.

Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop looked him pityingly.

"Morley," she said in a vast solemn that came slowly up from her t stays, "I can make allowances, course. I know something of the re of man; I will admit that that ene woman is remarkably hand- e, and of her cleverness there can no doubt. I don't altogether blame ."

She paused that Vernon might com- bend to the fullest her marvelous gnanimity.

"But at the same time it has been d on poor little Amelia. I saw no er way than to bring her down. u must go to her at once."

She turned toward Braidwood and ter, still standing where she had them.

"When you have done, I'll see you h reference to this miserable reso- ion; but that can wait till we are at capitol. This other matter comes t, of course."

She smiled with a fat sweetness.

"And, Morley," she said, "order two rriages for us at ten o'clock. You y drive to the capitol with us."

And she went away.

Vernon ordered the carriages, and in ning the whole matter over in his d he came to the conclusion that must deal with these complications one at a time; Miss Greene, as events now had shaped themselves, would have to wait until he got over to the State House.

CHAPTER XIII.

Vernon found Amelia in one of the hotel parlors, seated on a sofa by a window. She was resting her chin in her hand and looking down into Capitol avenue.

"Amelia," he said, bending over her. 'What is it? Tell me.'

He sat down beside her, and sought to engage one of her hands in his own, but she withdrew it, and pressed it with the other and the handkerchief in both, to her lips and chin. Vernon glanced about the respectable parlors, maintained in instant readiness for anybody that might happen along with his little comedy or his little tragedy.

Flung Himself Back on the Sofa Helplessly.

She continued to look obdurately out of the window.

"Amelia," he said, "aren't you going to speak to me? Tell me what I have done."

Still there came no answer. He flung himself back on the sofa helplessly.

"Well," he said, "I don't know what it all means. I've tried to fathom it in the last hour, but it's too deep for me; I give it up.' He flung out his hands to illustrate his abandonment.

"God knows," he suddenly exclaimed, "I was only trying to do something worthy—for your sake!"

"Please don't swear, Morley," Amelia said.

He looked up swiftly.

"Well—" he began, explosively, but he didn't continue. He relapsed into a moody silence. He stretched his legs out before him in an ungainly attitude, with his hands plunged deep in his trousers' pockets. Then he knitted his brows and tried to think.

"I suppose" he said, as if he were thinking aloud, "that you expect some explanation, some apology."

"Oh, not at all," she said, lightly, in the most musical tone she could command.

"Very well," he said, "I wouldn't know where to begin if you did. I'm sure I'm not aware of having—"

She began to hum softly, to herself, as it were, some tuneless air. He remembered that it was a way she had when she was angry. It was intended to show the last and utmost personal unconcern. In such circumstances the tune was apt to be an improvisation and was never melodious. Sometimes it made her easier to deal with, sometimes harder; he could never tell.

"I don't exactly see what we are here for," he ventured, stealing a look at her. She had no reply. He fidgeted a moment and then began drumming with his fingers on the arm of the sofa.

"Please don't do that," she said.

He stopped suddenly.

"If you would be good enough, kind enough," he said it sarcastically, "to indicate, to suggest, even, what I am to do—to say."

"I'm sure I can't," she said. "You came. I presumed you had something to say to me."

"Well, I have something to say to you," Vernon went on impetuously. "Why didn't you answer my letters? Why have you treated me this way? That's what I want to know."

He leaned toward her. He was conscious of two emotions, two passions, struggling within him, one of anger, almost hate, the other of love, and strangely enough they had a striking similarity in their effect upon him. He felt like reproaching, yet he knew that was not the way, and he made a desperate struggle to conquer himself.

He tried to look into her face, but she only turned farther away from him.

"I've spent the most miserable week I ever knew, doomed to stay here, unable to get away to go to you, and with this fight on my hands!"

"You seemed to be having a fairly good time," the girl said.

"Now, Amelia, look here," said Vernon, "let's not act like children any longer; let's not have anything so foolish and little between us."

His tone made his words a plea, but it plainly had no effect upon her, for she did not answer. They sat there, then, in silence.

"Why didn't you write?" Vernon demanded after a little while. He looked at her, and she straightened up and her eyes flashed.

"Why didn't I write!" she exclaimed. "What was I to write, pray? Were not your letters full of this odious Maria Burlaps Greene? And as if that were not enough, weren't the papers full of you two? And that speech—oh, that speech—that Portia and Helen, and 'I fill this cup to one made up,' ah, it was sickening!" She flirted away again.

"But, darling," Vernon cried, "listen—you misunderstood—I meant all that for you, didn't you understand?"

She stirred.

"Didn't you see? Why, dearest, I thought that when you read the papers you'd be the proudest girl alive!"

Her lip curled.

"I read the papers," she said, and then added, significantly, "this once, anyway."

"Well, you certainly don't intend to hold me responsible for what the papers say, do you?"

She resumed her old attitude, her elbow on the arm of the sofa, her chin in her hand, and looked out the window. And she began to hum again.

"And then," he pressed on, "to come down here and not even let me know; why you even called me Mister Vernon when I came into the dining room."

"Yes," she exclaimed, suddenly wheeling about, "I saw you come into the dining room this morning!" Her eyes grew dark and flashed.

He regretted, on the instant.

"I saw you!" she went on. "I saw you rush up to that Maria Burlaps Greene woman, and—oh, it was horrid!"

"Her name isn't Burlaps, dear," said Vernon.

"How do you know her name, I'd like to know!" She put her hands to her face. He saw her tears.

"Amelia," he said, masterfully, "if you don't stop that! Listen—we've got to get down to business."

She hastily brushed the tears from her eyes. She was humming once more, and tapping the toe of her boot on the carpet, though she was not tapping it in time to her tune.

"Why did you come down without letting me know?" Vernon went on; but still she was silent.

"You might at least have given me—"

"Warning?" she said, with a keen inflection.

"Amelia!" he said, and his tone carried a rebuke.

"Well, I don't care!" she cried. "It's all true! You couldn't stay for my dinner, but you could come down here and—"

She covered her face with her hands and burst suddenly into tears. Vernon gazed at her in astonishment.

"Why, dearest!" he said, leaning over, and trying to take her in his arms. She drew away from him and sobbed. Vernon glanced about the room helplessly He pleaded with her, but she would not listen; neither would she be comforted, but continued to sob. Vernon, in a man's anguish with a weeping woman, stood up.

"Amelia! Amelia!" He bent over her and spoke firmly. "You must not! Listen to me! We must go over to—"

Suddenly he stood erect, and jerked out his watch.

"Heavens!" he cried. "It's half-past ten!"

She tried to control herself then, and sitting up, began to wipe her eyes.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

IN THE TOILS OF INFLUENZA.

Unlucky Pittsburg Citizens Compare Notes in Strange Language.

When two East enders met on a car bound downtown on a recent muggy morning and engaged in conversation, the other passengers were under the impression for a time that they were listening to a discussion in Esperanto or Volapuk. It ran something like this:

"Bordi'g, Johd."

"Bordi'g, Jib."

"Dice bordi'g."

"Yes, dice bordi'g—dot."

"What's dew?"

"Dot a thi'g. Adythi'g dew id your lide?"

"Dot a blabed thi'g."

"How you feeli'g this bordi'g?"

"Od de bub."

"So ab I. Dearly sdeezed by head off last dight."

"Sabe here."

"Goi'g to the beeti'g to-dight?"

"Dot on your tidtype. Goi'g to stay hobe a'd dri'k rub and hodey."

"Good gabe. Hot rub pudtch for bide."

"Well, here we are dowdtowd. So lo'g."

And they wended their dismal ways. —Pittsburg Times.

Discovered Silver.

It was a rabbit and a boy that first discovered silver in the Cobalt region of Ontario. The boy saw the rabbit run into a hole, and started to poke him out with a stick. While at this he found a piece of silver ore that the rabbit had scratched out in digging his retreat. Millions of dollars have already been taken out of the ground, and there are millions to come. All the Canadian silver dollars coined after this should have the head of a boy on one side and that of a rabbit on the other. When a boy gets after a rabbit, something is sure to happen.

Use of Ozone in Curing Colds.

A Pittsburg firm has just completed for a homoeopathic hospital the firse ozone plant ever erected in this country. Colds have been completely cured in 20 minutes by ozone, and it is of great value for fumigating purposes. Ozone forced into water makes it absolutely pure, killing every germ it contains.

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The Hatter—Try a soft green one, sir.

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A stranger would think after spending several days in Burt that there were a lot of people leaving town judging from the number of people carrying grips and suit cases. But this is not the case. That is the way they carry their beer here. No one is going away, just going to some hidden spot to have a drink of beer.—Burt Monitor.

Life 100,000 Years Ago

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown, of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough." To cure sore lungs, colds, obstinate coughs, and prevent pneumonia, it's the best medicine on earth. 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co. Trial bottle free.

One on South Dakota

At the station the other day we met a man who had just returned from a trip to South Dakota, says an exchange. He said he went out there expecting to buy some land but as his teeth were bad he gave it up. We couldn't see how that made any difference and he explained. He said that a few days previous while he was there one of the common every-day winds was blowing and the people were straining the dust through their teeth when a man came down the street who had lost one of his front teeth. He got a cobble stone stuck in his throat and choked to death.

THE KLEMME TIMES

ALLEN C. FLINT, PUBLISHER

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Very Sad, Indeed

Following the announcement that Hancock county's general fund was overdrawn, comes the Britt Tribune with the following sad but pertinent tale:

"A certain county overdrew its general fund and when county warrants were presented to the county treasurer for payment they were stamped with a rubber stamp 'Not paid, for lack of funds." The editor of the local paper, when he went to draw his pay for printing the board proceedings and schedule received one of these warrants. Pretty soon the butcher and the baker sent in bills to the printshop and as the editor was in the same condition that the county was, he also had a stamp made and began stamping the bills and returning them. How long do you suppose the public stood for this? About six months and then the poor man starved to death. The epitaph on his tombstone reads, 'Not alive, for lack of grub.' "

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the Best and Surest

"It affords me pleasure to state that I consider the preparation known as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the best and surest of good results of any I have ever used in my family," says P. E. Herrington, of Mount Aerial, Ky. This is the universal verdict of all who use this remedy. Its cures are so prompt and effectual that people take pleasure in recommending it. For sale by G. A. Pabst & Co.

More Local

Good corn weather.

Otto Sie, of Chicago, arrived in Klemme last week and is now working for Herman Stroemer.

Mrs. Josten is cutting prices on goods this week. No lady can afford not to read her ad and take advantage of her special bargains.

Following are a few excerpts from a letter received by the Times from G. A. Radke, a former resident of this vicinity, but now located at Tracy, Minnesota: "The crops out here are looking very good. Rye will be harvested in about three weeks; it looks better than it has for some years. Oats and barley look like a bumper crop. Corn as a general thing is a little backward. Early sown flax was somewhat slow coming up, as it was too dry at the time, but is making good showing now. We have had just about enough rain so far."

One Dollar

Mr. Farmer---It costs but a trifle more to buy printed letter heads and envelopes than it does to use any old thing, and certainly it looks more business-like to use printed stationery For a limited time we offer you 100 sheets good writing paper and 100 good envelopes, printed with your name and address, both for $1.00. Give us your order now.

The Times Printery

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Some below cost.
I am also making a reduction on the Best Corsets.
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LOCAL NEWS

s it hot enough?

Fresh fruits at Kluckhohn's.

Did you have your fortune d?

Niels Palmer was at Britt on iness Tuesday.

Ralph Blank made another p to Garner Tuesday.

Joe Miller returned Monday m his trip to Chicago.

The finest line of candies in n at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

Glasses fitted. Eyes tested e. Dr. Missman. 47-4

Rev. E. A. Baker left yester- for Britt, where he will vis- or a few days.

The office of the Koerner Tel- hone Co. will be closed all day nday, July 5th. 1w

NOTICE. — Those owing us requested to pay up at once d save costs. Henry Lau & . tf

Dr. Zinn has been successfully ting eyes and fitting glasses Klemme for five years and is l continuing to do so. tf

When in Garner, stop at the rner House. Everything roughly cleaned and satis- ctory service guaranteed. tf

M. I. Parker, assistant cash- of the First National Bank, spending his vacation visiting s folks at Waterville, Kansas.

A letter from John Braund forms us that he has moved om Dubuque to De Soto, Wis., d requests us to send his pa- r there.

Wm. Schaper, or "Oregon ll" as we'll have to call him w, was down from Garner esday calling on his many lemme friends.

If you think of buying a rug will pay you to look over my ock which consists of Wilton lvets, Axminsters, Saxony minsters, Colonial Velvets d Brussels made in sizes 6 x 9, x 3, 10 x 6, 9 x 12 and larger. ours for rugs G. F. Schuler.

We publish this week a state- ent of the condition of the irst National Bank of Klemme. which your attention is re- pectfully invited. This report hows this popular banking in- itution to be in a most healthy ondition and enjoying a flour- hing business.

Mrs. N. L. Palmer returned uesday evening from a three eeks' visit with relatives at edfield, So. Dak., and Algona. owa Did you notice that road smile on Nels' face? Mrs. almer was accompanied home y her niece, Miss Vera Kim- all of Redfield.

The services at the English : E. church Sunday, July 4th, ill be as follows: Preaching, 0:30 a. m., subject: "The Ideal atriot." Sunday School 11:30 . m. In the evening at eight 'clock, Rev. O. K. Maynard, District Superintendent, will be present to preach and adminis- er the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Everyone is cordially nvited to all these services. E. A. Baker, Pastor.

Read Kirkwood's ad.

Louie Henschen was down from Garner Sunday.

Wm. F. Lau and family were down from Garner last Sunday visiting relatives.

For a chunk of good cold ice call at Bloom's elevator or on G. R. Waterman. 44tf

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

I have just added to my stock a nice line of Lace Curtains at 75c up to $6.00 a pair at G. F. Schuler's. tf

While Klemme and vicinity is somewhat unfortunate in having an overabundance of rain, we may still be very thankful that we have no Chinamen.

Mrs. Ruiter returned last Saturday from a visit at Belmond. She was accompanied home by her grand-daughter. Grace Meinders, who will visit here.

Samuel Kirkwood returned last week from a visit at Ringsted, Iowa. His sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Kirkwood, returned with him for a visit here with relatives.

If you want to buy anything or if you have anything to sell, you can't reach the buyer or seller any easier or cheaper than by inserting a small ad in the Times. The cost is small and results are sure.

The Times is in receipt of a copy of the Ringsted Dispatch, published by Mike Magner, at one time employed on this paper and well known and liked in Klemme. The Dispatch looks prosperous and we hope it is as prosperous as it looks.

G A. Radke, of Tracy, Minn., arrived in Klemme Monday afternoon to load and ship the large traction engine he and his brother recently purchased of Herman Stille, which they will use this fall to operate their threshing outfit. The Times acknowledges a pleasant call from Mr. Radke.

W. R. Bloom was at Dows last Thursday evening and Friday on business connected with his farm in Vernon township. Concerning this piece of land, last week's Dows Advocate says: "P. A. Thompson and a force of men from Dows have just completed one of the largest jobs of tiling in this township, on the W. R. Bloom farm. It is now well drained, and one can farm every foot of it."

One of the worst electrical storms for years occurred here last Saturday afternoon and the rain fell in torrents. The Wm. F. Lau house occupied by the Times family was the victim of a prank of lightning. The bolt struck a wire clothesline which was attached to the house. It entered the house on a wire nail driven into the siding and tore off a small patch of plastering and split the corner off a sink sitting in the corner. The damage done was very slight and no one was injured although the family, who were in the house at the time, were badly frightened. A horse belonging to Clarence Arnold was killed by a bolt of lightning which struck a telephone post and ran along a wire which was hanging rather low and under which the horse was standing. A number of telephones were put out of commission all over the lines of the Koerner Telephone Co. The wonder is that there was not more damage done

Read Ell Bros. ad in this issue.

Dr. Edgar Zinn went to Garner Monday on business.

Hazel Hartfelder entertained the Wesleyan Club at her home last Saturday.

Rev. Wessel is out of town this week so we have no German M. E. church news.

Ice cream sodas, sundaes, and all kinds of cool refreshing drinks at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

One of our subscribers—we wont give his name—said the corn grew a foot Tuesday night.

The weather this week has been broiling hot and was good for corn, which certainly needs the good old brand of Iowa weather.

Ben Lau arrived in Klemme from Chicago Monday for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Lau, and to spend a vacation from his duties in a bank in that city.

Some will celebrate on Saturday this year, some on Monday, and some will begin celebrating early Saturday morning and keep it up until late Monday night. Hurrah!

Aug. Dieterich and wife from Thompson arrived here Saturday for a visit at the home of her brother, Henry Wille. Mr. Dieterich returned to his home Monday, his wife remaining for a more extended visit.

A new porch has been built onto the front of the Klemme Hotel building this week which adds much to the comfort of the guests and the appearance of the building. Mr. Elder is certainly putting this building in fine condition.

Rev. Muehlmeier preached his farewell sermon in the German Reformed church last Sunday to a very large audience. He left with his family on Monday for their new home at Monticello, Wisconsin. The best wishes of a host of friends go with them.

E. H. Thomas, one of our good farmers who moved to this locality this year, was a caller at this office Friday and placed his name on our subscription list. Mr. Thomas is working the Clark farm northwest of town.

All the Germantown people and Klemme people should arrange to attend the Methodist picnic, Monday, July 5th, at the Wes Haefner grove near the Germantown church. Good program, games and sport. Fireworks in the evening. Bring your dinner and enjoy a live picnic in a cool grove. By order of Picnic Committee.

We notice that Dr. Geo. Zinn has taken down his old worn out sign and has placed a nice gold leafed sign in his window. There is an opinion among the people that he is going to leave and turn the business over to Dr. Edgar Zinn but this is a mistake. He will stay and the two doctors will work together and form a partnership. 1w

Prof. L. E. Bowker, who has been elected principal of the Klemme schools, was down from Crystal Lake last week Wednesday evening conferring with the school board in regard to the text books to be used next year. This office acknowledges a very pleasant call from Mr. Bowker. He had been attending institute at Garner and from here went to Ruthven, Iowa, to assist in teaching a summer school for a few weeks.

To the Poultry Raisers

Do not forget the two POULTRY Days this week:

JULY 2ND & 3RD

Hens 9c — Old Roosters 4c
Geese 5c — Ducks - - 7c
Pigeons - 60c per dozen
BIRDS MUST BE GOOD FLYERS

ELL BROS.

Dr. Edgar Zinn drove to Kanawha Tuesday to meet Dr. Judd. Ben Lau accompanied him.

W. R. Bloom shipped a car of hogs to Chicago yesterday. His best man, Herman Miller, accompanied the shipment.

Chas. Yahnke has purchased a new high wheel International touring car for use in his livery, and hereafter he can make two or three ordinary drives while a good man is hitching up a team to make one drive. Klemme is putting on airs.

Ernest and Fletcher Wellemeyer visited here from Saturday till Tuesday with their brother, Arthur. Ernest is teacher of mathematics in the Charles City College and Fletcher is principal of the schools at Gladbrook, Iowa

Lawrence Larsen was at Minneapolis the latter part of last week. On his way home he stopped at Mason City, where he purchased a Cadillac touring car and he made the trip home from Mason City in the car Sunday. He said it was a good test for the machine as the roads were a fright.

We, the undersigned are going to attend the picnics and will close our places of business at 9 o'clock a. m. Monday, July 5th.

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Will give you an easy shave or a neat hair cut.
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W. R. BLOOM
Buyer and Shipper of
Grain and Live Stock
Best Grades of Hard and Soft Coal. Will be prepared to furnish my patrons with the celebrated Petroleum COKE about July 1st. Leave your orders while you can get the coke.
Stock wanted 6 days in the week

Pictures
See me when you want a
Photograph
All kinds—inside or outdoor views. I make a specialty of photo postal cards, 75 cents a dozen. Good work at reasonable prices.
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A vacation at any time is good, but a vacation in Colorado in summer is ideal.

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MILLER AT HEAD

Elected Chairman of Conservation Commission.

MEETING AT STATE HOUSE

Des Moines Banker Leads in Work—Many Candidates for Office of Secretary—Meet Again in September.

Des Moines, June 26.—Homer A. Miller, president of the Home Savings bank of East Des Moines, was elected permanent chairman of the state waterways, drainage and conservation commission at the initial meeting held at the state house. But four members, Mr. Miller, I. W. Kreel of Mason City, L. W. Anderson of Cedar Rapids and Senator A. F. Frudden of Dubuque were present.

Clay manufacturers and cement men are said to be lined up on opposite sides and endeavoring to bring their influence to bear in the election of a secretary, who is to receive $1,200 or $1,500 a year in the discretion of the commission. I. G. Wheat of Emmettsburg, is an active candidate and said to be opposed by cement men, who are reported to have complained to the commissioners that Wheat has gone about the state disparaging the use of cement for drainage purposes.

Other candidates for the secretaryship, which will be filled by a committee of two named by Chairman Miller, are Capt. Amos W. Brandt of Des Moines, ex-deputy auditor of state; Daniel A. Hites, also a former deputy auditor and now an employe of the archives department; Robert Bailey of Des Moines, a civil engineer, and L. W. McHenry of Des Moines.

The commission adjourned at the call of the chair and probably will not meet again until September. Then the committee on a secretary will recommend an applicant. The members of this committee are known only to the commission.

Opinions of the four commissioners present differed as to what line of work should be undertaken first by the commission. Committees will be appointed by Mr. Miller to report as to the feasibility of each of several lines of activity, such as the collection of information of value to drainage interests, a survey of Iowa rivers, and a campaign of education as to the need of a more intelligent conservation and development of the state's natural resources.

Can't Make Farmers Shut Gates.

Railroad commissioners have found a limit to their powers. The Chicago Anamosa and Northern railroad filed a complaint against the farmers along its line, complaining that they allowed gates to stand open at night, which caused some inconvenience from stock trespassing upon the right of way. The commission finds that it has no power to make the farmers shut their gates. It has no power to compel the railroads to keep fences in shape and to give farmers the gates, but cannot compel them to close them either at night or in the daytime.

Orders City Hall Bonds Sold.

With a proposition from George M. Bechtel & Co., of Davenport to purchase the $350,000 city hall bond issue at 4 per cent tucked away, the council listened to a committee of east side business men advocating the placing of it at 4 1-2 per cent, and then sprung the offer, which will save the city more than $50,000 in interest. The Bechtel proposition was accepted by the council authorizing City Treasurer Lucas to make the sale.

Ideal Weather for Farming.

The United States crop report for last week shows that Iowa farmers enjoyed almost ideal weather conditions for crop raising. The temperature for most of the days in the week was seasonably warm while with the abundance of sunshine and only a few light showers the cultivation of corn progressed rapidly.

Gets Back Pay.

William Halloran, formerly janitor at the federal building has just received from the government a check for $1,813.50. During the nine years that he worked for the government Mr. Halloran worked eleven hours a day, while the other employes worked eight and the check is to cover pay for the overtime.

Officers Take Their Tests.

An examining board of the Iowa National Guard, headed by Col. James Rush Lincoln, examined a class of twenty-two officers in the guard in the office of the adjutant general.

Million Dollar Railway Formed.

Articles of incorporation of the Iowa and Omaha Short line railway were filed in the office of the secretary of state.

The company incorporates for $1,000,000, the filing fee being more than $1,000, the largest the state has been offered in a long time.

The railroad is a contemplated electric line between Des Moines, Council Bluffs and Omaha. Its line will run through Pottawattamie, Shelby, Audubon, Guthrie, Dallas and Polk counties in Iowa and Douglas county in Nebraska, a total of 140 miles.

Headquarters of the company will be at Pierre, S. D., in the office of John A. Holmes, but a business office will be operated at Walnut, Iowa. The incorporators of the company, with the exception of Holmes, are residents of Treynor, Adair and Walnut.

The company divides its million of capital into one hundred shares of $10,000 each and this is then divided into shares of stock of $500 and $1,000.

Charged with Selling Poor Vinegar.

Informations charging H. S. Chase & Co. and J. M. Caldwell, both Des Moines grocers, with selling vinegar below the standard in acid were filed with Justice Z. G. Roe by State Food and Dairy Commissioner H. R. Wright. The vinegar tested less than the required 4 per cent of acid. Cases have been started against W. A. Hood of Sheldon for selling ice cream cones containing saccharine; against Hornbaker Bros., of Mount Sterling and E. C. Horsch of Fort Dodge for selling adulterated ice cream, and against Nelson & Nelson of Tingley, J. K. Hartman of Clearfield, and P. H. Baxter of Benton for selling paints not properly labeled as to ingredients and net measure.

Insurance Year Book Issued.

Iowa fire insurance companies paid $318,547.71 to the state in taxes and $56,595.60 in fees to the state during the year 1908, according to the figures in the annual year book of the companies, issued by the state auditor. The book contains the annual reports to the state auditor of 150 companies. In his letter transmitting the report to the governor, Auditor Bleakley notes that two companies have increased their capital, that six new companies have entered the Iowa field and that seven had quitted the Iowa territory during the period named. The gain for the year in business was a little more than $38,000,000.

Hart Asks For Parole.

In order that he may give to the world a new invention for producing energy by means of weights, Charles Hart of Des Moines wants a parole from the Fort Madison penitentiary, where he is serving a five-year term for forgery. Hart has spent his leisure time in prison figuring out a perpetual motion machine which he believes will startle the world, according to statements in his application for a parole received by Governor Carroll.

Wilson Turns Down a Job.

Because he likes Des Moines better than any other city, Lucius Wilson, secretary of the Greater Des Moines committee, probably will remain here as secretary of the booster organization. Although he declined to make a flat statement that he would decline the offer of the secretaryship of the chamber of commerce of a southern city he admitted that it was likely he would remain in Des Moines.

Council Goes to Court.

A friendly action in the district court for the determination of the rights of the city council with respect to the performance of labor in excess of the sum of $200, without contract to the lowest bidder, has been agreed upon by the members of the council as the logical solution of that problem. The test case will be taken up on a resolution providing for an appropriation in excess of the $200 limitation.

Offers Prize to Best Essayist.

Samuel Saucerman, promoter and organizer of the Trimmer club movement among boys in the state, has offered a prize of $1.00 to the boys in the clubs of Oelwein, Waverly and Des Moines who write the best essays giving the best reasons why tobacco should not be used in any form

Garrett to Speak Again.

Secretary B. W. Garrett of the state board of parole has accepted an invitation to deliver his lecture, "A Glimpse of Prison Life," before the convention of the Iowa Christian Endeavor union. The meeting will be held in Iowa Falls September 6 to 8

State Bank Chartered.

A charter was issued by the state banking department to the Moville State bank of Moville, Woodbury county. The bank begins business in two weeks with a capitalization of $35,000.

TRIFLES OF THE WARDROBE

VALUE OF REMNANTS

PRETTY BITS THAT COMPLETE THE WARDROBE.

Black Satin, Silk and Taffeta for Belts and Sashes—Guimpes Made of Net and Fancy Lace Scraps.

No matter how carefully a season's wardrobe has been prepared, there is always something which is lacking at the last moment. This may be a single trifling thing which a rush to the shops will at once supply, but quite as often it is some supplementary article found absolutely necessary to make a garment becoming.

For the lack of this dressy girdle, or more becoming guimpe, or dainty

lace edge collar, the effect of the dress is nil. The oversight must be remedied nine times out of ten, with home sewing, and then, if the sewer has been wise in her generation and bought the pretty remnants which are needed some time or other in every sewing household for just such touches, the labor is diminished by half. For it is far easier to shape a pretty thing from generous lengths of material on hand than it is to make it from a skimpy guessed-at quantity.

As black is so generally becoming I would advise all gatherers of fixing remnants to consider lengths of rich black satin, silk or taffeta. Unnumbered and most begaying belts, sashes and scarfs on colored dresses are in black, and the sharp contrast is far richer than when the costume is all in one color. But the black note is scant—just the belt and sash alone, or the bias cravat which ties at the throat and is finished with gold or black tassels.

For the indispensable guimpe which so many summer dresses need, the pretty scraps of net and fancy lace which are sold so cheaply everywhere are found most useful when on hand, as well as any thin white material out of which collars, cuffs and jabots may be turned. In fact, if one keeps her wits—for the remnant fever is a species of disease when carried too far—the daintiest flummeries can be turned out at home for less than half the cost of the same thing in the shop. Besides there will be a great deal more individuality if the sewer has taste of her own, and paints her work, as you might say, with the roses of her own heart.

A charming bodice decoration is displayed in our illustration. The upper fixing is made of cashmere with soutache braid as trimming, and is laced with black velvet ribbons, while the lower garniture is of satin, richly embroidered, and its sash portions of soft messaline silk. Less than three-eighths of a yard of cashmere in the usual width would be needed for the first fixing and the bordering shoulder straps and lacing demand only 6½ yards of ribbon.

Little Dutch collars are now popular and pretty for young girls. Any scrap of linen would make each design, and if the sewer is gifted in needlework the trifle may become a thing of exquisite daintiness.

A little imported pongee frock seen showed one of these neat neck fixings in the gown material, with needle work of bright scarlet. Another dress—a charming little conceit in soft gray silk—had the collar and jabot of deep yellow batiste, finished with narrow quillings of pure white footing. Both gowns showed what wit and taste could do with a little variation of the conventional thing.

Fashion is a word to obey when it concerns the important features of a get-up, such as the lines of a costume or the shape of a hat, for here marked departures from prevailing styles effect a look of eccentricity. But when it comes to the little thing, home sewers who have taste and ample time may do wonders with a garment and employ all the pretty odds and ends accumulated this long while.

These sensible women, and those who direct the greatest makers themselves, are really the best-dressed in the world of women. They make a point of not following the moods of fashion, which turn every street corner, and set the pace for a number of their own ideas.

So if you are quite certain of your taste—this is essential—go ahead with the summer fixings, and turn out something nobody has ever seen.

UNDERWEAR MUST BE SNUG.

Each Piece Should Be Hipless and Without Gathers to Give Slim Effect.

Unless a woman is of extraordinary slimness every garment she dons must go towards simulating this look. Each piece underlying the willowy picture—corsets and petticoats—must be as nearly as possible hipless, without gathers and void of fullness. In fact, for extremists there are some delightful absurdities in secret garments, these so closely hugging the figure that they are scarcely more than a second skin.

Freakish names are frequently given to some narrow freaks which are really drawers in substance and divided skirts in effect. These are redeemed from utter hideousness with leg falls of deep ribbon-trimmed kiltings; and since they cover tights of silk or fine gauze, they may with decency be the only excuse for a petticoat. Chemises are made mostly in princess form, fitting the figure most carefully, and being low enough also to do away with the need of an extra skirt.

In fact, fashion's one cry in regard to underwear is, "Wear as little as possible." It may not be entirely modest in the opinion of many women, nevertheless the visible movement of the limbs is necessary to give cachet to the beautiful clinging skirts of the hour. Folds seem carven on the marble beneath. The empire dress is the drapery for more "Winged Victories" and other Greek statues of surpassing loveliness.

The Care of Shoes.

When shoes are removed take a moment to put them on the trees and they will keep their shape twice as long. Watch the heels that they do not run over. Nothing looks more careless than boots run over at the heels. It also fatigues one to walk in them.

HAT OF PERIWINKLE STRAW.

With soft-pleated frills of muslin in the same shade. Black satin lining.

Bronze Kid in New Forms.

Bronze kid, hitherto familiar only as a material for slippers or low shoes, is now being made up into all kinds of feminine belongings for which leather is used. Some smart and unusual handbags are shown in this form of kid, also belts, purses and card cases of various shapes and sizes.

To Make Waist Fit.

If a shirt waist has to be raised at shoulder take pattern and lay a small tuck across back and front at center armhole. This will leave original shoulder and neck and will not pucker as if you take up shoulder after it has been cut. My waists always puckered until I discovered this.

Pearl buttons, triangular, oblong and irregular in shape will be worn as trimming on many wash dresses.

TUMOR OF FOUR YEARS' GROWTH

Removed by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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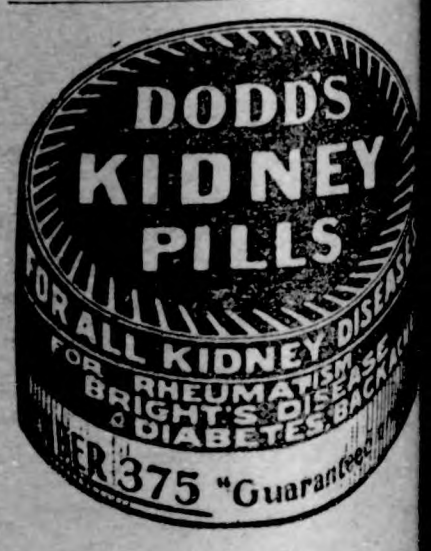

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LIFE GIVEN TO EDUCATION.

J. B. Young.

Complaint is made by teachers in the public schools that there is too much uncertainty about positions and too little assurance that they may continue in the work. The experience of Supt. J. B. Young of Toledo, Ia., is contrary to the popular notion; for he has recently been elected superintendent of schools for the twenty-second consecutive term in one place. Supt. Young has been in school work for about 35 years. He taught school in the country for two terms; then was principal at Mount Sterling, Ia.; Winchester, Ia.; Athens, Mo.; Carlisle and Lovilia, Ia. He was superintendent at Knoxville and then at Traer. While at the latter place, in 1888, he was elected to the superintendency of the Toledo schools, and has been re-elected every year since. He will enter upon his twenty-second year at Toledo next September. Including this year's class, there have been 410 graduates of the Toledo high school in the 21 years.

Supt. Young has been an instructor in the Tama county normal for 20 consecutive years, and in the Marion county normal for a number of years. He has been a member of the state teachers' association for 25 years, and was a member of the educational council for a number of years.

Mr. Young was born at Jeromeville, O., August 16, 1846. He was educated at the St. Francisville seminary and Birmingham college. He holds a life diploma from the Iowa state board. He also studied for the practice of law, and was admitted to the bar. He was a soldier in the civil war, enlisting in the spring of 1864.

MONUMENT TO IOWA TROOPS

A soldiers' monument, erected in Oakwoods cemetery at Monticello and dedicated Memorial week with appropriate ceremonies, is the gift of Maj. S. S. Farwell, who recruited Company H of the Thirty-first Iowa infantry volunteers at Monticello during the months of August and September, 1862. He was elected captain of the company by the popular vote of its members, and continued to command the company until he was promoted to the position of major of the regiment, near the close of the war. The monument is 13 feet high.

MONEY IN MANUFACTORIES.

Secretary of the Greater Des Moines Committee Gives Interesting Statistics of Iowa.

"Wealth," the Greater Des Moines committee's publication, is filled with interesting stories of the successes achieved in Iowa, and the possibilities awaiting those who enter the manufacturing field in the state.

One article, especially, entitled "Des Moines Factories Coin Money," shows the fallacy of the belief that investment in manufacturing enterprises is a hazardous risk. In his story, Lucius Wilson, secretary of the Greater Des Moines committee, says:

"Two hundred and ninety-one factories in Des Moines made a certified statement to the United States bureau of labor for 1905. The total capital invested was $9,593,926. The value of the output was $15,084,958. The aggregate expenses, salaries, materials, wages, and miscellaneous, were $13,425,446. The net profit was $1,659,512, or 17.29 per cent.

"These figures include railway repair shops, which were not operated for profit, and therefore the actual profit of the manufacturing concerns was approximately 20 per cent.

"In other words, Des Moines factories, good and poor together, are paying an average of 20 per cent. profit.

"In the same year, 1905, 4,785 factories in Iowa made a similar certified report. The net profits of these factories amounted to $16,909,045. This was 15½ per cent. on the capital actually in the different businesses. These returns also included the reports of several car shops, not operated for profit, which served to swell the capital account without increasing the aggregate profits, and thus reduced the percentage of profits.

"The average profit for all the factories in the ten largest cities of Iowa for 1905 was 16.05 per cent. The average of the 291 factories in Des Moines was, therefore, substantially greater than the average for the state. And the average for the state showed a profit far in excess of the current interest rate earned by money during that same period.

"It is an error to suppose that money cannot be made to earn more than the three or four per cent. paid by the savings banks and still be invested safely. Banks themselves pay this rate and still yield a dividend to the stockholders.

"The actual hazard in manufacturing is comparatively small if undertaken with a legitimate purpose in view, while the profits are large. The annual commercial death rate, according to Bradstreet's, usually hovers around one per cent., and has never gone above one and one-half per cent. This discredits the oft-repeated statement that the larger number of persons entering business ultimately fail."

KOSSUTH COUNTY DRAINAGE.

Enormous drainage projects are under way in Kossuth county, where some 40 miles of drain pipe is to be laid and other work is under way. Land that was selling for $50 and $60 per acre recently is going higher rapidly, and it is predicted that the price will be doubled when the improvements are completed.

SHONTS STILL LOVES IOWA

Theodore P. Shonts.

Theodore P. Shonts holds Iowa very dear to him, though he is busy with the larger affairs of the business world. Mr. Shonts is to be the central figure at a great home coming week at Centerville, when the former residents of Appanoose county are to come from every corner of the earth and rejoice in the plenty of southern Iowa. Mr. Shonts was also the commencement day orator at Drake university, which was founded by Gen. Drake, the father-in-law of Mr. Shonts.

Since Mr. Shonts' retirement from the position of chief engineer of the Panama canal he has devoted himself to build up the railroad properties in which he is interested—the Clover Leaf, Alton, and allied lines. He is not wholly absorbed in the work of making money, for he takes an active interest in the affairs of Drake university and he loves to mingle with the Iowa people.

CHANCELLOR OF THE DIOCESE

George F. Henry.

George F. Henry of Des Moines has been re-elected chancellor of the Iowa diocese of the Episcopal church. Mr. Henry has devoted a great deal of his life to the upbuilding of the church, though he is a practicing lawyer and always busy with his practice. But he believes that it is good for one to take part in public affairs.

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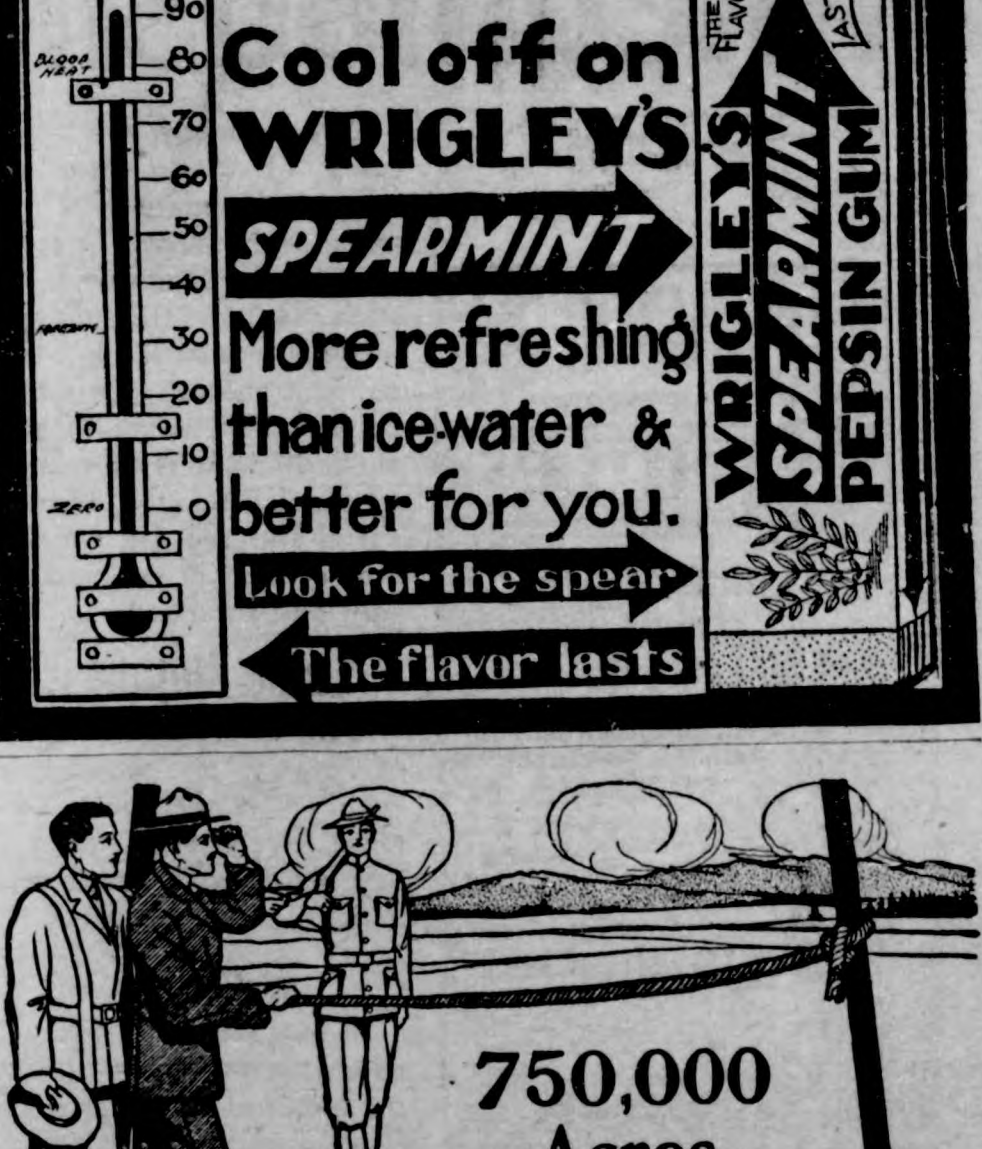

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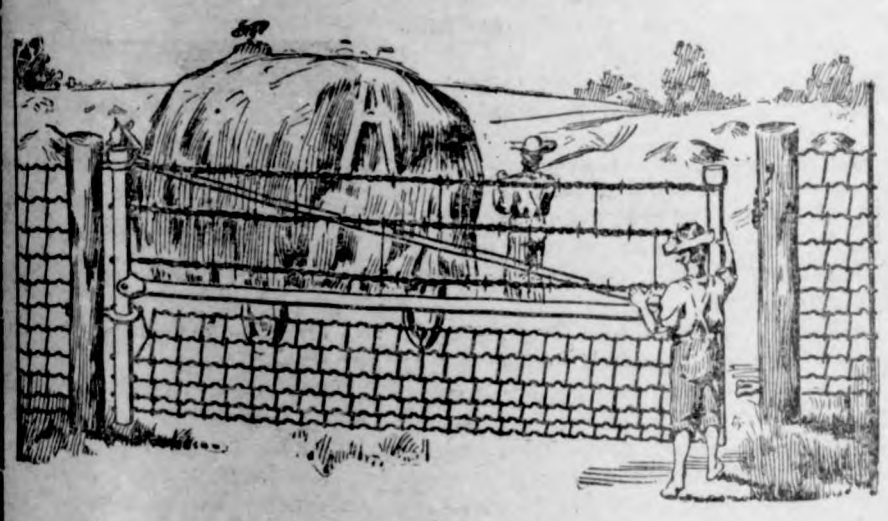

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The writer enjoyed an acquaintance with the deceased for some years and it was with sadness we heard of his passing. He was a good man in every sense of the word, always cheerful and his only aim seemed to be to accomplish good to others and for his Master.

Funeral services were held at Charles City at ten o'clock Tuesday forenoon, conducted by District Superintendent Rolfing, and the remains were taken to Garner where interment was ma'e Tuesday afternoon A touching incident in connection with the love which his flock had for him came when permission was asked by six of his church members at Rudd that they might have charge of the remains until placed in the last resting place, which request was granted. The services at Garner cemetery were attended by many of the loving friends from Garner, Germantown and Klemme.

The particulars attending his sudden demise are given in the following obituary:

Frank Henry Wellemeyer was born in a log house in Warren county, Mo., on the 11th day of December, 1849. His parents were Henry F. and Catherube E. Wellemeyer, nee Fiegenbaum, both of whom were natives of Germany. He was the oldest but one of a family of nine children. When about two years old he removed with his parents to Wapello, Louisa county, Iowa. Here for about twenty-two years he lived the life of a farm boy, and helped his parents to win out in the struggle against the wilderness and against poverty.

Soon after he came of age he began farming on his own account in Louisa county. Then, like the pioneer he was, he settled on a farm in the original prairie sod of Hancock county, Iowa, which he still owned at the time of his death. In 1875 he was married to Mary Klaus, of Colesburg, Iowa.

After two years spent on the farm, the call to the ministry became imperative. He served at the following places: Sleepy Eye and Henderson, Minn., Le Mars, Iowa, Freeport, Ill., Girard, Iowa, Dubuque, Iowa, again at LeMars, and at Garner and Decorah. On account of failing health he retired from active work in 1906 and moved to Garner, moving to Charles City about a year later.

He could not be idle, so when the conference needed men in 1907 he took his place in the ranks once more and was assigned to the church at Rudd whose pastor he was at the time of his death.

The last weeks were busy ones. The last week in May found him at the basket meeting at Flood Creek. Then came the College Commencement, the annual meeting of the trustee board and the Garner campmeeting. In the meantime a revival of religion had begun in the English M. E. church at Rudd. His family advised rest, but the "King's Business" required his presence and he went. On Friday, July 2d, he preached at the afternoon meeting and was present at the evening meeting and was active in personal work. Even at ten o'clock he had the pleasure of influencing one of the audience to accept Christ.

After the evening service he and Evangelist Decker went to the Witzel home for the night. Rev. Wellemeyer led in the evening devotions. In his prayer he said: "We thank thee God. that as far as we know, we're saved up to date." At 11 o'clock he bade the assembled company good-night and retired. The next morning he was called several times but did not answer. At length Rev. Decker entered the room and found him lying as asleep. A closer examination disclosed the fact that he had departed this life. It is the testimony of all witnesses that there was no evidence of a struggle and death from heart failure undoubtedly ensued shortly after he fell asleep.

He leaves an aged mother, five brothers and three sisters, his wife, four sons and three daughters. His grand children numbered three. A nephew, aged seven, has also been a member of the household since infancy.

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FOURTH BASE BALL TOURNAMENT

At Garner on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, July 13, 14 and 15.

Garner will hold her fourth annual baseball tournament this year on the above dates and they have secured some good fast teams to play for the purses. The following is the baseball program:

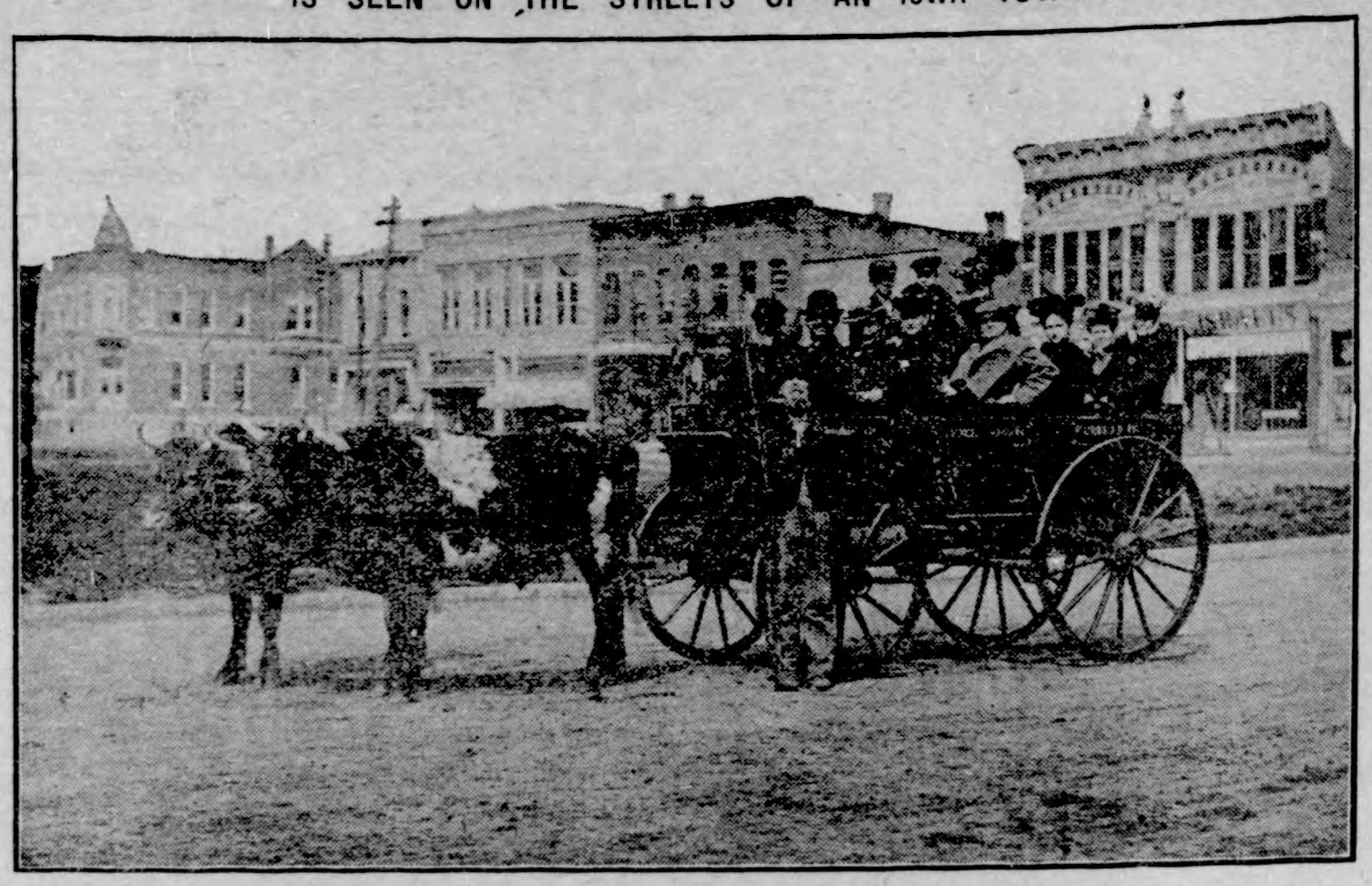
Tuesday, July 13— Belmond vs. Humboldt at 2:30 p m, and Algona vs. Charles City at 4:00 p. m.

Wednesday, July 14—Losers in first day's games play for a purse of $150 at 10:00 a. m. Winners in first day's games play for a purse of $150 at 3:00 p. m.

Thursday, July 15—The winner of the Wednesday afternoon game plays Eldora for a purse of $150 at 3.00 p m.

A large number of street attractions have been secured and there will be something doing all the time. Plan to attend.

IS SEEN ON THE STREETS OF AN IOWA TOWN.



William H. Coop and His Team of Oxen.

William H. Coop, the first white child born in Jefferson county, Ia., is quite familiar with the ways of the pioneers. He drives a well trained ox team and on one occasion had as guests in his wagon "Billy" Sunday and wife, who enjoyed a ride behind the oxen. Mr. Coop hauled the logs for the famous Bonnifield cabin in Old Settlers' park at Fairfield and directed the building of the house just as cabins were built 60 years or more ago in Iowa. He is now training a team of buffalo to send to the state fair for exhibition.

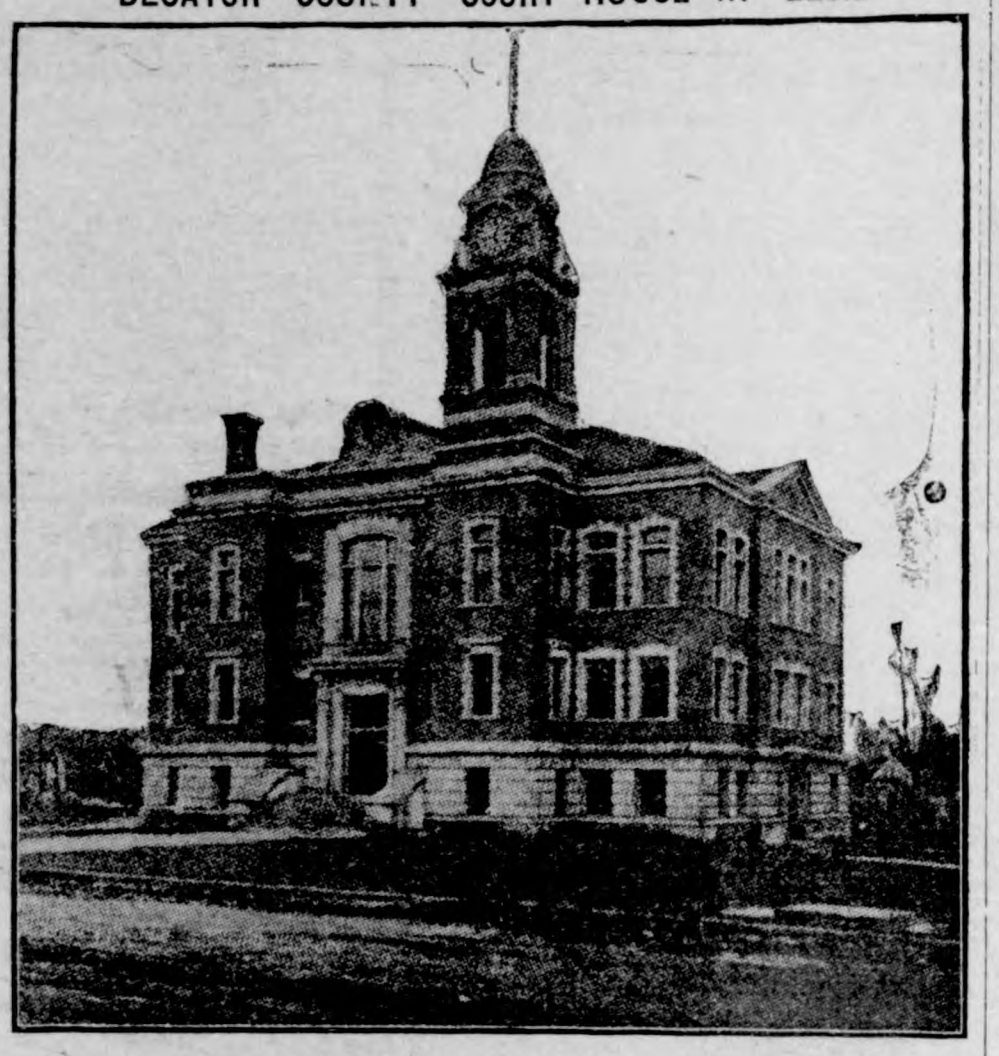
IMPROVING RIVER FRONT.

The Scott county board of supervisors passed a resolution to the effect that all prisoners sentenced to the county jail at hard labor be put to work on the river front to help improve the levee in the vicinity of the boat club at Davenport. The prisoners are to be in charge of the sheriff or his deputy, but the boat club is to secure a man to watch them while at work, and the police are to escort them to and from the county jail. By this means much of the river front can be improved, and at the same time the prisoners can be made useful while they are serving out their sentence. A dam is to be built where the clubhouse is to be erected, and it is to prepare the levee along here that the prisoners will be used.

CIRCUS TICKETS TABOOED.

Circus press agents may as well "jump" Iowa hereafter, if the rank and file of newspaper publishers stand by the resolutions adopted by the Iowa Associated Dailies at their convention in Des Moines. These resolutions recite that, inasmuch as circus money flows but little into the coffers of the newspapers, while circus "dope" finds its way into the news columns through the blandishment of the press agent and his proffer of tickets galore, there shall be a cessation of this custom. Hereafter in Iowa, as in Illinois, newspapers will, if the resolutions are adhered to strictly, accept nothing but money in return for advertising space and they will not consider press agents' stories news.

DECATUR COUNTY COURT HOUSE AT LEON.



Decatur County Court House.

The court house for Decatur county at Leon is one of the new ones of southern Iowa. It was completed and dedicated in 1908, and cost when complete, about $100,000. It is neat and attractive in appearance.

CHAUTAUQUA SEASON AT HAND FOR IOWANS.

Camp of Washington Chautauqua.

Twenty-five or 30 Chautauquas will be operated in Iowa during the Chautauqua season. It is a favorite educational influence in the state. Iowa people attend Chautauqua assemblies and listen to music and hear lectures that are instrumental in forming character, and the Chautauqua movement is steadily growing in importance and value.

NEW G. A. R. COMMANDER.

Michael McDonald, the new department commander of the G. A. R. in Iowa, was formerly a member of the legislature, and he has a brother who is now a member of the legislature representing Carroll county, Representative McDonald is a Democrat, but Michael is and always has been a Republican. The new department commander is also a member of the directory board of the state department of agriculture in which he is regarded as one of the best of the men.

Son of the Soil.

"Say," queried the next-door neighbor, "what were you thrashing your son for last night?"

"Wild oats," answered the old man, with a twinkle in his off eye.

CAMPAICN TO SAVE THE HOGS.

Dr. P. O. Koto, state veterinarian, who has waged such a splendid war against tuberculosis among cattle, is planning a campaign among hogs which will be even more thorough than its predecessor. Many swine throughout the state have died very suddenly and without apparent cause and Dr. Koto intends to probe the matter to its limit. The campaign will be active all over Iowa and it is the intention of the investigator to eliminate all diseased hogs as well as cattle. The instructions have gone out to all deputies to be on the lookout.

LINCOLN TO INSPECT GUARD.

Capt. Charles Lincoln, son of Gen. James Rush Lincoln, of Ames, has been delegated by the war department to represent the regular army as inspector of the Iowa National Guard companies at their four encampments this summer. There will be seven other regular army inspectors, but Capt. Lincoln's appointment is the only one thus far communicated to Gen. Logan. Out of four army men who were asked for by Gen. Logan, Capt. Lincoln is the only one who was favored by the department.

LONG TRIP IN TOURING CAR.

E. O. Kiser nas left Davenport with his wife and daughter and a chauffeur in a touring car on a trip that will consume 20,000 miles. The eastern extremity of the trip will be Portland, Me., and on the return trip they will go clear through to the Pacific coast, down from Portland, Ore., and then back east by way of the southern route through Texas, where Mr. Kiser is heavily interested in land.

A HOPEFUL PROSPECT.

He—Darling, I don't know what to say to your father.

She—Just say: "Mr. Munn, I wish to marry your daughter"—then dodge.

HANDS RAW AND SCALY.

Itched and Burned Terribly—Could Not Move Thumbs Without Flesh Cracking—Sleep Impossible.

Cuticura Soon Cured His Eczema.

"An itching humor covered both my hands and got up over my wrists and even up to the elbows. The itching and burning were terrible. My hands got all scaly and when I scratched, the surface would be covered with blisters and then get raw. The eczema got so bad that I could not move my thumbs without deep cracks appearing. I went to my doctor, but his medicine could only stop the itching. At night I suffered so fearfully that I could not sleep. I could not bear to touch my hands with water. This went on for three months and I was fairly worn out. At last I got the Cuticura Remedies and in a month I was cured. Walter H. Cox, 16 Somerset St., Boston, Mass., Sept. 25, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

Alcohol and Tuberculosis.

The most prominent tuberculosis specialists in the country agree that alcohol will not cure consumption. Dr. S. A. Knopf says: "Alcohol has never cured and never will cure tuberculosis. It will either prevent or retard recovery." Dr. Frank Billings of Chicago and Dr. Vincent Y. Bowditch, ex-presidents of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis; Dr. Lawrence F. Flick of Philadelphia and Dr. Edward L. Trudeau of Saranac Lake, the founder of the anti-tuberculosis movement in this country, are all of the same opinion.

Objection to Women Golfers.

"Farmers don't mind renting their fields to golfers, but they are strongly opposed to women."

"Why?"

"Because woman golfers are always losing hairpins and hatpins and stickpins in the grass. Follow the trail of a woman's foursome with a pincushion and I'll guarantee you a cushionful of pins at the end of the ninth hole."

"But why does the farmer mind that?"

"Because afterward when his sheep and cattle graze in those fields they swallow pins. Pins, I needn't tell you, are injurious to the health."

No Romance About It.

The stricken man constantly moaned the name of the young woman who had jilted him.

"Tell her," he said to the medical man, "that her cruelty killed me. Tell her I am dying from a broken heart."

The medical man shook his head.

"Aw, go on," he said. "That would be shamelessly unprofessional. Your heart's all right. It's your liver that's the trouble."

The real martyr never has t enjoy the honor.

DO YOUR CLOTHES LOOK YE If so, use the new RUSS BLU will make them white as snow. All

The umbrella dealer has a l by for a rainy day.

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To act with common sense, ing to the moment, is the be dom I know.—Horace Walpole.

School teachers take notice! Wr Spearmint is good for little sto better for little teeth.

Men owe their resolution, an of their success, to the oppositio meet with.—Renan.

Twenty million people a day ar ing their digestions with rea leaf flavored Wrigley's Spearm

He who speaks honestly care needs not care, if his words b served to the remotest time. lyle.

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Should Take His Medicine

"A feller shouldn't stand in th dle of the street to talk pessi declared the Plunkville philoso

"Why not?"

"Fust he says life ain't worth and then jumps when he hears tomobile honk."

A Youthful Idea.

"See, my son," said an enthu parent, anxious to impress the ties and resources of nature, beautiful green dresses of leav trees have now, when in winte are quite bare."

"I guess," said the you thoughtfully, "that when winter they pack these pretty green d in their trunks, don't they?"

The Earth and the Moon.

That the earth must shine o moon even as the moon shines earth is obvious. To detect thi from the earth on the lunar s and scientifically prove its exi is another matter. It is interest find that a recent number of a F astronomical paper contains tw tographs of parts of the moon inated by earth light. They taken by M. Quenisset at the J observatory.

NATURE STUDIES.

The Phunnibeak Bird—Hello, are you?

The Other Bird—Don't you me? Why, I'm "The harp that through Tara's Halls."

The Phunnibeak Bird (shortly)— tut; tut! You're a lyre! That's you are.

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ds Are Expected to Make Voluntary Drops.

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Commissioner Hopes That a t Deal of Good Will Come Des Moines as a Result of Hearing.

Moines, July 3.—Peace and har- reigned at the closing session Greater Des Moines commit- te case against the Chicago, land & Pacific, the Chicago & estern, the Chicago, Milwau- St. Paul and the Minneapolis Louis railroads, before Examin- n of the interstate commerce sion.

the exception of the testi- ffered by W. S. Howell, assist- ight agent of the Milwaukee, Lutz of the Minneapolis & St. was the sole witness. In all oss-examination, Mr. Guernsey ot make Mr. Lutz admit that Moines rates when compared her cities are discriminatory. mitted that the Des Moines re higher than those of other farther from the Dakota and ota points in question, but that the volume of traffic and t of maintenance in the state t the advanced rates.

he hearing it was brought out e Milwaukee's rates are more inating against Des Moines hose of any other road. It was hown that the rates of the apolis & St. Louis and the Chi- Northwestern are the most ble to this city.

cipating the result of the hear- e Rock Island has already low- many of the rates affecting Des , and officials of the Milwau- ate that that company will re- s rates as soon as possible.

railroads claim that the high are not part of a scheme to Des Moines. They admit that have not been changed since was such a scheme, and state e rates have been in effect so hat they have ceased to be con- d discriminatory.

le he does not hope to accom- all he asked, Freight Commis- Wylie hopes that a great deal od will result for Des Moines he recent hearing. That many railroads will voluntarily re- their rates he is confident, and o feels sure that the decision d down by the interstate com- commission will compel a re- of many of the freight rates in at the present time.

Orders New Brigade.

plete reorganization of the Iowa al Guard is provided in an or- rom the office of the adjutant- al putting the army of the state brigade standing. The four Iowa ents are named as component of the brigade.

cers for the new organization amed as follows:

adjutant general, major, adju- general's department.

judge advocate, major, judge ate general's department.

quartermaster, major, quarter- r's department.

commissary, major, subsis- department.

surgeon, major, medical de- ent.

engineer officer, major, corps gineers.

ordnance officer, major, ord- department, who is also de- as inspector of small arms ce.

signal officer, major, signal .

o aids, lieutenants, from the line.

Pearson Is New Dean.

David S. Fairchild has resigned osition as dean and professor of ry in the school of medicine at university, and has gone to on. Dr. W. W. Pearson of Des es, professor of opthalmology, succeed Dr. Fairchild as dean. Fairchild was dean of the school edicine at Drake for several . Dr. Pearson is one of the best n opthalmologists in the middle .

Gets New Factory.

rough A. B. Shriver the F. M. re Cow Milking Machine com- of Council Bluffs, in which he is ested, has been induced to come es Moines. The plant has been nized only a short time, but its uct is meeting with success on market. Mr. Shriver is looking a suitable location for the plant stated that it will locate here in t thirty days.

New Laws July 4.

Dozens of the enactments of the recent Iowa legislature become effective July 4, among them being:

Law enforcement act providing for removal of county attorneys.

Prohibition of minors smoking cigarettes.

Prevention of secret fraternities and soceties in high schools.

Giving of pensions to disabled or retired policemen and firemen.

Establishment of board of education for three state institutions.

Providing for a laboratory to manufacture hog cholera serum.

State hotel inspection.

Making resorts nuisances and assessment of tax against owners.

Rigid anti-trust act.

Prohibiting drinking on trains.

Corporations Are Called In.

Railway, telephone and express companies and other corporations have been notified by Secretary Davison of the state executive council that hearing on the subject of assessments for taxation and equalization of values will be held at the state house beginning Monday, July 12. On the first two days the railway, express companies and like properties will be heard. On Wednesday, July 14, will be held the telephone, telegraph and other general hearings. The subject of equalization of values between counties will be taken up following the hearing on July 14 and continued until completed.

Ten are Given Treatment.

As the result of the city canvas made last spring by visiting nurses, ten tubercular afflicted children are being given medical and outdoor treatment by the Des Moines Tuberculosis association. Four of these children have been taken to Beulah home at the Ledges, near Boone, the outing home under the direction of the American Sunday School association. The others are placed in the care of one nurse in Highland Park. Each child drinks two quarts of milk each day with the same relative proportion of eggs and meat.

Kaltz Files His Claims.

Per diem and expense claims for the months of March and April have been filed with the state executive council by former Pharmacy Commissioner B. F. Keltz of Webster City. Keltz claims that the state still owes him $324.34 for March and April, during which he continued to serve as commissioner although the governor had requested his resignation.

To Hold Joint Exposition.

Des Moines, Iowa.—If the plans are matured as outlined at a joint meeting of officers of the Iowa Corn Growers', Iowa Dairy and Iowa Horticultural associations held in the offices of the Commercial club, one of the greatest of Iowa meetings having for its object the improvement of farm conditions and farm products will be held in Des Moines next November.

Must Face Accuser.

Extradition papers were granted by Governor Carroll for the return to Chicago of Thomas W. Williams, under arrest at Council Bluffs and wanted in Chicago charged with cashing a French letter of credit for Mrs Mary A. Port and then disappearing with the cash.

Receives Check Long Overdue.

John W. Cox of Valley Junction, chief of police at the state house, has learned that the government never forgets. He received a check from the war department for $5.09 clothing allowance and back pay which the government has owed him ever since the civil war.

Leaves $40,000 for Lutheran Home.

Joy was brought to the hearts of the Lutherans in attendance at the general conference when it was announced that a gift of $40,000 had been received to be used in founding a church home for the aged. The gift is from a woman who does not wish to have her identity made known

Guard Officers Are Able.

Of forty-one officers of the Iowa National guard examined at the state house for their commissions, not one failed to pass the rigid physical examination made by Dr. Wilbur S. Conkling of Des Moines, surgeon of the Fifty-fifth infantry.

Seventy-four Conventions.

The Des Moines Commercial club has booked a total of seventy- four conventions for 1910. This is almost as many as will be held here this year, and fifteen or twenty more will be secured before the close of the year.

Capt. Lyman Is Laid to Rest.

The funeral of Capt. Frank E. Lyman was held at the late residence Rev. Frisbee officiating. The companions of the Loyal Legion attended in a body. Interment was at Glendale cemetery.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twentytwo per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirtyseven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

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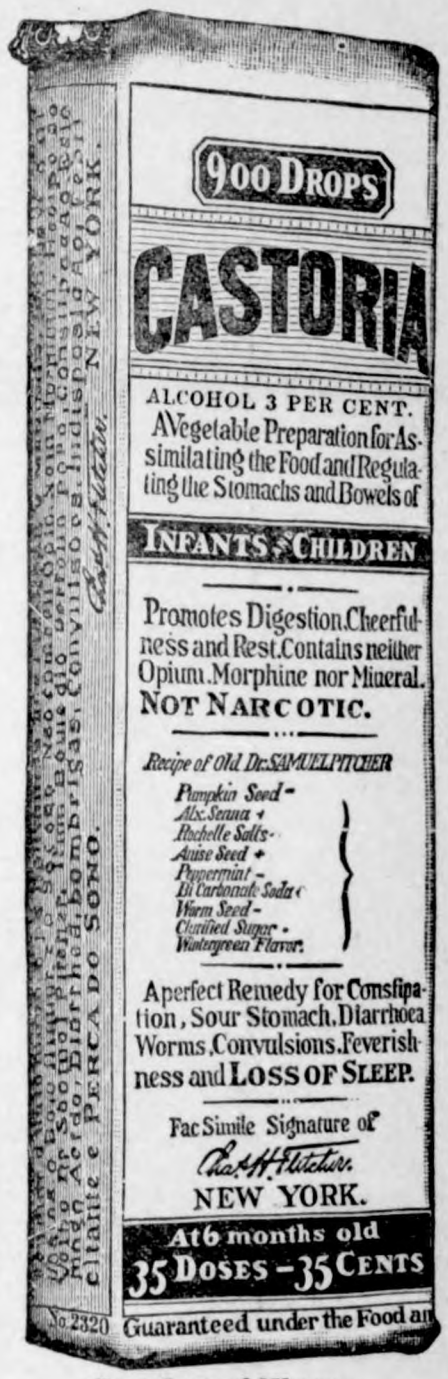

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Dr. C. G. Sprague, of Omaha, Neb., says: "Your Castoria is an ideal medicine for children, and I frequently prescribe it. While I do not advocate the indiscriminate use of proprietary medicines, yet Castoria is an exception for conditions which arise in the care of children."

Dr. J. A. Parker, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Your Castoria holds the esteem of the medical profession in a manner held by no other proprietary preparation. It is a sure and reliable medicine for infants and children. In fact, it is the universal household remedy for infantile ailments."

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Dr. Norman M. Geer, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "During the last twelve years I have frequently recommended your Castoria as one of the best preparations of the kind, being safe in the hands of parents and very effective in relieving children's disorders, while the ease with which such a pleasant preparation can be administered is a great advantage."

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It is always the open season for killing time with some people.

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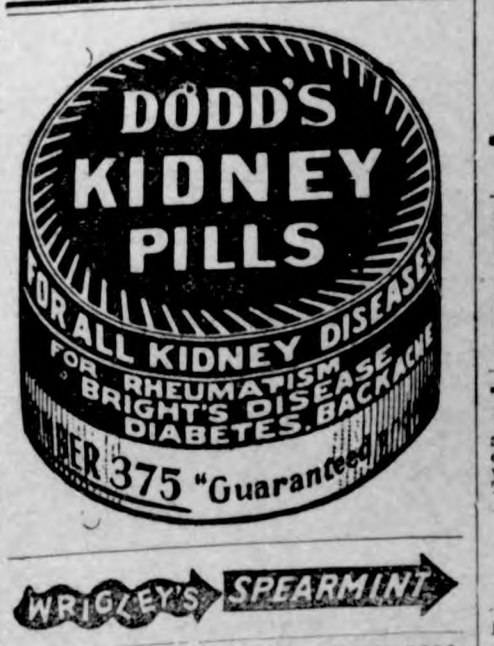
A doctor of divinity should believe in the faith cure.



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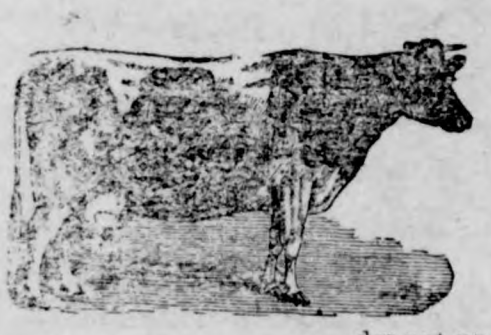

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Special Correspondence:

Ben Grove has returned from a visit at Webster City.

Miss Norma Post is at Webster City visiting relatives.

Hod Lawhorn and family drove to Goodell Monday.

Wm. Yohn and family took in the celebration at Clear Lake Monday.

Tom Nelson and wife visited relatives at Klemme Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Krouse was a caller in his neighborhood Tuesday.

Miss Cora Lawhorn spent the first of the week with Goodell friends.

Mr. Ingham, of Chicago, was looking after his farms here last week.

Cloyd Lawhorn went to Decorah to spend the Fourth with his uncle and family.

Mrs. Priebe was taken sick Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Josten. She is better at this time.

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BRITT

From the News:

Rodney Hill Sr. transacted business in South Dakota last week.

Prof. Kies has gone to Denison where he will teach for a few weeks in the summer school at that place.

Mrs. Brandon Greenaway and son Joseph left last Friday evening for Hamilton, Ontario, where they will spend a part of the summer months.

County Auditor Duff was in Britt Monday. He has just returned from a visit to Alberta, Canada.

The Western Electric Telephone Company have a crew of 15 men making their headquarters in Britt, building a new line from here to Hampton.

Oscar Thomas is now the proprietor of the Thomas dray line, having purchased the entire outfit from his brother Frank.

Quite a number from Britt went to Algona Monday to hear W. J. Bryan. They report having heard a fine non-political address. While all do not agree with Bryan's political ideas, it must be admitted that as a man and speaker he is at the head of the list.

Information comes from Rochester that John Schrader had his operation in the hospital at that place on Saturday and is recovering nicely.

P. L. Smith, who owns a good farm in Boone township, is showing his confidence in the future of Hancock county by building a large barn on his place.

Ben Garthwaite finished up his 7th year yesterday as a rural carrier on route No 2 out of Britt. He has never missed a day on account or sickness or being any way disabled. A pretty good record for a man 63 years old.

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Aug. Lau has recently repaired and painted his elevator and is now in good shape for the fall trade.

Miss Margaret Jackson of Belmond and Mrs. Chas. Bowen of St. Paul visited at the Aug. Lau home Thursday.

Wm. Kirkwood arrived in Klemme last Saturday, from Ringsted, Iowa, for a visit at the home of his parents.

While at the Garner base ball tournament, stop at the Garner House. Courteous treatment and good service guaranteed.

Aug. Lau left Tuesday for a trip to South Dakota and Minnesota points to look after his land interests.

Friday and Saturday July 16 and 17 will be special delivery days for poultry. Don't forget the dates. Prices to follow. Ell Bros.

Ben Lau went to Belmond Friday evening, returning Saturday accompanied by Miss Ella Jackson who spent the 4th and 5th at Klemme and Forest City.

Herman Miller returned home from his Chicago trip last Saturday. He had a good visit with "Butch" Schroeder, who showed him all the sights worth seeing.

If you want to buy anything or if you have anything to sell, you can't reach the buyer or seller any easier or cheaper than by inserting a small ad in the Times. The cost is small and results are sure.

Geo. Irmscher, of Dubuque, Iowa visited here yesterday with his nephew Arthur Wellemeyer. Mr. Irmscher recently suffered a fire loss in his home in Dubuque and while here he purchased a complete new outfit of household furniture from Mr. Wellemeyer.

Chas. Suckow and wife and Miss Fern left last Friday for Rake, Iowa, where they attended the Fourth of July celebration and visited with the E. P. Dow family. Mr. and Mrs. Suckow returned home Monday evening and Fern went to Lu Verne, Iowa, to visit at the Dr. Spooner home.

After a good hot week of regular old fashioned Hancock county corn weather the mercury took a drop Saturday and on Sunday. Monday and Tuesday we had a great bunch of cold, wet atmosphere. The towns which celebrated Independence Day on the 3rd were in luck, while those who made the eagle scream on the 5th were up against a tough weather proposition.

Ice cream sodas, sundaes, and all kinds of cool refreshing drinks at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

Henry Mann packed his household goods last week and on Thursday morning hauled them to Garner where he loaded them onto a car and he and his family and his father and mother left Friday for their new home at Alpena, Michigan, where his mother has some land. We understand that Henry will take a whirl at leading the simple life next to Nature for a while, working some land, milking some cows, fishing, etc. We wish them all success in their new home.

Judge Clark has handed down a decision in the famous Hancock County ditch case—Fred Ax et al vs. Interstate Drainage & Investment Co.—and the farmers won out. No more money is to be paid the Company for work already done and the Company pays the costs of the case.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH

Again Passes Into History With Many and Varied Celebrations

WET WEATHER ON 5th

Again the ever glorious fourth has "came and went," and the hearts of the American people have again swelled with patriotism, while the small boy—and perhaps some of the larger ones—has made the welkin ring with the various explosive contraptions made especially for the occasion, and perhaps a few have lost a thumb, a finger, an eye or some other valuable piece of machinery in giving vent to their pent-up enthusiasm. But it is great to be an American, just the same.

Britt was the fortunate Hancock county town this year, she holding her celebration on Saturday, the 3rd, which was an ideal day, and a very large crowd turned out. Britt beat Woden in the forenoon ball game, 1 to 0, which is said to be one of the best games ever played in Britt. Corwith played the winner in the afternoon and was snowed under by Britt, 14 to 1. Joe Bailey pitched both games for the British. The Corwith and Britt bands furnished soul-inspiring music all day.

No fireworks were advertised on the program, but some were pulled off impromptu, and they proved to be rather expensive, too. About twelve o'clock a patriotic citizen who wanted to end the day with a grand display, set fire to fifteen large sky rockets on the main street, with the result that the plate glass front in Miller & Bosworth's drug store was a total wreck. Earlier in the evening a stand on main street was burned by Roman candles being shot into it. These were about all the fireworks. Britt had a fine celebration and everybody seemed well pleased.

Our good neighbor on the south, Goodell, had planned for a large demonstration on Monday, the 5th, but the weather was very much against a successful celebration. However, a number of our people went down. Goodell defeated a Belmond team in the ball game by a score of 10 to 4. Some coons sang some songs and the Goodell band played. Quite a crowd turned out considering the bad weather.

German M. E. Church Items

Aneta Schuldt of Garner is a guest at the Henry Griewe home.

Matilda Rest, of Gladbrook, Iowa, is visiting in Klemme and Germantown since last week Monday.

The Sunday School picnic on Monday did not materialize as the weather was too disagreeable. It has been suggested that we plan for a day after harvest and make it a "Harvest home" picnic, which has become very popular in many localities.

In spite of the rain and inclement weather, a fair sized audience met last Sunday night to listen to the program given by Emma Sampson's Sunday School class. They had a fine patriotic program prepared consisting of solos, duets, trios, and quartets declamations, readings, a dialogue, a class prophecy, and closing with a pantomime. Though it was generally considered good, the girls were very much dissatisfied with it, as many things worked against them, even the magnesia light. We suggest that they repeat it later with a slight revision.

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Life 100,000 Years Ago

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown, of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough." To cure sore lungs, colds, obstinate coughs, and prevent pneumonia, it's the best medicine on earth. 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co. Trial bottle free.

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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Roosevelt still worries the senate, the library committee of that organization being unable to agree which of two busts, one in repose or the other in strenuous attitude, to accept.

Senator Borah of Idaho, speaking in favor of an income tax, said the trusts favor the corporation tax because they can make the people foot the bill.

Members of the senate are receiving scores of telegrams from business men protesting against the passage of the corporation tax amendment.

Senator Root will lead the fight for the corporation tax amendment and Senators Cummins and Bailey will head the opposition.

PERSONAL.

Miss Marion Lawson, daughter of Thomas W. Lawson, and James Fuller Lord of Chicago were married under the largest American flag ever made and in the center of 11 acres of roses at Scituate, Mass.

Miss Marry Harriman, daughter of the railroad magnate, is a director of the National Association for the Promotion of Kindergarten Education, organized in New York.

Judge Ray S. Reid of La Crosse, waterways commissioner for Wisconsin, has been commissioned by Senator Burton to go to Europe to lay out the route for the congressional party which will study European waterways.

President Taft attended the commencement exercises at Yale college and participated in the closing festivities of his alma mater.

Prince von Buelow, chancellor of Germany, announced that he will resign when the finance reform measure has been passed by the reichstag.

James Hamilton Lewis of Chicago reached New York after a tour of the world. As a result of his study of oriental conditions for this government, Mr. Lewis declares an American-Chinese commercial alliance is necessary.

Sherburne M. Becker, known as the "boy mayor of Milwaukee," arrived in San Francisco on his return from a visit to the canal zone, where he went on the invitation of President Taft.

GENERAL NEWS.

Several thousand Danish-American citizens celebrated the Fourth of July at the ancient city of Aarhus, Denmark, where a national exposition was in progress.

The celebration of the tercentenary of the discovery of Lake Champlain opened at Crown Point, N. Y., with literary exercises, water pageants and a presentation of the Indian drama "Hiawatha."

The forty-seventh annual convention of the National Education association began in Denver, Col., with a large attendance.

The Descendants of the Signers held their yearly meeting in the old state house in Philadelphia where their ancestors signed the Declaration of Independence.

Camp Taft at Toledo, O., was formally opened and the great military tournament began with 3,000 officers and men representing every branch of the regular army service.

After one day of failure and another of only partial success, Orville Wright finally got his new aeroplane to working satisfactorily and circled the Fort Myer grounds many times, attaining a speed of 38 miles an hour.

Washington B. Thomas president, and Arthur Donner, Charles H. Senff, John E. Parsons, John Mayer and George H. Frazier directors of the American Sugar Refining Company were indicted on charges of conspiracy in restraint of trade.

Earthquake shocks as severe as those which caused 200,000 deaths in southern Italy and Sicily in December were felt in Messina and Reggio and further loss of life was reported.

The Harvard varsity crew proved its superiority over that of Yale in a boat race on the Thames, winning by six lengths.

Fear of Fourth of July is believed to have caused the death of Gustave Thiese at Akron, O.

An Indian student shot and killed Lieut. Col. Sir William Hutt Curzon Wyllie and Dr. Calas Lalcaca of Shanghai in an assassination of political character in London.

The marines who were ordered off of United States warships by President Roosevelt are again on the vessels.

Mayor McClellan of New York has caused one of the greatest political stirs that turbulent city has known in years by ousting Theodore Bingham, commissioner of police, and several other heads of the department from office.

The attendance for the first month of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition was 667,971. President J. E. Chilberg said the net profits for the month were $86,000.

Capt. John C. Raymond of the Second cavalry at Fort Des Moines, Ia., who was shot by Corporal Lisle Crabtree three weeks ago, died of his wound.

The Alabama supreme court decided that liquor when kept in lockers by individuals and is not for sale is personal property and that any municipal ordinance prohibiting such possession is void.

Gov. Johnson of Minnesota, speaking at Jackson, Mich., said he hoped to see the time when woman would join her husband in political affairs, because "politics would be better with her refining influences."

The Republican party must keep its pledges to the people or be relegated to the minority, said President Taft in an address to Yale graduates.

Fully 15,000 employes of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company went on a strike against the "open-shop" order in the trust's mills.

Prof. James H. Hyslop told a remarkable story of how the ghost of R. Swain Gifford, a great artist, has taught Frederick L. Thompson, a goldsmith, to paint masterpieces.

Tennessee's "dry" law went into effect at midnight June 30 and all but two saloons were closed.

Calvin Littlepage, who killed his wife's parents at Valley Junction, Ia., committed suicide when near capture by a posse.

Russia is preparing to send troops to Teheran, capital of Persia, which is threatened with invasion by bandits.

Three boys were hurt, several firemen overcome by smoke and heat and $250,000 damaged caused at a fire in the Kiechhefer Box Company's plant in Milwaukee.

The 116 suffragettes who were arrested for rioting in London were released from jail without bond and must appear in court on July 9.

A verdict for $3,145 was awarded at Laporte, Ind., against the estate of Mrs. Belle Gunness in favor of the administrator for the estate of Andrew Helgelein, one of her several alleged victims.

Five persons died and more than a score were prostrated by the heat in Minneapolis and St. Paul.

An operation for appendicitis was performed on Mayor Fred A. Busse of Chicago and for more than 24 hours his condition was critical.

Joseph Jurette, a farmer near Alton, Ill., has trained ducks to eat bugs off potatoes and plans to hire them out at one dollar a day for each duck to clean potato fields of the pest.

Bruno Buizingslowen, a New York engineer, has invented an airship which will either fly or run on the ground.

It has been discovered that Arkansas has a new law prohibiting the sale of cannon crackers or toy pistols and dealers are disposing of Fourth of July stocks.

While driving his harvester through his fields near Ural, Okla., John Nichols ran over and killed his little daughter, who was asleep.

Orville Wright, after three unsuccessful attempts, ascended in the new aeroplane and circled the aerodrome at Fort Myer.

Broughton Brandenburg was acquitted in New York on the charge of larceny in connection with the Grover Cleveland letter and rearrested, accused of kidnaping his step-son in St. Louis.

Federal officials declared the headquarters of the old Honduras lottery has been established at Albany, Ind., and caused the arrest of four men in that city.

Bloodhounds trailed two of the bandits who held up a Canadian Pacific train at Red Gulch, to an abandoned coal mine.

The old-time gold-brick game was worked successfully on Joseph Satlow, a New York jeweler. He gave up $5,100 for 34 pounds of brass fillings sold him by a peddler.

Alderman Donohue, sitting as a trial judge at Wilkesbarre, Pa., told Mrs Michael Promick to give her husband who had mistreated her, a thrashing and she promised to do it.

Samuel S. Howland, brother-in-law of August Belmont, secretly married Leslie .Mosby Wallace in San Francisco and then, with his bride booked as his sister, sailed for Hongkong.

Leon Naimais, a bell boy in a New Orleans hotel, has been left $4,500 in the will of Starr H. Nichols, a New Yorker, who a short time before his death visited the hotel and took a fancy to the lad.

GIRL SAVES MOTHER

Jumped Between Her and Murderous Stepfather

HAD BULLET IN HER FACE

Surgeons Extracted Bullet and Cannot Explain How it Lodged Against Cheek Bone Without Doing More Damage.

Clinton, Ia., July 5.—Because she jumped between her mother and her stepfather when the latter pointed a loaded revolver at the woman, Pearl McKee, aged 16 years, was taken to a Clinton hospital with a bullet in her face. The wound is not dangerous. Surgeons extracted the bullet, which is of 32-calibre, and were mystified to explain how it lodged against the cheek bone without doing more damage than it did.

The girl's step-father, Wray Gleason, resides near Thomsen, in Carroll county, Ill. The shooting occurred following a quarrel between the man and his wife. The girl entering the room as Gleason was in the act of pointing the revolver at her mother, jumped between them and received the bullet. Gleason was arrested and is held under $5,000 bonds.

Railroad Pleas Fall on Deaf Ears.

Des Moines.—Despite the arguments of railroad officials against the existing freight rates on certain commodities in a rehearing before the railroad commission that body flatly refused to consider the advance of rates on the commodities in question with but a single exception. This was on sulphur and sulphur candles and only in the instance of the shipment of these products "in pails with tight wooden covers." The other rates under discussion became effective on May 1 and included grave vaults, iron and steel, sulphate of magnesia in barrels, bed springs, mattresses and cots, lumber (hard and soft), lath and shingles, sash doors and blinds.

"Schlatter" Pays Claim.

Clinton.—"Schlatter," the faith healer, reached Clinton in custody of Deputy Sheriff Dougherty. Following a conference in the office of Justice of the Peace Russell, the announcement was made that a settlement had been reached, "Schlatter" paying all costs and satisfying the claim of Irl Lambertson, the complainant, who alleged the divine healer had obtained his money under false pretenses.

Rain Discourages Farmers.

Estherville.—If the incessant rain does not cease very soon Emmet county will have another year of poor crops. By actual count rain fell twenty days during the month of June and the farmers are beginning to look and talk a little discouraged. Corn is doing fine under the prevailing conditions, but it isn't getting the cultivation it requires on account of rain. Small grain is doing very nicely.

Good Price for Wright County Land.

Eagle Grove.—John Conkling, a prominent farmer living a few miles out from this city, recently sold his farm for the price of $125 per acre. His farm consists of 200 acres on which is a newly built and modern eight room house, some fine barns and pig sheds. Mr. Conkling is to have this year's crops and will give possession on March 1, 1910.

Hardin Crops Not Damaged

Eldora.—Farmers here declare that the excessive rainfall is not having as serious effect upon the crops as is generally supposed. The acreage in corn will be less than usual and the oats acreage will also be diminished, but farmers say they will have an excellent stand which will make up for the decreased acreage.

Fleet Is a Grand Sight.

Burlington, Ia., July 2.—The big fleet of motor boats and launches from St. Louis, accompanied by fleets from Peoria, Grafton, Quincy, Keokuk and Fort Madison have arrived here in anticipation of the big two days' regatta of the Upper Mississippi River Power Boat association Monday and Tuesday next.

Bank Cashier Indicted.

Fort Worth, Tex., July 2.—Walter King, cashier of the branch bank of the Waggoner Bank & Trust company, which was robbed of $8,100 by a lone robber several weeks ago, according to the statement of King, was indicted for embezzlement. King's present whereabouts are not known.

Veterans Meet at Gilman.

Gilman.—The nineteenth annual reunion of the Marshall County Veterans' association, proved one of the biggest gatherings in the history of the association.

MAD, KILLS WIFE'S PARENTS

Calvin Littlepage Believed to Have Been Insane, Shoots Down Mr. and Mrs. E. Jamison.

Des Moines.—Despairing of escape from the posse of officers and citizens who were pursuing him, Calvin Littlepage, the farm hand who shot and killed his divorced wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jameson, eight miles west of Valley Junction, ended his own life when he fired a bullet from his 32-caliber Colt's automatic revolver into his brain.

His body was found lying in the middle of a country road three miles west of Valley Junction by John Ritchie, a farmer who lives in that vicinity. It is believed the man was insane.

The one bullet was sufficient to accomplish his self-destruction. It entered his right temple and after ploughing its way through skull and brain, made its exit through the bony wall of the temple almost exactly opposite.

He fired five shots at his former wife. His aim was wild and none of the bullets took effect. Following the shooting Littlepage forced his wife to take their child and get into a buggy with him. After driving with them a distance of nearly fifteen miles, making constant threats against the lives of the woman and the child, he left the buggy and attempted to make his escape cross-country. Finding escape impossible, he shot himself.

Littlepage shot and killed his former wife's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jameson, at the Jameson home following the refusal of Mr. Jameson to allow him to see Mrs. Littlepage and their child. He is said to have made repeated threats against their lives since Mrs. Littlepage obtained a divorce in the Polk county district court two months ago.

An Unusual Butter-Making Record.

Des Moines.—J. G. Gudknecht of Lowts Creek, Ia., won first in the dairy commissioners' educational butter-making contest for June, with the record-breaking mark of 98 per cent. This is almost as high a mark as has ever been reached in this state and is the highest percentage recorded in these contests. This record was made in the whole milk class.

The other winners were P. N. Peterson of Rake, Ia., second; and W. D. Wenthe of Sumner, Ia., and Frank Brummer of Charles City tied for third.

In the gathered cream class, F. J. Schoeder of Wadena won first, Robert Bliss of Garner, Ia., second, and in a three-cornered tie for third there were the following: J. T. Hanna of Lone Rock, M. J. Bobo of Algona, and N. O. Dahlen of Northwood. The winner had 94 per cent butter and the tie for third place was at 93 per cent.

This is the third number of the educational scoring contests conducted by the state food and dairy commission. The next one will be known as the "State Fair contest."

Bolt Hits Bluffs Husband and Wife.

Council Bluffs.—Mr. and Mrs. F. Spitzka were knocked unconscious when lightning struck their home. Mrs. Spitzka suffered the worst shock. The bolt struck the chair she was sitting in, ran down her leg, tore off the shoe and scorched her right foot. Both were sitting in the kitchen at the time and the force of the shock knocked them to the floor. Mr. Spitzka recovered consciousness first and hurried to his wife's aid. She soon recovered, but became hysterical and a doctor was summoned. Upon examination he found that the woman was not badly injured and he expects no serious results. Aside from being severely shocked Mr. Spitzka was not hurt. A peculiar thing is that the bolt seems to have divided upon reaching Mrs. Spitzka's foot, for her shoe was tore down each side. The lining was ripped out of it and the shoe itself hurled from her foot.

To Survey Drainage Projects.

Logan.—The board of supervisors of Harrison county has appointed Engineer J. S. Wattles of Missouri Valley to make additional surveys of the Soldier river drainage project. The board has appointed Mr. Seabury and Mr. Wilson of Logan as appraisers on the Boyer river drainage project of Jefferson, Calhoun and St. John as petitioned by Mr. Latta and others.

Margaret Earle Resigns.

Iowa City.—Miss Margaret M. Earle superintendent of the university homeopathic hospital for the past year, has tendered her resignation, to take effect August 1. No successor has been appointed.

Race Horse Breaks a Leg.

Mason City.—While working out Bonnie Grace for the afternoon 2:27 trot, the promising mare broke her leg and was killed. She was owned by Charlie Hardie.

HER FRIENDS WONDER

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Few have lived through such trials and suffering from kidney disease as were endured by Mrs. Caroline Kessler of W. Main St., Paw Paw, Mich. Well and strong again, her case is thought a miracle by her friends. What Mrs. Kessler went through makes a long story—backache, rheumatism, dizzy and fainting spells, urinary disorders, dreadful bloating of dropsy and finally a complete prostration that defied medical skill and caused her to be given up. Through the use of Doan's Kidney Pills Mrs. Kessler is a well woman and is willing to tell about her case to anyone who cares to inquire.

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Here's a Good One.

A friend of mine told me of a curious experience. He was carefully stalking a big bull elephant in a large herd, when they got his wind, and a big cow elephant charged him. He jumped behind a large tree as the elephant reached him, and, being unable to stop herself in time, the elephant drove her tusks with such force into the tree that they snapped off close to her head. The elephant was stunned for a moment, but luckily turned and galloped after the fast retreating herd, leaving him the possessor of some 80 pounds of ivory, valued at about $250.—Circle Magazine.

An Irish Bull.

After Boyle Roche's famous bird comes the County Cork veterinary surgeon. At the last meeting of the Dunmanway rural council a member of that body complained of the inattention of the official veterinary surgeon. "There was," the rural councillor explained, "a case of swine fever in this place recently, and, though 'the doctor' got the order to go there, he never turned up until the following Tuesday, and even then it was another man who came to represent him."

A Simple Problem.

Teacher—Don't know the sixth commandment? Now listen: If a man came up to me with a revolver and shot and killed me, what would it be?

Johnnie (brightly) — A holiday ma'am."

AN OLD TIMER Has Had Experiences.

A woman who has used Postum since it came upon the market knows from experience the wisdom of using Postum in place of coffee if one values health and a clear brain. She says:

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SYNOPSIS.

Senator Morley Vernon's visit with his fiancee was interrupted by a call from his political boss at the state capital. Both regretted it, the girl more than he, because she had arranged to attend a dinner that evening with him. She said she yearned for a national office for him. On Vernon's desk in the senate he found a red rose, accompanied by a plea for suffrage for women. He met the authoress, pretty Miss Maria Greene of Chicago, who proposed to convert him into voting for house resolution No. 19. Miss Greene secured Vernon's promise to vote for the suffrage resolution. He also aided her by convincing others. He took a liking to the fair suffragette. Miss Greene consulted with the lieutenant-governor. Vernon admitted to himself that the suffragette had stirred a strange feeling within him. He forgot to read his fiancee's letter. Vernon made a great speech in favor of suffrage, aided by glances from Miss Greene. The resolution was made a special order. Vernon was enthusiastic on the prospects for the resolution. He was much in Miss Greene's company. Vernon neglected thoughts of Amelia. He took Miss Greene driving and laid out plans for the success of the resolution. Vernon's speech caused a great newspaper sensation. He was being neglected by Amelia, who had not answered his letter. Vernon is "tipped off" that his suffrage resolution may not pass. As Miss Greene was due the following morning he had no fears. Miss Greene arrived and breakfasted with Vernon. Across the dining room entrenched behind women opponents of the suffrage resolution, he spied Amelia. He started toward her. She treated him coldly and the women opponents of suffrage reproved him for his part. Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop told Senator Vernon that his conduct with Miss Greene had been hard upon Amelia. He was told to comfort her. Vernon had a tearful interview with Amelia, and he tried to undo the ills which his suffrage move had caused. He partially "made up" with Amelia, who had turned lobbyist against the resolution.

CHAPTER XIII.—Continued.

"Sweetheart," he said, "I must go now. I should have been in the senate at ten o'clock; I hate to leave you, but I'll explain everything when I get back."

He waited an instant, then he went on:

"Aren't you going to say: 'Good-by?'"

Amelia got up.

"I'll go, too," she said. She was still catching little sobs in her throat, now and then. Vernon looked at her in some surprise.

"Why—" he began, incredulously.

She must have divined his surprise.

"I have to help Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop," she said, as if in explanation. "But, of course, I hate to bother you."

"Oh, nonsense, dearest," he said, impatiently. "Come on. Let's start."

"But I can't go looking this way," she said. She walked across the room, and standing before a mirror, wiped her eyes carefully, then arranged her hat and her veil.

"Would anybody know?" she asked, facing about for his inspection.

"Never—come on."

They went out, and down the elevator. When they reached the entrance, Vernon looked up and down the street, but there was no carriage in sight. The street was quiet and the hotel wore an air of desertion, telling that all the political activity of Illinois had been transferred to the state house. Vernon looked around the corner, but the old hack that always stood there was not at its post.

"We'll have to walk," he said. "It'll take too long for them to get a carriage around for us. It's only a few blocks, anyway. The air will do you good."

As they set forth in the bright morning sun they were calmer, and, having come out into public view, for the time being they dropped their differences and their misunderstandings, and began to talk in their common, ordinary fashion.

"Did Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop ask you to change me on the Ames amendment?" Vernon asked her.

"The what?"

"The Ames amendment; that's the woman-suffrage measure."

"No, do her justice; she didn't."

"What then?"

"She said she wanted me to work against it, that's all."

"Didn't she say anything about asking me not to vote for it?"

"Well, yes; but I told her—"

"What?"

"That I wouldn't try to influence you in the least."

Vernon made no reply.

"No," she went on, "I'm to work against it, of course."

They were silent then, till suddenly she appealed to him:

"Oh, Morley, I've got to ask strange men, men I never met, to vote against it! How am I ever!"

She shuddered.

"It's all very strange," Vernon said.

CHAPTER XIV.

They walked briskly down the sloping street under the railroad bridge and then up the little hill whereon sits the capitol of Illinois. They could see the big flag high upon the dome standing out in the prairie wind, and the little flags on the house wing and the senate wing whipping joyously, sprightly symbols of the sitting of both houses.

Now and then they heard cheers from the house wing, where the legislative riot that ends a session was already beginning. They passed into the dark and cool corridors of the state house, then up to the third floor, where members and messenger boys, correspondents and page boys, rushed always across from one house to the other, swinging hurriedly around the brass railing of the rotunda. It seemed that the tide of legislative life was just then setting in toward the senate.

"Never—Come On."

"Oh, Morley," whispered Amelia, forgetting his offense, and clinging close to him, "I can't go in there, really I can't."

"Nonsense," said Vernon, "come on. I'll deliver you to Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop in a minute; then you'll be perfectly safe. Besides, you have your lobbying to do."

They reached the senate entrance, and the doorkeeper, seeing a senator, opened a way through the crowd for their passage. There was confusion everywhere, the nervous and excited hum of voices from the floor, from the vestibule, from the galleries, from all around. And just as they stepped up to the raised floor whereon the desks of senators are placed, the gavel fell, and stillness with it. They saw the lieutenant governor leaning over his desk, studying a slip of paper he held in his hand.

"On this question," he said, "the yeas are 30 and the nays are 17; and two-thirds of the members-elect having failed to vote in the affirmative, the resolution is lost."

Vernon stood transfixed. The whole thing was borne in upon him; he saw Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, and the expression of calm and lofty satisfaction that had settled on her face told him that it was the Ames amendment that had been lost. But some new thought seemed to strike her, for when Senator Porter looked around with something like a smile of congratulation, she beckoned him, and he hastened to her side.

"Move to reconsider and to lay on the table," she said, and with a look of admiration he turned and made the motion. It was put, it was carried of course, and the amendment was lost irrevocably.

"Well, that's attended to," said Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop. "Ah, Morley," she said calmly, "you here? And Amelia?"

"She's here," he said, "and I—I did not get here on time!" The shame and mortification on his face were pitiable, though they could not have touched Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop's heart.

"And I didn't get here on time," he repeated, ruefully.

"Why, my dear boy," said Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, "I didn't intend that you should."

He looked at her fiercely, angrily, a second.

"So that was the game, was it?" he said. He whirled, with another fierce look, on Amelia.

"That was the game, yes, Morley," said Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, "but you needn't look at Amelia so—she was utterly innocent, the dear little thing."

Amelia came up. She had seen Vernon's expression.

"What is it—what has happened?" she inquired.

"Well, I got here too late, that's all," said Vernon. "I was detained, and Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop has just now kindly told me that she had arranged that I should be. I'm ruined, that's all; I'm lost."

"No, Morley," said Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop, "you're saved. You're saved from yourself." She still smiled at him sweetly. "You might have made, don't you know, another one of your speeches."

Vernon bit his lip and walked away. He encountered Martin, but could only look at him helplessly. Martin returned his look with one of surprise.

"You here?" he said.

"Well, yes," replied Vernon. "At last—too late, it seems."

The surprise had not left Martin's face; to it was now added a perplexity.

"If we'd known," said Martin; "but we thought, that is, we heard, that you had ducked."

Vernon shook his head as with a pain that would not let him speak. He was looking disconsolately across the chamber to where Miss Greene stood talking with Bull Burns. As in a dream, he heard Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop exclaim:

"Ah, there is that Greene woman!"

Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop was lifting her gold glasses again. Vernon was wondering how he was to face the Greene woman. But at Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop's words an idea came to him.

"I'll go bring her and introduce her," he said. He bolted away and went toward her. She was cold and distant. Fortunately, Burns fled at his approach.

"Can you forgive me?" he said. "I'll explain it all in an instant."

"And how?" she asked with a chill rise in her tone.

"Have you ever met Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop?" he asked significantly.

"No," she answered.

"Then permit me," he said. She went with him. Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop had withdrawn her delegation to the rear of the chamber, and there awaited Vernon's return.

"Mrs. Overman Hodge Lathrop, permit me to present Miss Greene; Miss Ansley, Miss Greene." And so on, in the order of relative rank, he introduced her to the other ladies.

Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop extended her hand officially. Miss Greene took it with a smile.

"I am very glad," she said, "to meet Mrs.—Mrs.—ah, pardon me, but what was the name?"

"Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop," Vernon said.

"Ah, Mrs. Lathrop."

Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop seemed, to the eye, to swell.

"You have a charming little city here, Mrs. Lathrop. We poor Chicagoans love to get down into the country once in a while, you know."

Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop reared back a little.

"No doubt," she stammered. "I have always found it so."

Miss Greene feigned surprise, and affected a look of perplexity. Vernon withdrew a step, and with his chin in his hand looked on out of eyes that gloated. The other women in the party exchanged glances of horror and wrath. Mrs. Barbourton, for her part, seemed unable to endure it.

"Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop lives in Chicago," she interjected.

"Oh!" cried Miss Greene. "Is it possible? How very strange that one could live in the city all one's life and not have heard!"

"Not so very strange, I fancy," said Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop. "One's circle is apt to be so far removed."

"Yes?" said Miss Greene, with that rising inflection. "Then you can not have lived in Chicago long?"

"All my life," snapped Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop.

"So long as that!" said Miss Greene, with eyes that stared incredibility. Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop actually colored.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

WILLIAM WANTED NO LAWYER.

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When Justice Buffum opened court in a small town in southern Georgia one morning last week, he called loudly: "Jones against Johnson!"

A dignified gentleman came to the bar, and said: "I am Dr. Jones, your honor, the complaining witness. My chickens were stolen and found in the possession of—"

"One moment, doctor," the judge interrupted. "We must have the defendant at the bar. Jones against Johnson! Jones against Johnson! Is the defendant present? Is William Johnson in court?"

A tall and shambling negro shuffled to the bar, ducked his head, pulled his woolly forelock in token of respect, and grinned a propitiatory grin.

"Ah's Willyum Johns'n, please sur, jedge," he said. "Ah doan' know nuffin 'bout no 'fendant, suh. Ah'm jes' de man wot took de chick'ns."

"Don't talk like that," the court warned William. "You ought to have a lawyer to speak for you. Where's your lawyer?"

"Ah ain't got no lawyer, jedge—"

"Very well, then," said his honor, "I'll assign a lawyer to defend you."

"Oh, no, suh; no, suh! Ple-e-ease don' do dat!" William begged.

"Why not?" asked the judge. "It won't cost you anything. Why don't you want a lawyer?"

"Well, ah'll tell yo', sah," said William, waving his tattered old hat confidentially. "Hit's jes' dis-a-way—ah wan' tuh enjoy dem chick'ns mase-f."—Harper's Weekly.

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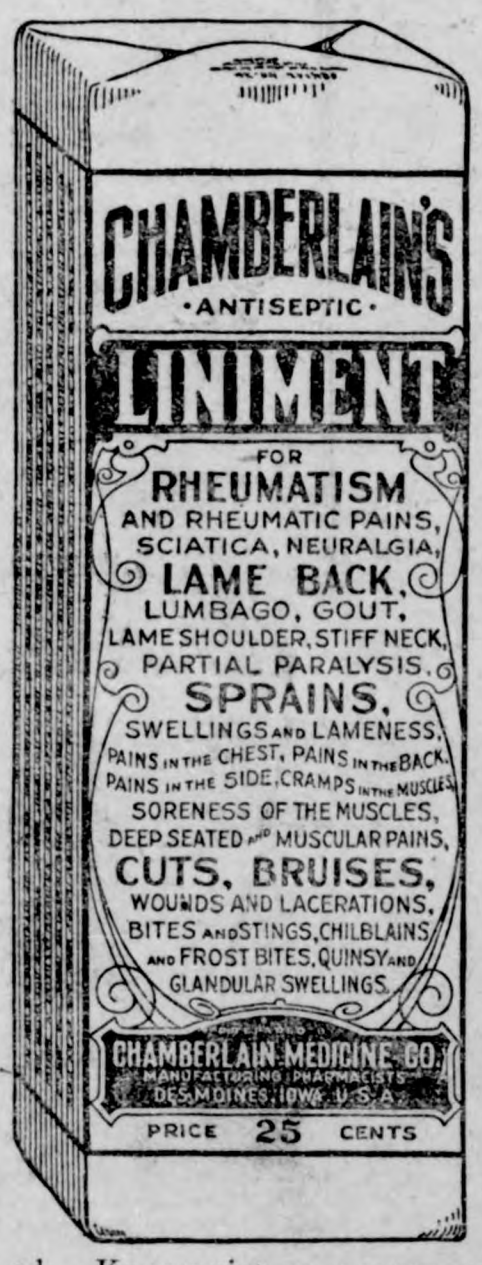

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John Peters lost a horse last Monday afternoon from heat.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, east of town, mourn the death of their baby, since last Friday.

The young people enjoyed a dance at the E. F. Courtney home on Friday night of last week.

A Minneapolis traction engine arrived on this morning's freight consigned to A. C. Brogan.

"Dick" Kenefick has the Jas. F. Courtney house enclosed and about ready for the plasterers. This will make a very pretty house when completed and one of the best in town.

The addition to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fischer is progressing under the direction of C. H. Halfpop.

C. J. Quandt, northwest of town, lost a cow last Saturday by lightning.

Word was received by the relatives here Monday morning of the death of Mrs. Wm. Wilson at their home near Steele, N. D. Her sister, Mrs. A. R Ulrick of Thornton departed on the night train for Steele to be in attendance at the funeral.

F. L. Lemke brought into our office the first of last week some alfalfa from a field which he was just making into hay. The stalks brought were 30 inches long and a field would represent lots of feed. He is well satisfied with the way this field has been producing and expects to seed more of his land to this crop.

Oliver McGee had his force of men hauling out large tile several days last week.

A Big Fish

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A Veteran Correspondent

Few among the thousands who enjoy the youthful vim and enthusiasm of Walter Wellman's special dispatches in The Chicago Record Herald are aware that with the present year Mr. Wellman will round out a quarter of a century as a Washington correspondent. The Record Herald always has been noted for the brilliance of its special correspondents, but Mr. Wellman's career reaches far back of the consolidation which gave the paper its present name.

Walter Wellman was born in Mentor, Ohio, in 1858. At the age of 14 he began his newspaper experience by founding a weekly paper in Sutton Neb. In the next dozen years he was laying the foundations for the success of later years. In 1884, when he was still a young man of 26, he was intrusted with the responsible post of Washington correspondent of the Chicago Herald, a position which, through all his polar quests and various changes in the paper itself, he has held with undiminished honor to the present day. In that quarter of a century he has won a national reputation as a magnetic and forceful writer, a shrewd political prophet, a genius at news-getting and a daring explorer.

In 1892 Mr. Wellman visited the West Indies for his paper and located the spot where Columbus landed, marking it with a stone monument. In 1894 he made his first dash for the pole, reaching the latitude of 81 degrees northeast of Spitzbergen. In 1898 he tried it again, penetrating as far as Franz Josef Land and mapping many island that had never before been explored. Two years ago he made a daring attempt to cross the arctic ice fields in an airship. Mr. Wellman has not yet reached the pole and perhaps he never will, but he has given abundant proof of his courage and perserverence. His chief laurels however, have been won by his years of splendid work as a Washington correspondent.

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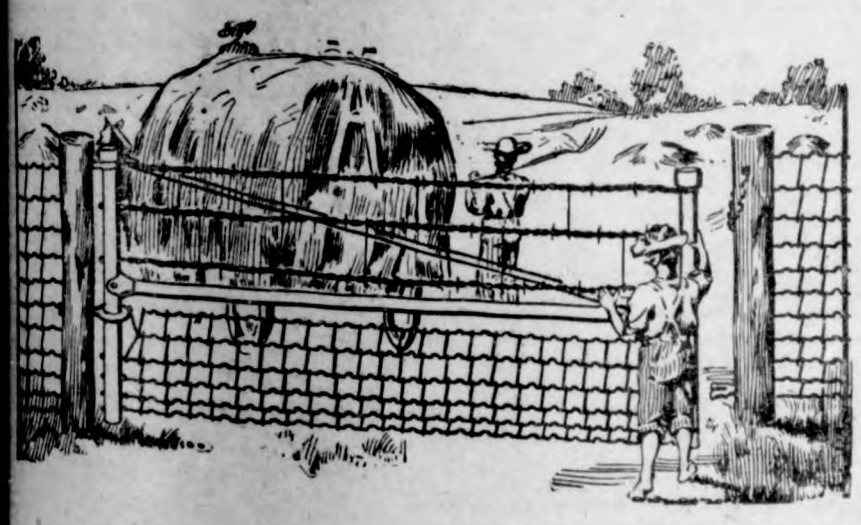

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A NARROW ESCAPE

Meservey Resident Injured at Hampton Celebration.

Charles Nannenga, of Meservey had a very narrow escape from death while at Hampton Saturday. While watching a train he was struck in the head by a freight car and knocked across the track. While the rest of the crowd were horror struck, expecting the man to be instantly cut in two, John Anderson of this place, grabbed him by the leg and pulled him clear of the wheels. The man was taken to the hospital and the wound in his head, which was a bad one, was dressed. Mr. Anderson heard yesterday that he was getting along all right.—Belmond Herald.

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BRITT

From the News:

Born on June 30, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. John Dimond, of Erin township, a son.

Florence Knee, of Colesburg, this state, is visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. A. W. Lee.

The school board has re-elected Chas. Minor janitor and Geo. Hammill Sr., fireman for the Britt public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Inman and daughter Blanche left this week for Laurens, this state, where they will make their home hereafter.

Word has been received from Christy Johansen that he has been assigned territory in Kansas and is now on the road for the Atlantic Refining Co.

The columns of the News are open for any one to explain why the county is out of funds at this time. We confess that we are unable to give the explanation.

The board of supervisors appropriated $150 to examine the affairs of the Corwith bank. Just why the county should pay such bills is hard for the tax payers to understand.

There were but very few Garner people in Britt on the 4th, but we noticed that the business men of the town agreed to close their places on Monday and go to Clear Lake. This was all right and they had a perfect right to do just as they pleased about the matter, only it seemed kind of funny, that's all.

A twenty-two and one-half pound pickerel was brought up from Clear Lake Tuesday to be mounted by J. A. Treganza, Britt's taxidermist. It will be the property of the Club house at Dodge's Point, Clear Lake. The fish measured forty-four inches from head to tail, and was nine inches across its head.

A Night Rider's Raid

The worst night riders are calomel, croton oil or aloes pills. They raid your bed to rob you of rest. Not so with Dr. King's New Life Pills. They never distress or inconvenience, but always cleanse the system, curing colds, headache, constipation, malaria 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

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About the quantity of reading matter furnished in the average Sunday newspaper there is no reason to complain—unless it be on the score of toomuchness— but the quality often leaves much to be desired. The only shining and unqualified exception to this rule is found in the unique Sunday Magazine of the Chicago Record-Herald. There is nothing else like it in the whole range of American journalism. It is a real magazine that is regularly issued as a part of the Sunday paper. It is filled with first class fiction, able articles, choice pictures and a wide range of good miscellany, all by popular or really famous authors and artists. When writers such as Conan Doyle, Anthony Hope, Jack London, Sewell Ford and Cyrus Townsend Brady are counted among the contributors to a Sunday paper its triumph can no longer be doubted.

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Sees Mother Grow Young

"It would be hard to overstate the wonderful change in my mother since she began to use Electric Bitters," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick of Danforth, Me. "Although past 70 she seems really to be growing young again. She suffered untold misery from dyspepsia for 20 years. At last she could neither eat, drink nor sleep. Doctors gave her up and all remedies failed till Electric Bitters worked such wonders for her health." They invigorate all vital organs, cure liver and Kidney troubles, induce sleep, impart strength and appetite. Only 50c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

GOODELL

From the Globe:

Ed Cashman is having his store building painted.

Ad Elder was a business visitor at Klemme Tuesday.

Mildred Zook, of Belmond was visiting at the Ad Elder home Tuesday.

Mrs. Deiger is entertaining friends from Chicago since last Thursday.

Caryl Church played with the Belmond band at the Clarion celebration last Saturday.

H. A. Sweigard, who is visiting at Garner, was calling on Goodell friends Tuesday.

Miss Cora Lawhorn, who has been visiting with friends here since Saturday, returned to Klemme Wednesday.

Eliza Cashman was called to Sheldon, Iowa, Thursday by the sickness of her niece, Miss Maude Cashman.

Earl Clark and W. H. Ahrenkiel were at Renwick Saturday, where they played with the Kanawha band.

Ad Elder and family left Thursday for Minnesota where they will spend a month visiting at the J. F. Elder home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cloon were called to Sabin, Minn., Thursday, by telegram announcing the sudden death of Mrs Cloon's mother.

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BIG CIRCUS AT MASON CITY

Barnum and Bailey to Exhibit There on Monday, July 19

The Barnum & Bailey greatest show on earth is to visit Mason City on Monday, July 19. Never since the beginning of time has an amusement enterprise so tremendous in size been organized as this one. Its magnitude is almost beyond belief. All America, together with every foreign country, has been scoured from end to end by agents of this big show in search of novelties and the result is a performance brim full of sensational acts new to the circus world. In the big Barnum & Bailey show are nearly 400 arenic stars, most of whom are seen now for the first time. A new sensation will be seen at every performance in "JUPITER, the balloon horse." This remarkable animal with its fearless rider ascends to the dome of the circus tent in a balloon and descends to the ground in a shower of fireworks. Nearly 1000 animal wonders are to be found in the big 108 cage menagerie. 8 herds of elephants, including one herd that actually plays upon musical instruments in time and tune. A group of giant giraffes, monster trained hippopotamus, only living bi-horned rhinoceros and hundreds of other strange beasts. Barnum & Bailey's new, big, free street parade is the most gorgeous processional display ever attempted in the history of circus business. Its tremendous size and wonderful length can only be believed in the actual seeing. It is natural to expect this big circus to lead all others in quality and quantity of its street spectacle as well as in other departments of the big show, yet never in its splendid history of nearly half a century has it displayed such extravagance as is shown this year.

THE KLEMME TIMES

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

One of the Republican senators who voted against the tariff bill said President Taft asked him to do it so as to strengthen his hand in the fight for revision downward.

The tariff bill reached the house from the senate and then was sent to conference where it may be completed in ten days.

President Taft in an address at Norwich, Conn., said he favored letting every man worship God as he chooses.

The senate passed the tariff bill by a vote of 45 to 34, ten Republicans voting against it and one Democrat for it.

Representative Rodenberg of Illinois introduced a bill in the house providing the death penalty for kidnaping in the District of Columbia.

PERSONAL.

John D. Rockefeller has given another $10,000,000 to the General Education board, making $42,000,000 in all he has contributed.

King Edward, Queen Alexandra and Princess Victoria were guests at a dinner given by Ambassador and Mrs. Reid at Dorchester house.

James Yadkin Joyner of North Carolina, was elected president of the National Educational assosiation at the Denver convention.

Gov. John Burke of North Dakota was elected president of the Missouri River Navigation congress.

John D. Rockefeller celebrated his seventieth birthday anniversary by playing golf.

Chairman Goethals of the canal commission has issued an economy edict for the isthmus. Use of carriages for officials is restricted.

Charles Richardson, secretary of the American legation at Copenhagen, has resigned and will return to the United States.

GENERAL NEWS.

Thomas L. Lewis and other mine workers' officials met in St. Louis in an attempt to prevent a strike of 32,000 men in Kansas.

John R. Early, who after being held in Washington for months suspected of being a leper, gave a reception in a New York hospital where, it is said, he is not suffering from the disease.

After several months of effort to see Premier Asquith the English suffragettes waylaid him near his home and he accepted a petition from them.

In the arrest of a man who claims to be Christian G. Johnson, the San Francisco police believe they have captured John Madson who has married and deserted ten women and robbed many others in all parts of the United States.

President Taft, who will start on his western trip September 15, has telegraphed President Diaz of Mexico asking for a meeting at El Paso, Tex.

New letters of a spicy nature written by women to Col. Snell whose will is being attacked in court at Clinton, Ill., have been found, but, under the supreme court's ruling, cannot be introduced in evidence.

Glass bottle blowers in convention at Milwaukee went on record as being against prohibition.

Edward N. Detzer, teller, arrested for stealing $8,000 from the First National bank at Fort Wayne, Ind., said he took the money to maintain his wife in a high social position.

Following the murder of her husband who had killed another man and the slaying of a third man in her own home, Mrs. Fred Mohrle of St. Louis attempted suicide by shooting herself.

After nearly 200 years the first statue of Bienville, founder of New Orleans, is to be placed in one of the public squares of that city.

The Blackwell Lumber Company of Spokane has bought 30,000 acres of timber land in northern Idaho from the Menasha Woodenware Company for $2,250,000.

International regulation of aerial navigation and wireless telegraphy will be discussed at the fourth Pan-American conference in Buenos Ayres, July 9, 1910, according to present plans.

Thomas Taggart, former chairman of the Democratic national committee, denied on the witness stand that he knew Ella Gingles or was in any way connected with a plot to take her to French Lick, Ind., where he owns a hotel.

Miss May Golde was drowned near Granite City, Ill., by the upsetting of a launch. The other occupants, T. C. Miller and Miss Cecelia Golde, a sister of the drowned girl, were rescued.

Cablegrams from Vienna say a citizen of Washington has offered to tell the Turkish government where Abdul Hamid, the deposed sultan of Turkey, has large sums of money on deposit in the United States.

President Taft, who for three days participated in the tercentenary celebration of the discovery of Lake Champlain, returned to Washington.

John Smith, a burglar, who with Carlo Giro broke into the home of George Staber at Flatbush, L. I., and killed Mrs. Staber, was captured and confessed to the New York police.

Violent earthquake shocks, which are believed to have had their vortex in Central Asia, were recorded by seismographs in all parts of the world.

Home Secretary Gladstone of England received a delegation of suffragettes and expressed sympathy for their cause.

Terry McGovern, former featherweight champion of the world, was sent to a hospital where he will be examined for his sanity.

M. Caillaux, minister of finance of France, was slapped by Charles Bos, a former deputy and one of those bloodless duels for which France is famous may be the result.

Mrs. Lida Griswold, librarian, was slain in the public library of Eaton, O., by Henry Rife, who attempted suicide.

In a local option election at Bristol, Va., the "wets" were victorious by 38 votes.

The United Society of Christian Endeavor voted to hold its convention next year in Atlantic City.

A $5,000 stallion owned by Clarence H. Mackay was trying to shake a fly off his neck at the Mackay estate on Long island, when he fell and broke his neck.

Sergt. Robert Johnson of the artillery, who was wounded in the fight on Jolo island in the Philippines, in which the bandit, Jikiri, and his band were exterminated, died.

Deportations of 150 aliens were ordered by the immigration authorities at New York, breaking all records.

Philip Lemmel, weighing 270 pounds, ate ten pounds of beefsteak in a contest at a New York outing with Max Meyers, who ate 8¾ pounds.

Eminent churchmen from most of the larger cities of the country gathered in Boston to attend the sixth annual meeting of the Catholic Educational association over which Rev. D. J. O'Donnell, D. D., presided and in which Archbishop O'Connell of Boston participated.

Attorney General Wickersham, speaking before the Kentucky Bar association at Paducah, said congress should pass a law providing for nationally created corporations.

President Taft in a speech at Plattsburg, N. Y., declared tolerance in religion is fast increasing in this country.

Richard Hyland, a motorman on the Louisville & Indianapolis traction line, forgot his orders and five persons were injured in the colision that followed at Holman, Ind.

Anna Spangler, four years old, daughter of a wealthy farmer at Sun Prairie, Wis., who was believed to have been kidnaped, was found four miles from home, having wandered away.

At least six persons were drowned, one train was wrecked and several others were held up by floods in Missouri and Kansas.

Hundreds of shareholders of the Minnesota Grain Indemnity Company stormed its offices in Minneapolis when S. R. Norris, the manager, was reported missing.

King Peter of Servia, having fainted from excessive smoking, fell from a horse and was painfully injured.

The Wabash Railroad Company, under a decision of the United States court of appeals, must pay to the widow of James Compton $900,000 for bonds bought by her husband in 1870. The case had been in the courts 33 years.

Theodore Roosevelt killed a lion as the beast was charging at him. He also has added two other lions and four rhinoceroses to his list.

Harry Bands, a Pittsburg policeman, is in a serious condition as a result of being stabbed with a hatpin by a negress.

Thirteen teachers in the New York public school obtained marriage licenses on the first official day of the summer vacation.

Progress in the fight against tuberculosis in America was reported to the International Tuberculosis conference in Stockholm in a paper by Nathan Straus of New York.

A duel was fought between Col. Orestes Ferrera, president of the Cuban house of representatives and Senor Monleon, a representative. Rapiers were used and both received slight injuries.

THOUSANDS OF ELKS

Fully 75,000 Visitors Invade Los Angeles

GREAT HERD MAKES MERRY

Grand Exalted Ruler Holland and Grand Secretary Robinson Reach California on Delayed Trains.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 12.—To the music of a score of bands and arrayed in the uniforms of the various drill corps of the many Elks lodges gathered here, thousands of the antlered guests of the city paraded the downtown streets of the city and made merry.

Special trains from various sections of the country arrived early, among the first being the train bearing Grand Exalted Ruler Rush L. Holland and Grand Secretary Fred C. Robinson, which had been delayed by heavy rains in the middle west. Others included the "Cotton States" special and trains from Michigan, Illinois, New Jersey, Arkansas and Texas.

At the registration headquarters there were upwards of 15,000 registrations recorded during the day.

Twelve special trains are scheduled to arrive which will swell the list to fully 30,000, and with these will be added trains from Pacific coast cities who will come by boat. It is expected that fully 75,000 visitors will be in the city.

One thousand automobiles are to be provided for the guests and a sightseeing tour of the city and the nearby places of attraction will be made.

TWO ARE KILLED IN WRECK

Coupling on Passing Freight Car Causes Car to Jam Into Special Horse Car.

Chicago, July 12.—Two men were killed, one man was seriously injured and thirteen blooded trotting and pacing horses owned by W. B. Taylor, and on their way to the Illinois valley circuit meet at Aurora, Ill., were bruised and "fouled" in a freight wreck on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad near Plano, Ill.

Alice Early, a famous trotter, is one of the horses injured.

The men killed were:

Daniel Stevens of Sedalia, horse owner and trainer.

Ray Ensign of Nevada, Mo., trainer.

Frank English of Nevada, Mo., was crushed, and is in a serious condition at an Aurora hospital.

The freight train carrying the horses and their keepers was coming east from Peoria. As it was passing a westbound freight train near Plano a coupling pin on the westbound train gave way and one of the cars jumped the track and crashed into the horse car. None of the horses will be fit to race for nearly a month.

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Big Floods Tie Up Traveling Public.

Kansas City, Mo., July 12.—With hundreds of travelers detained in Kansas awaiting the movement of their trains which have been delayed because of washouts due to the heavy floods prevalent in Missouri and Kansas, the railroad situation has become serious. All trains west were from one to ten hours late, while it was merely conjecture as to the arrival time of Chicago trains detoured by way of St. Louis.

Two Are Killed Outright.

Bayliss, Colo., July 12.—Nineteen persons riding a handcar and an attached pushcar collided on a curve in Platte canon on the Colorado & Southern railroad with a freight train. Two persons were killed, two perhaps fatally injured and eleven seriously hurt.

STOPPED HER SONG OF JOY.

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"Indeed not."

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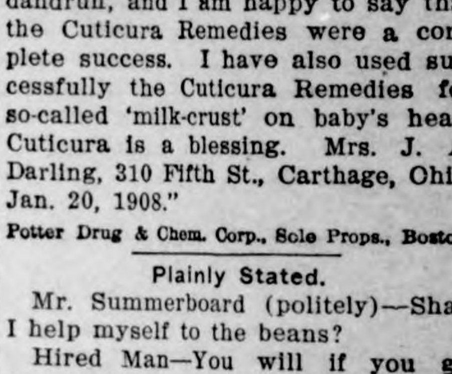

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Hundred and Sixty-Six Additional Statutes.

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opsis of Fish and Game and Other New Laws—Cosson Removal Acts and Saloon Laws of Great Importance.

es Moines—Iowans are now ged about by 166 new laws. Last ter the legislature enacted 236 eral laws, six special and 43 lizing acts, making a total of 304 measures to be added to the ute books. Of the 236 general laws, went into effect as soon as lished, and the remaining 166 me effective July 4.

Fish and Game Laws.

ection 2539, of Chapter 15, of the e, provides that there is hereby ted the office of State fish and e warden. The warden shall be ointed by the Governor, and holds office for three years from the day of April of the year of his ointment. He shall receive a sal- of twelve hundred dollars annual- together with his necessary travel- contingent and office expenses, to aid out of the State treasury. He ll have charge and management of State fish hatcheries, which shall used in stocking the waters of the te with fish native to the country to the extent and means provided the State. He shall impartially equitably distribute all fry raised or furnished to the State, or for it ough other sources, in the streams lakes of the State; shall faithfully impartially enforce obedience of provisions of this chapter, and ll make a biennial report to the ernor of his doings together with information upon the subject of culture of fish and the protection game in the country as he may k proper, accompanied with an ized statement monthly to the cutive council under oath of all eys expended and for what pur- e, and of the number and varieties sh distributed, and in what waters. hall be the duty of the fish and e warden, sheriffs, constables and ce officers of this State to seize take possession of any fish, birds, animals which have been caught, n or killed at a time, in a man- , or for a purpose, or had in pos- ion or under control, or have been pped contrary to the provisions of chapter. Such seizure may be e without a warrant. Any court ing jurisdiction of the offense, n receiving proof of probable e for believing in the concealment ny fish, birds or animals, caught, n, killed, had in possession, under trol, or shipped contrary to any of provisions of this chapter, shall e a search warrant and cause a rch to be made in any place there- Any fish, birds, or animals so d shall be sold for the purpose of ing the costs in the case, and the unt, if any, in excess of the costs ll be turned into the school fund the county in which the seizure is e. Any net, seine, trap, contriv- e, material and substance what- r, while in use or had and main- ed for the purpose of catching, ng, killing, trapping or deceiving fish, birds, or animals contrary ny of the provisions of this pter is hereby declared to be, and a public nuisance, and it shall be duty of the fish and game warden, riffs, constables and police officers the State, without warrant or pro- , to take or seize any and all the e, and abate and destroy any and of the same, without warrant or cess, and no liability shall be in- ed to the owner or any other per- for such seizure and destruction. said warden or his regularly con- ted deputies or other peace of- rs as hereinbefore named shall be ased from all liability to any per- or persons whomsoever for any done or committed or property ed or destroyed under or by virtue this section.

ec. 2540, provides that between the day of October and April 15, no shall take from the waters of the e any salmon or trout, nor be- en the fifteenth day of November the fifteenth day of May any , pike, croppies, pickeral (pick-), catfish or other game fish, nor ll any one person take of said fish m the waters of the State in any day more than forty (40) of any ll of said kinds of fish, of which l number not more than twenty ll be bass, pike or pickeral. It t be unlawful for any person, firm corporation to offer for transporta- or to transport to any place hin or without this state for pur- es of sale, any game fish taken from the inland waters of the state. Any person, firm or corporation desiring the shipment or transportation of any game fish, shall deliver to the common carrier, express or transportation company a statement under oath in duplicate, setting forth the name of the shipper, the person to whom the package is shipped, the residence of both, the kind and number of fish contained in such package, and that the fish contained in such package are not being shipped for the purpose of sale or market, and one copy thereof shall be retained by the common carrier, express or transportation company receiving such shipment for the period of twelve months thereafter and the other copy thereof shall be attached in a secure manner to such package. Any agent of any common carrier, express or transportation company receiving such shipment is hereby authorized to administer to such shipper the oath contemplated in the last preceding paragraph. Any shipment made in violation of the provisions of this act may be seized, confiscated and sold by any game warden in this state at private or public sale; the proceeds thereof to be turned into the fish and game protection fund, or such shipment may be by such warden destroyed. Nor shall anyone fish for or by any means catch any fish in any stream, which has been stocked with breeding trout, one or two years old, within one year from the date of the stocking thereof, if notice of such fact is by the authority of the warden posted where a public road crosses such stream; nor shall any one at any time take from the waters of the State any fish, except minnows for bait, unless by hook and line; but any person may between the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November, use not more than one trot line in streams only, and extending not more than half way across; nor shall anyone place, erect or cause to be placed or erected, any trot line, seine, net, trap, dam or other device or contrivance in the water in such manner as to hinder or obstruct the free passage of fish, up, down, or through the same for the purpose of catching them, except as provided in the next section; nor have, erect or use, while fishing on or through the ice, any house, shed or other protection against the weather, or have or use any stove or other means for creating artificial heat. The possession of a spear, trap, net, or seine in or upon any of the public waters of the State or upon the ice of the same, or on the shore within a limit of ten rods, or the taking or killing or attempting to take or kill any fish by any means other than by rod, line, hook and bait within three hundred (300) feet of a fish way shall be unlawful. No person shall at any time kill, destroy, have in possession or under control for any purpose whatever any bass, catfish, wall-eyed pike, crappies, or trout less than six (6) inches in length except for the purpose of returning the same to the water from which they were taken, as soon as they are taken therefrom with as little injury to the fish as possible.

Sec. 2540-A declares that placing explosives in the public waters in the state is unlawful, and provides a fine of from $50 to $100, or imprisonment of not less than 15 nor more than 30 days.

Sec. 2541 provides that a three-eighth inch mesh seine, not over five yards in length, may be used in taking minnows for bait.

Sec. 2542 provides that no person shall use more than two lines, with one hook upon each line, in still fishing, or otherwise, except that a trot line as above provided, or in trolling a spoon composed of three hooks fastened together may be used.

Sec. 2543 provides that no person shall knowingly buy or sell or have in possession for sale or transportation, or other purpose, any fish unlawfully taken.

Sec. 2544 provides that any person convicted of violating sections 2540, 2541, 2542 or 2543, may be fined not less than $5 nor more than $50, and cost of prosecution for each offense, or be imprisoned not less than one nor more than 30 days.

Sec. 2545 provides that owners of private waters may take fish therefrom as they see fit.

Sec. 2546 provides that the warden may take from the public waters of the state for propagation or other purposes, and that he may issue permits to take from certain lakes certain fish.

Sec. 2547 provides that fishing with hook and line does not require a license; requires license for use of seines or nets; defines nets and seines that will be licensed; requires a $200 bond; provides that licenses expire on 1st of March following issuance, and that metal tag must be fastened on each seine and net; that license funds are to be used for maintenance of fish and game department and for preservation of food fishes; fish and size of fish that can be taken under license; that food fishes must not be taken and destroyed, and that any person found guilty may be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not more than 30 days or fined not more than $100.

Sec. 2548 provides that all dams must have fish ways.

Sec. 2549 defines rights of citizens to condemn property for fish dams in lakes situated in any city or town.

Sec. 2550 provides a penalty of not less than $100 nor more than $500, or imprisonment for destroying any dam erected in any city or town.

Sec. 2551 provides that no person shall trap, shoot or kill any pinnated grouse or prairie chicken between December 1st and September 1st, next following; any woodcock between January 1st and July 10th; any ruffed grouse or pheasant, wild turkey or quail between December 15th and November 1st; any wild duck, goose or brant, rail, plover, sand piper and marsh or beach bird, between April 15th and September 1st; and any gray or fox squrrel, or timber squirrel between January 1st and September 1st. Provides that killing quail on public highways, or killing game birds or animals with unlawful devices, or shooting between sunset and sunrise is unlawful, and provides a penalty of $25 to $100, or imprisonment.

Sec. 2551 makes it unlawful for any person, except the owner, to kill, maim or trap deer, elk or goat.

Sec. 2552 makes it unlawful to kill for traffic birds, animals or game; limits 25 game birds or animals in any one day; makes it unlawful to have in possession more than 25 of said named birds or animals, except ducks; and declares it unlawful to destroy eggs or nests.

Sec. 2553 declares trapping of beaver, mink, otter or muskrat unlawful between April 1st and November 1st.

Sec. 2554 makes it unlawful to sell, dead or alive, game or animals, and declares possession unlawful five days after closed season.

Sec. 2555 provides that no person, company or corporation shall at any time, ship, take or carry out of the state any of the birds or animals named in this chapter; and that no person shall at any time ship to any person within the state any birds or animals named, except that not to exceed one dozen in any one day, during the open season, may be made by making an affidavit, and fixes penalty for violation.

Sec. 2556 provides a penalty of $10 for using any device to kill, trap, ensnare, buy, sell, ship or have in his possession or ship any birds or animals, or destroy any eggs or nests, unlawfully.

Sec. 2557 prohibits transportation companies from receiving fish, birds or animals for shipment, during the period limited, under penalty of from $100 to $300, and imprisonment.

Sec. 2558 defines what guns may be used.

Sec. 2559 tells how prosecutions may be made, and that the attorney general shall give opinions.

Sec. 2560 declares that hunting on cultivated or enclosed land is trespass.

Sec. 2561 provides for the protection of non-game birds; prohibits destroying of eggs and nests of wild birds, and prohibits shipment, except under certain conditions; tells how permits may be issued for scientific purposes only; names the English, or European house sparrow, great horned owl, sharp skinned hawk, Cooper's hawk and blackbirds and crows as birds that are not protected. A fine of $5 and imprisonment is fixed for violating any of the provisions of this section.

Sec. 2562 provides that the fish and game warden may appoint deputies and fixes their compensation at $2.50 per diem and actual expenses; that they shall have power to serve and execute warrants, and can call on the sheriff and other officers, and requires deputies to give bond.

Hunters' License Law.

The resident and non-resident license law provides that no person shall hunt, pursue, kill or take, any wild animal, bird or game in Iowa with a gun, without first procuring a license, and that minors must have consent of parents or guardians.

Wardens shall furnish applications and licenses to county auditors, who shall issue licenses after applications have been sworn to, on payment of $1 by residents and $10 by non-residents. A non-resident can take only 25 game birds or animals from the state.

The license funds shall be used to pay expenses of the warden and his deputies and for gathering and distributing fish in the public waters, and for the care and preservation of the lakes of the state.

County auditors are required to keep a record of licenses issued; hunters must have license in possession while hunting and provides for revocation of license; states that owners and tenants of farm lands shall have the right, without securing a license, to hunt and kill wild animals, birds or game, upon lands owned or occupied by them. A penalty of $25 to $50 is fixed for violation.

Under Sec. 2563-I it is declared unlawful to use any live bird for the purpose of a target, under penalty of from $10 to $100, or imprisonment for not more than 30 days.

Sec. 2563-U protects pheasants until October 1, 1915, and fixes penalty for violation of fine not exceeding $100 or imprisonment.

Lacey Federal Bird Law.

The Lacey bird law provides that the duties and powers of the department of agriculture are thereby enlarged so as to include the preservation, distribution, introduction and restoration of game birds and other wild birds.

The secretary of agriculture is authorized to adopt such measures as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of the act and to purchase such game birds, and other wild birds as may be required therefor, subject, however, to the laws of the various states and territories.

The object and purpose of the act is to aid in the restoration of such bird in parts of the United States adapted thereto, where the same have became scarce or extinct, and to regulate the introduction of American or foreign birds or animals in localities where they have not heretofore existed.

OTHER NEW LAWS.

Chapter 10 changes the time of holding district courts; provisions are made for providing tabular statements by the secretary of state.

Chapter 11 provides the assignment of judges in certain districts by the chief justice.

Chapter 12 changes the compensation and raises the pay of shorthand reporters from $6 to $8.

Chapter 13 gives superior court concurrent jurisdiction with the district court and the probation officer of the district court shall act as the probation officer of the superior court.

Chapter 14 defines contributory dependency, provides for habitual drunkards and the penalty of enticing away children.

Chapter 16 limits the compensation of deputy clerks to $8,000 in counties having a population exceeding 65,000.

Chapter 17 definitely states duties of the county attorney and repeals previous code section on same subject.

Chapter 20 has jury lists made biennially.

Chapter 23 gives juries summoned on special venire $2.50 and for each mile traveled from his residence to the place of trial, 10 cents.

Chapter 24 states that attorneys are not acceptable as sureties.

Chapter 26 changes the name poor house to county home.

Chapter 34 states specifically the duties of the sheriff and his deputy, outlining and requiring close investigation of crime.

Chapter 51 makes it necessary after October 1, 1909, for all motor cars to be provided with a transparent shield to afford protection to motormen and passengers on platform.

Chapter 52 states that all street cars of over 37 feet or weighing over 35,000 pounds shall have power brakes other than hand brakes capable of bringing the car to a stop.

Chapter 55 abolishes township park districts.

Chapter 61 authorizes the giving of pensions to disabled and retired firemen and the widows and children and the dependant fathers and mothers of deceased firemen in corporate towns and special charter cities having organized fire departments.

Chapter 62 authorizes the giving of pensions to disabled and retired policemen.

Chapter 67 grants additional powers to cities organized under the commission plan of government.

Chapter 69 makes provisions for primary elections, including the compensation of judges and clerks, time of opening polls, certification of nomination to the county auditor, form of ballot, publishing of proceedings, filling of vacancies, of holding county conventions, district conventions and state conventions.

Chapter 95 promotes the building of permanent roads in the state.

Chapter 96 provides for the destruction of weeds.

Chapter 136 allows a bounty of 25 cents for each ground hog killed within the county.

Chapter 137 gives a bounty of 50 cents for each rattlesnake killed.

Chapter 139 changes the form of request blanks for the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Chapter 141 prohibits the drinking of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, and the use of profane language on any passenger railway car or street car, making the offense a misdemeanor.

Chapter 142 limits the number of persons to whom city or town councils may grant consent to sell intoxicating liquors.

Chapter 143 prohibits any person except a qualified elector from engaging in the sale of intoxicating liquors at retail.

Chapter 145 makes it necessary that employers furnish an authenticated birth record of any children employed in their establishment.

Chapter 149 makes it the duty of all persons and companies operating any vessel propelled by machinery or through the medium of sails to carry a light during certain hours.

Chapter 151 provides for the establishment of a laboratory for the manufacture of hog cholera serum at or near Des Moines under the supervision of the state veterinary surgeon.

Chapter 163 provides for a register in which shall be recorded the date of cocaine sales.

Chapter 167 defines and regulates the practice of optometry and for creation of a board of examiners in optometry.

Chapter 168 relates to hotels, inns and public lodging houses and prescribes rules so as to insure the safety and health of employes and patrons of the same, and provides for inspection thereof.

Chapter 169 is an act to prevent disease among bees and provides for inspection thereof.

Chapter 171 changes the name of the Iowa State Normal school to State Teachers' college.

Chapter 173 provides for feeble minded men at Glenwood.

Chapter 175 provides for the education of deaf and blind children at the school for the deaf and the college for the blind.

Chapter 185 prohibits secret fraternities and societies in the public schools.

Chapter 213 is an act to enjoin and abate houses of prostitution, to declare the same to be a nuisance and to assess a tax against the person maintaining such nuisance and against the building and owner thereof.

Chapter 220 provides that all doors shall open outward in buildings of public nature.

Chapter 223 authorizes the seizure of cigaretts and cigarette papers, the apprehension of the occupant of the place or building in or upon which the same were sold or kept and provides for the levy of a tax.

Chapter 252 makes an appropriation for the removal of the remains of ex-Governor Ansel Briggs from Omaha, Neb., to Andrew, Jackson, county, Ia., and for the location of a monument in the cemetery at that place.

Chapter 260 makes an appropriation for the Freemen's Institute of Pocahontas, county, Iowa

Chapter 267 is an act to grant and relinquish to the city of Dubuque, the title of the State of Iowa in or to the abandoned river bed of the Mississippi river.

HENDERSON TRIAL AUG. 4TH

Marengo Mayor Has Recovered Enough to Justify Attorneys in Setting Day for Hearing.

August 4 is the date set for the hearing of Mayor A. M. Henderson of Marengo, the mayor against whom charges of drunkenness, etc., were filed under the new law to depose him from office.

Mayor Henderson was severely injured by the falling of a pulley, which hit him on the head, fracturing the skull. This delayed the setting of the time of the trial.

Henderson is reported to be much improved, and this makes possible the holding of the trial before District Judge Byron W. Preston at Oskaloosa within a month.

Recently the Marengo mayor filed an answer to the charges filed in May. He alleged that the law was unconstitutional in that it did not give a trial by jury; that he drank, but was not an habitual drunkard; that he was elected to office by people that knew he drank, etc. County Attorney W. J. Kirby of Williamsburg, Iowa county will prosecute the case.

Voted to Make Iowa a State.

The last of the few old settlers of Polk county who voted for the constitutional amendment of 1846 for the admission of Iowa into the union, passed away in the death of Montgomery McCall at Ames. Mr. McCall lived to the ripe old age of 91 and has seen Iowa and Polk county transformed from a wilderness to its present magnitude. During the greater part of his life he was engaged in the practice of law in Camp township. For some time he has lived with his son, John McCall at Ames. The body was buried in Stuart cemetery, near the old home.

Cushman was Native Iowan.

Representative Cushman of Washington, deceased, was formerly of Iowa. He was born in Brighton, in Washington county, was educated at the high school at Brighton and at Pleasant Plain academy of Jefferson county. He assisted himself in securing an education by working as waterboy on a railroad near his home and later as section hand. He left Iowa at the age of sixteen and went west. Had he lived he would have been senator from Washington to succeed Piles.

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A True Man

In speaking thus we have reference to Hon. Thomas P. Gore, democratic senator from Oklahoma, who, though he is blind, is able to see a great deal better as to the needs of the people than many of his brother senators whose vision may not be impaired in the least. We here print a few remarks made by Senator Gore in the Senate on June 18th in regard to the tariff on pulp and print paper. We only wish time and space might permit us to print the whole speech, but the following are only a few of his opening remarks:

"The senator from New Hampshire this morning registered his protest against the reduction of the duty on print paper from $6 per ton, as it now stands in the Dingley Act, to $4 a ton, as proposed by the pending amendment brought in by the finance committee. I desire now to register my protest against the increase of the duty on print paper from $2 per ton, as proposed in the House bill, to $4 per ton, as proposed in the pending amendment.

"It seems to me, Mr. President, that this is one question which ought to rise above the ordinary considerations that determine either partisan or political issues. It seems to me that this is one question upon which Democrats and Republicans could alike agree and unite for the purpose of promoting so vast and so beneficent an industry as the publication of newspapers, magazines, and other periodicals in this country.

"It has already been suggested that the Democratic platform adopted at Denver declared in favor of placing wood pulp and print paper upon the free list. I may be pardoned for saying that platform promises have a strong and binding force with me. I might almost say that they impose a sacred obligation upon me. I shall not now discuss the academic question as to whether or not circumstances might in certain cases remit that obligation; but, Mr. President, I do desire to say that I favor free wood pulp and free print paper, not because the Denver platform declared in favor of those propositions, but I favor placing these articles on the free list because, sir, that action is right. and because it is founded on just principles and sustained by sound and wise policy

"The late President of the United States, Mr. Roosevelt, in his annual message in 1907, recommended to Congress that wood pulp and print paper be placed upon the free list. The imputation cast at certain senators that this proposal commits them to free trade assuredly cannot be hurled at the recent republican President

"The senator from New Hampshire this morning, with tears in his voice, expatiated upon the distressful condition which this proposition would bring upon the laboring men in the state of New Hampshire. He painted in vivid and lurid colors the poverty and distress which would overcome them. It can not be said that President Roose was in favor of remanding th laborers to a condition of po ty, to a condition of squalor, a condition of misery I le that issue to be settled betw the Senator from New Ha shire and the ex-President; I will allow their friends and newspapers to determine wh is the better Republican,

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OCAL NEWS

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finest line of candies in at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

sses fitted. Eyes tested Dr. Missman. 47-4

llace Pavey visited a few ast week at Forest City.

z. Wenz left Tuesday for tended visit with his sister ives at Britt.

you have poultry to sell. the prices Ell Bros are ng in their ad this week.

Dain Hay Loaders are g like hot cakes. They ndies. See H. Lau & Son.

W. Kluckhohn has been ating around near Corwith Kanawha the past few s.

brand new bouncing baby ook up its residence at the of Mr. and Mrs. L. Wes- n Monday, July 12th.

en in Garner, stop at the r House. Everything ughly cleaned and satis- y service guaranteed. tf

s. John Braund and child- f DeSoto, Wis., have been g here at the home of her ts, Mr. and Mrs. H. Freie.

item we missed last week he visit at Buffalo Center hn Baumgartner and fam- ho spent the 5th and 6th with relatives.

e Klemme Hotel and the wood restaurant have each p neat new signs this week the artistic brush of C. C. ow, and they sure are ies.

s. A. L. Spooner, of Lu e, Iowa, visited here a few last week with relatives ld-time friends. She says like their new home and oing well.

o. Schaefer was a visitor at nd, Grundy county, last at the home of his broth- law. He also visited with enken at Stout, Iowa. He rts the corn in Grundy ty as, on the average, about same as in this locality, e the oats crop farther south much better than here.

very heavy wind and rain n struck this locality last y night. The rain fell in ular deluge for an hour or od the wind laid the corn other growing vegetation almost flat on the ground aces. A similar storm, but furious and of shorter dura gave us another touch of her Sunday evening. Guess have to stoop over to pick roasting ears. The hot her has made the corn grow the potato bug crop is fine. gs are plentiful and they say ng is good. Come to Iowa.

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ing obliged to take it for I will sell it out cheap;
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W. R. Bloom shipped a car of hogs yesterday.

Charles City beat Belmond at Garner yesterday forenoon, 5 to 2.

Klemme sent a large delegation to the Garner ball tournament yesterday.

For a chunk of good cold ice call at Bloom's elevator or on G. R. Waterman. 44tf

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

J. F. Howell, of Rowan and H. A. Priebe, of Edgerly, N. D., registered at the Klemme Hotel last Thursday.

A. F. Church and wife, A. R. White and wife and Miss Lizzie Elder visited at the Thos. Elder home Sunday.

Chas. Behrens and family drove down from Garner Sunday and visited with Klemme friends and relatives.

E. J. Arnold took out a new McCormick binder yesterday and in the afternoon started cutting his barley crop.

August Wenz, the popular clerk in Arthur Wellemeyer's store, has been quite sick the past week, but is now on the mend.

Mrs. Nissen left Saturday for Garner where she is assisting in the Garner House this week during the base ball tournament.

At the Garner base ball tournament Tuesday, Humboldt won from Belmond by a score of 1 to 0, and Algona beat Charles City 4 to 2.

M. I. Parker returned to Klemme last week after spending his vacation at the home of his parents in Kansas, and he now takes to his work as assistant cashier of the First National Bank like a duck takes to water.

J. N. Day was calling on his Klemme friends last Friday evening, He was on his way to his home at Buffalo Center from Pocahontas, where he has had charge of the Northern Lumber Co. yards for about four weeks. John is agent for this Company at Buffalo Center and likes the place.

L. A. Turgason, who has been agent for the Rock Island in Klemme for several years, left last week for Swea City, where we understand he will assume charge as agent for the same company. Louie has made a host of friends here who regret his departure. but wish him success in his new location. Mr. J. H. Maher now has charge of this station.

A little daughter of George Griggs had a narrow escape from being run down by a train in the Klemme yards yesterday forenoon, and the presence of mind of S. K. Langsdale, Division Agent for the Rock Island, probably saved her from a serious injury. The little girl ran ahead of her mother to the depot and did not see a special freight which was going north at a good rate of speed. She was on the track and the train was nearly onto her when Mr. Langsdale reached out and pulled her off the track. He had gone out onto the platform while the train passed and just happened to be in the right place at the right time. It was an act of no little risk for Mr. Langsdale and his prompt and efficient action is to be most highly commended.

Lawrence Larson, M. I. Parker, John Baumgartner, Nick Ell and Fred Henschen "autoed" to Garner Tuesday.

H. C. Lau shipped three cars of hogs this week.

Ice cream sodas. sundaes, and all kinds of cool refreshing drinks at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

Ernest Wellemeyer arrived here from Charles City Tuesday evening and is helping his brother Arthur, in the re-arrangement of shelves and counters in his store.

We understand that Miss Vera Duffey. of Garner is to be married this week at the home of her aunt in Des Moines, to Mr. Joseph Kincaid, of Tacoma, Washington. Miss Vera's many friends in and around Klemme may be surprised at this news, but all will wish her much joy. They will make their home at Tacoma.

German M. E. Church Items

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Griewe were Germantown callers on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Dittman of Davenport is visiting with her cousin Mrs. Chas. Stiehl.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Germantown met last Thursday with Mrs. Aug. Stille.

Mrs. Chas. Busche and children Edna Schuldt and Mr. and Mrs. Aug Lau were Garner visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl Schuldt, of Garner, spent the first of the week in Klemme the guest of the Henry Griewe family.

Sarah, Mary and Ida Ludeke attended services in Germantown last Sunday and visited with their sisters.

Grace Josten came down from Garner last week to spend a few days with her cousins, Lydia and Edna Schuldt.

Amanda Arnold and Mary Griffen returned Saturday evening from their extended trip, covering nearly a month.

Geo. Schaefer made a trip to Holland, Iowa, last week and called on his brother in-law. L G. Benken and family.

A number of young people, remembering that last Saturday was the birthday of Luvina Ulrich, gave her a surprise in the evening.

Mrs. Wm. Miller, of Colesburg, Iowa, spent a few days with her brothers, William and Louis Sampson and their families, returning Monday morning.

Aug. Wenz has been quite sick since the middle of last week. He has not been himself for some time, nevertheless he stuck to business until he was compelled to give up. He is able to be up and around a little at this writing.

Mrs. Wessel and Clara Griewe each gave a dinner last Sunday to which they had invited the members of their Sunday School class. The former has a class of young men and those present were Elmer Arnold, Emil Bettien. John Griewe, Henry Ludeke, Elmer Ludeke, Hugo Neff, Leonard Sampson, Emil Sampson, Fred Sampson, August Schuldt and Dr. Edgar Zinn. Clara Griewe teaches a class of little boys and girls and those present were Viola Sampson, Deloras Koerner, Erwin Lau, Walter Ridder, Alberta Yahnke, Freddie Arnold, Elmer Larsen, Earl Josten, Opal Griewe, Mable Larsen and Andrew Wellemeyer. We truly believe that all enjoyed and appreciated these gatherings, especially the little folks. To cap the climax of delight, Lawrence Larson came along with his new auto and gave the latter class a ride—the former not being quite so fortunate.

Carl Wellemeyer, wife and baby, stopped over long enough after the funeral of Rev. Wellemeyer to make a number of short calls in Germantown and Klemme. All were glad to see them. They have a large circle of friends in this community where they may always expect a hearty welcome.

We are sorry to report that Grandma Gruetzmacher has not made any improvement since last week. Gangrene has developed in her lower limbs and she is suffering intense pain. Humanly speaking, her case is hopeless and it is only a question of time. All that loving hands can do for her is being done and she bears her suffering patiently and resigned to the Divine will.

ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Miss Ruth Bonar of Forest City is visiting in this vicinity.

John Grove left last week for a visit with his brother in Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young of Garner were calllers here last Friday.

Mrs. Braund and Mrs. Freie visited at Joe Lawhorn's one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Josten entertained a party of young people Friday evening.

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Chris Hanson and Son have rented Dr. Zinn's 400 acre farm.

John Hall, a carpenter working for Scott Bowen who is putting up the new buildings on the Aug. Barz farm, was taken suddenly ill yesterday. It is presumed that he became overheated.

Life 100,000 Years Ago

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown, of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough." To cure sore lungs, colds, obstinate coughs, and prevent pneumonia, it's the best medicine on earth. 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co. Trial bottle free.

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SYNOPSIS.

Senator Morley Vernon's visit with his fiancee was interrupted by a call from his political boss at the state capital. Both regretted it, the girl more than he, because she had arranged to attend a dinner that evening with him. She said she yearned for a national office for him. On Vernon's desk in the senate he found a red rose, accompanied by a plea for suffrage for women. He met the authoress, pretty Miss Maria Greene of Chicago, who proposed to convert him into voting for house resolution No. 19. Miss Greene secured Vernon's promise to vote for the suffrage resolution. He also aided her by convincing others. He took a liking to the fair suffragette. Miss Greene consulted with the lieutenant-governor. Vernon admitted to himself that the suffragette had stirred a strange feeling within him. He forgot to read his fiancee's letter. Vernon made a great speech in favor of suffrage, aided by glances from Miss Greene. The resolution was made a special order. Vernon was enthusiastic on the prospects for the resolution. He was much in Miss Greene's company. Vernon neglected thoughts of Amelia. He took Miss Greene driving and laid out plans for the success of the resolution. Vernon's speech caused a great newspaper sensation. He was being neglected by Amelia, who had not answered his letter. Vernon is "tipped off" that his suffrage resolution may not pass. As Miss Greene was due the following morning he had no fears. Miss Greene arrived and breakfasted with Vernon. Across the dining room, entrenched behind women opponents of the suffrage resolution, he spied Amelia. He started toward her. She treated him coldly and the women opponents of suffrage reproved him for his part. Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop told Senator Vernon that his conduct with Miss Greene had been hard upon Amelia. He was told to comfort her. Vernon had a tearful interview with Amelia, and he tried to undo the ills which his suffrage move had caused. He partially "made up" with Amelia, who had turned lobbyist against the resolution. Through the work of the anti-suffrage women the resolution fell flat. Mrs. Lathrop's trick in sending Vernon to Amelia keeping him away while the killing went on. Miss Green was introduced to the members of the Lathrop party.

CHAPTER XIV.—Continued.

"You are enjoying your visit in Springfield, I trust? You have seen the Lincoln monument and the homestead? How very interesting they must be! And the legislature offers novelty; don't you find it so?" She gathered her skirts as if to withdraw. But Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop achieved a smile.

"We have not enjoyed the pleasures of sight-seeing. On the contrary, we came to appear before the senate," she said.

Miss Greene surveyed her critically, with that look in which one woman inspects another woman's attire. She then extended her critical scrutiny to the dress of the others.

"To be sure!" she said. "I should have known."

The ladies again exchanged glances. Mrs. Barbourton plainly could not bear that their position should be equivocal. She doubtless had her little vainglorious wish to have their success known.

"Mrs. Overman Hodge Lathrop came down to appear in opposition to the woman's rights resolution!" She emphasized the word woman as if she would not for worlds have been a woman herself.

"Indeed!" exclaimed Miss Greene. "I am sure her appearance must have been a very convincing argument." She gave her opponent another searching glance. Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop was having difficulty in getting her breath.

"We have been having a taste of lobbying, Miss Greene," she began "and—"

"How unpleasant!" said she.

"You know, possibly," said Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop, regaining something of her position.

"Indeed I do," Miss Green assented, sweetly, "but where it is in the line of one's profession, duty obscures the unpleasantness. One cannot, you know, always choose one's occupation. Good morning!"

And catching her skirts, with a smile and a bow she left.

The successful lobbyists stood in silence a moment, looked one to another with wide and staring eyes. Then at last Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop spoke.

"Morley," she said, "I do wish you could learn to discriminate in your introductions."

CHAPTER XV.

Just before dinner Amelia and Vernon sat in the little waiting room of the hotel. Mrs. Overman Hodge Lathrop and her ladies had gone up to the suite they had taken and were engaged in repairing the toilets their political labors of the morning had somewhat damaged. Amelia had completed her toilet more quickly than they and had joined Vernon, waiting for her below.

They sat in the dim little room where Amelia could look across the corridor to the elevator, expecting every moment the coming of Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop. Now that they found themselves alone and face to face with the necessity of reconciliation, a constraint had fallen on them. Amelia constantly kept her eye on the elevator. Men were passing and repassing the open door, going to or coming from the bar-room, and their loud talk and laughter beat in

"To Be Sure," She Said. "I Should Have Known."

waves into the dim little retreat of the lovers.

As Vernon sat there he imagined that all that talk was of him; more than all, that all that laughter was at him—though there was no more of either than there was every day when the legislators came over to the hotel for their big noon dinners. At last Amelia turned to him.

"You've got the blues, haven't you?" she said. It would seem that somehow he did her an injustice by having the blues.

"No," he answered.

"Then what's the matter?" she demanded.

Vernon glanced at her, and his glance carried its own reproach.

"Oh!" she said, as if suddenly recalling a trivial incident. "Still worrying about that?"

"Well," Vernon answered, "it has some seriousness for me."

Amelia, sitting properly erect, her hands folded in her lap, twisted about and faced him.

"You don't mean, Morley, that you are sorry it didn't pass, do you?"

"It puts me in rather an awkward position," he said. "I suppose you know that"

"I don't see how," Amelia replied.

"Well," Vernon explained, "to stand for a measure of that importance, and then at the final, critical moment, to fail—"

"Oh, I see!" said Amelia, moving away from him on the couch. "Of course, if you regret the time, if you'd rather have been over in the senate than to have been with me—why, of course!" She gave a little deprecating laugh.

Vernon leaned impulsively toward her.

"But, dear," he said, "you don't understand!"

"And after your begging me to come down to Springfield, to see you!" Amelia said. Her eyes were fixed on the elevator, and just at that moment the car came rushing down the shaft and swished itself to a stop just when, it seemed, it should have shattered itself to pieces at the bottom. The elevator boy clanged the iron door back, and Maria Greene stepped out.

"There she is now!" said Amelia, raising her head to see. Miss Greene paused a moment to reply to the greeting of some one of the politicians who stopped to speak to her.

Amelia's nose was elevated.

"And so that's the wonderful hair you all admire so much, is it?" she said.

"Well," replied Vernon, almost defiantly, "don't you think it is rather exceptional hair?"

Amelia turned on him with a look of superior and pitying penetration.

"Does that shade deceive you?" she asked. She smiled disconcertingly, as she looked away again at Maria Greene. That woman lawyer was just leaving the politicians.

"And to think of wearing that hat with that hair!" Amelia went on. "Though of course," she added, with deep meaning, "it may originally have been the right shade; the poor hat can't be expected to change its color."

Vernon had no answer for her.

"I wonder what explanation she'll have for her defeat?" said Amelia in a tone that could not conceal its spirit of triumph.

"I'm not worried about that," said Vernon. "I'm more concerned about the explanation I'll have."

"Dearest!" exclaimed Amelia, swiftly laying her hand on his. Her tone had changed, and as she leaned toward him with the new tenderness that her new manner exhaled Vernon felt a change within himself, and his heart swelled.

"Dearest," she said, in a voice that hesitated before the idea of some necessary reparation, "are you really so badly disappointed?"

He looked at her, then suddenly he drew her into his arms, and she let her head rest for an instant on his shoulder; but only for an instant. Then she exclaimed and was erect and all propriety.

"You forget where we are, dear," she said.

"I don't care about that," he replied, and then, glancing swiftly about in all directions, he kissed her.

"Morley!" she cried, and her cheeks were red, a new and happy red.

They sat there, looking at each other.

"You didn't consider, you didn't really consider her pretty, did you?" Amelia asked.

"Why, Amelia, what a question!"

"But you didn't? Don't evade, Morley."

"Oh, well, now, she's not bad looking, exactly, but as for beauty—well, she's rather what I'd call handsome."

"Handsome!" Amelia exclaimed, drawing back.

"Why, yes. Don't you see, dear?" Vernon was trying to laugh. "Can't you see the distinction? We call men handsome, don't we? Not pretty, or anything like that. But women! Ah, women! Them we call, now and then, beautiful! And you, darling, you are beautiful!"

They were face to face again, both smiling radiantly. Then Amelia drew away, saying:

"Morley, don't be ridiculous."

"But I'm dead in earnest, dear," he went on. "And I think you ought to make some sort of amends for all the misery you've caused me."

"You poor boy!" she said, with the pity that is part of a woman's triumph.

"I did it," he said, "just because I love you, and have learned in you what women are capable of, what they might do in politics—"

"In politics! Morley! Can you imagine me in politics? I thought you had a more exalted opinion of women; I thought you kept them on a higher plane."

"But you—" Vernon laughed, and shook his head at the mystery of it, but did not go on.

"Why, Morley, would you want to see your mother or your sister or me, or even Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop in politics?"

"Well," he said, with a sudden and serious emphasis, "not Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop exactly. She'd be chairman of the state central committee from the start, and, well—the machine would be a corker, that's all."

The elevator was rushing down again in its perilous descent, and when its door flew open they saw Mrs. Overman Hodge-Lathrop come out of the car. Vernon rose hastily.

"There she is," he said. "We mustn't keep her waiting."

Amelia rose, but she caught his hand and gave it a sudden pressure.

"But you haven't answered my question," she said, with a continuity of thought that was her final surprise for him. "Are you so very badly disappointed, after all?"

"Well, no," he said. "I don't think it would do. It would—well, it would complicate."

Mrs. Hodge-Lathrop was standing in the door, peering impatiently into the dim little room. They stared toward her.

"Anyway, dear heart," Amelia whispered as they went, "remember this—that you did it all for me."

THE END.

HUBBY EFFECTED QUICK CURE.

Sick Wife Aroused by Contemplation of Her Successor.

"William, dear," feebly called the invalid wife, who was supposed to be nearing the end of her earthly career.

"Yes, darling," answered the sorrowing husband. "What is it?"

"When I am gone," said she, "I feel that for the sake of the motherless little ones you should marry again."

"Do you really think it would be best, darling?" asked the faithful William.

"Yes, William, I really do," replied the invalid. "After a reasonable length of time you should seek the companionship of some good woman."

"Do you know, my dear," said the husband, "that you have lifted a great burden from my mind? Now, there is that charming widow Jones across the way. She has acted rather friendly toward me ever since you were taken ill. Of course, dear, she could never fill your place, but she is young, plump and pretty, and I'm sure she would do her best to lessen my grief."

"William Henry Brown!" exclaimed the female whose days were supposed to be numbered, as she partly raised herself upon the pillow, "if you ever dare install that red-headed, freckle-faced, squint-eyed hussy in my shoes, I'll—I'll—" And then she fainted.

But the next day Mrs. Brown was able to sit up, and two days later she was downstairs.

A Weed That Steals Oysters.

A seaweed has invaded the oyster beds of France and carried off 400,000 oysters. It has carried them off bodily, as a thief would do.

The minute seeds of this weed float up the English channel in the current of the Gulf stream, they settle on oysters in the Breton beds of Morbihan, Quiberon and Belle-Isle, and they grow to the size of a duck's egg.

They are full of water, but at maturity the water evaporates, and air takes its place. The egg-shaped seaweed is then a balloon, and like a balloon it lifts its oyster from the bottom and bears it out to sea.

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Had to Hear Evidence.

Some ladies were visiting Blanche's home one day. During the conversation, while the visitors were there, one of the ladies was describing how the blowflies laid eggs and they hatched out as maggots. Four-year-old Blanche did not seem to be interested in the conversation nor pay any attention to what they had been talking about. After the visitors had gone, Blanche said:

"Mamma, I don't believe flies lay eggs."

"Why?" asked the surprised mother.

"Because I never heard one cackle," explained the doubting Blanche.

Hospitals a Benefit to Property.

The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis has recently concluded an investigation, which shows that 67.5 per cent of the tuberculosis sanatoria and hospitals of the United States have been a benefit to the property and health of the communities in which they are located. In the case of more than 60 per cent. of the sanatoria the presence of the institutions has helped to increase the assessed value of surrounding property.

Her Dilemma.

Bessie—Oh, Mabel! I am in an awful dilemma. I've quarreled with Harry, and he wants me to send his ring back.

Mabel—That's too bad.

Bessie—But that isn't the point. I've forgotten which is his ring.

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D TAKE LONG WALK

alry to Go from Des Moines to Iowa City.

LL ATTEND ENCAMPMENT

oops F and G to Take Part in 54th Infantry Encampment to be Held Near Iowa City in August.

Des Moines.—Troops F and G of the cond United States cavalry have eived orders to hike overland from Moines to Iowa City, a distance 120 miles, and take part in the e days' encampment of the Fifty-rth Iowa infantry near the state versity town.

The regulars will ride their horses entire distance, taking about five for the march, arriving in Iowa y in time for the encampment ich begins Aug. 23. The return to Moines will be by rail. With m will go First Lieutenant Charles Johnson of the medical reserve ps and one private from the hos-l corps.

Troops E and H of the Second cav-y have been ordered to take part the encampments of the Fifty-third, ty-fifth and Fifty-sixth regiments the Iowa National guard, to be held pectively at Independence, Chari- and West Okoboji. In addition to two cavalry troops the machine platoon of the Second cavalry l participate in the Independence campment. The two troops will pro-ed to each of the three encamp-nts by rail.

A copy of the order assigning the ulars to duty was received by Adjt. n. Guy E. Logan from Brigadier neral Morton, commanding the de-rtment of the Missouri with head-rters at Omaha.

unday School Workers in Council.

Marshalltown.—The fourth annual sion of the international district lning school for Sunday school chers and workers was held here h a good enrollment. Dr. Cyrus J. phart, of Dayton, O., was dean of institute and had charge of the sses in Bible study. Several promi-nt Sunday school workers of the ntry are members of the faculty, cluding Miss Mina Stocker, of Ne-aska; Clarence Depew of Illinois; s. Maude J. Baldwin, of Indiana; d Rev. Frank F. Fitch, of Des ines. The advisory board of the titute comprises by states, A. M. cker, of St. Paul, for Minnesota: v. F. P. Leach, of Sioux Falls, for uth Dakota; E. E. Lacey, St. Louis, Missouri; Paul S. Dietrick, Lin-n, for Nebraska; Rev. J. Orchard, rgo, for North Dakota; and J. H. gle, Abilene, for Kansas. Prof. W. Brandenburg, of Mason City, Ia., president.

State Given Bloody Sheet.

Des Moines.—Covered with blood-ins, an old hospital sheet used as flag of truce in the civil war, has en presented to the state historical partment by Welker Given, son of e late Josiah Given, who was a rmer supreme court justice and a igadier general of Ohio volunteers the war of the rebellion. The sheet s made by Ohio women for the ldier boys in the Seventy-fourth io. It came to be used as a flag of ce after serving its purpose in the spital.

Byers Ruling Hits Six Saloons.

Des Moines.—Six Des Moines sa-ons have been illegally granted per-its and must close their doors at ce, according to Attorney General yers' interpretation of the Moon w, which became effective July 4. e holds that the cities of Iowa had right to adopt new consent resolu-ons after the law was approved by overnor Carroll, except where the mber of saloons was less than one each 1,000 inhabitants.

Mrs. Mitchell Talks at Normal.

Iowa City.—The Johnson County ormal Institute had an attendance 135, despite the inclement weath-. The main address was delivered Mrs. Hattie Moore-Mitchell of rake University, Des Moines, who oke ably on "A Trip Through the ighlands." Ed. Amherst Ott of Des oines and Rev. A. Kepford of the ate board of control delivered lec-res.

Rock Rapids May Be M. O. Town.

Rock Rapids.—The city council has reed to offer the City Water Works mpany $3,500 for its plant. The ant represents a total outlay of out $20,000, but the franchise has ly one more year to run, and it is pected that the company will ac-pt and that the city at a special ection will ratify the purchase.

Oakland Tragedy of Early Days.

Oakland.—The skeletons of two hu man forms were unearthed here by workmen engaged in excavating for the basement of the new Methodist church. The bodies were found within eighteen inches of the surface of the ground. They were taken out and laid on the grass near by, where they were viewed by the entire town. They were supposed to be the remains of Indians buried many years ago, but some of the old-timers think otherwise. Doctors who examined the skeletons claim that they are not the remains of Indians, but of two whites, a man and a woman. This recalls a tragedy or a series of tragedies that are supposed to have had their origin at this very spot. When the railroad was being built through here some thirty years ago, the railroad store was located there and a very rough element constantly thronged the place. An eating establishment was part of the business of the store and fights were of daily occurrence. A particularly quarrelsome couple were employed as cook and waitress respectively, who, when not fighting among themselves, were in a turmoil with some of the railroad hands, or the proprietor of the establishment, who was himself noted as a bad man. That the skeletons are the remains of the cook and his wife, who, it is remembered, mysteriously disappeared, is not doubted at all, but it is the firm belief of those here who remember the turbulent times at the railroad store.

Dies Hunting Son.

Council Bluffs, Iowa.—The body of Mrs. Mary Kranninger, aged 58, wife of John Kranninger, who was drowned while frantically searching for a son who had gone to Lake Manawa and had gotten caught in the storm, was recovered. The Krranningers live near the outskirts of the city, and near the school for the deaf. Mrs. Kranninger became alarmed over the continued absence of one of her five sons. With but one thought and desire, to aid the boy if he was in distress, Mrs. Kranninger took a lantern and started out in the direction of the city, thinking that possibly her son had lost his way in the darkness intensified after leaving the city streets. She evidently attempted to cross a small ravine which had become a torrent, and was swept from her feet and drowned. The lantern was found where it is supposed she fell, and the body more than a mile away.

Five sons and four daughters survive. The family did not report Mrs. Kranninger's absence until the body was recovered.

Girl Attacked at Ft. Dodge.

Ft. Dodge.—Two assaults were made in Ft. Dodge when H. G. Davis of San Antonio, Tex., just arrived, was knocked down and robbed of a roll of $175 and a seventeen jeweled gold watch, and when a young girl employed in a factory was attacked by a man who was frightened away by the screams of her girl companion, who bravely followed them when he started to drag his victim down a lonely road. Davis, who suffered at the hands of robbers, was beaten insensible by them and left on the sidewalk to be discovered after considerable time by a passerby. Neither the assailants of the man or woman have been located and citizens of the town are especially incensed and interested in the case of the girl.

Survived by 138 Descendants.

Des Moines.—John R. Hartgrave, one of the oldest residents of Franklin county, Ia., died at the home of his nephew, William Riddle, at the age of 87 years. During his life Mr. Hartgraves had the unusual distinction of having eight children, seventy grandchildren and sixty great grandchildren, all of whom survive him. He was married at the age of 18 and enjoyed sixty-three years of married life.

Aged 79, Takes First Train Ride.

Bloomfield.—Mrs. Eliza McCord, who is seventy-nine years of age, and who resides in Grove township, southwest of here, enjoyed her first ride on a train one day recently, going from Pulaski to West Grove. Although residing within six miles of the railroad for the past thirty-seven years, she was never on a train before.

Infuriated Cow Injures Man.

Eddyville.—While David Roberts and W. P. Chilton were bringing some cattle to market a cow became maddened by the heat. After running over fences and taking after a woman the beast knocked Mr. Roberts down. He sustained a compound fracture of the leg. The broken bone protruded from the flesh and the wound is serious.

Weston Belonged in Iowa.

Charles City.—The press here has discovered that Edward Payson Weston once was a resident of Iowa and lived in Charles City in the late 60's. While a resident here, the Press says, he secured a divorce from his wife, Marie Weston.

NEW SENSATION FOR DOBBIN

Come to Think of It, He Would Have Felt Funny Sitting in the Position Indicated.

The family horse, who rejoiced in the eminently proper equine name of Dobbin, had earned a rest by long service, and was accordingly sent away to the country to spend his declining years in the broad pastures of a farmer friend of his owner. The distance being somewhat excessive for his rheumatic legs, he was shipped to his new home by rail.

Little Edna, the family four-year-old, viewed the passing of Dobbin with unfeigned sorrow. She sat for a long time gazing disconsolately out of the window. At last, after a deep sigh, she turned with a more cheerful expression, and said:

"Did old Dobbin go on the choo-choo cars, mamma?"

"Yes, dear," answered her mother.

A broad grin spread over the little girl's face. "I was just thinking," she said, "how funny he must feel sitting up on the plush cushions.—Woman's Home Companion.

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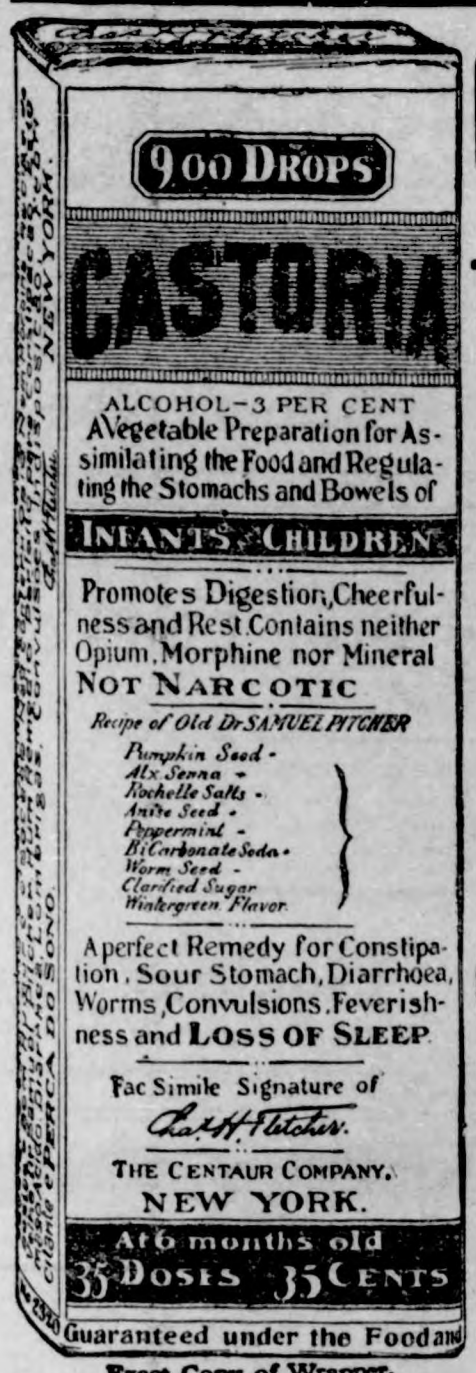

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Senator Gore then goes on to show how the users of print paper are being systematically robbed by the paper trusts in this country. He showed that the cost of power for making paper was cheaper than in most any other country; that labor is as cheap in this country as it is in Canada, and that the cost of the raw material was nearly the same in both countries. However, the trust claims that it costs $8 57 more to make a ton of paper here than it does in Canada. Among other things, Mr. Gore said that when prices were quoted at $50 in New York delivered, the American mills delivered print paper in Bristol, England, at $43.50 per short ton.

The Shy Child.

The first important step toward helping a child of this kind is to give her self-confidence, even if you run the risk of making her vain and conceited. She needs a little wholesome praise to make her feel that her playmates will like her. Make her look as attractive as possible, and tell her that she is attractive; see that she is trained in all the arts and graces that will make her attractive; send her to dancing school. As she gets older see that she excels in games, in athletics, in anything that will give her confidence in herself when she associates with her schoolmates. If she is going away to school or college give her lessons on the banjo and guitar so that she can join the banjo and guitar clubs. If she has any talent of any kind by which she can entertain her friends help her to develop it. She must be taught to feel that she can help others to have a good time and that consequently she is welcome among them. Once that feeling is established the battle is won.—Harper's Bazar.

Was in a Tight Place.

For many years old Col. Lee resided in Ninth street, New York, near the Hotel St. Denis. He is still remembered by hundreds of New Yorkers for his bright manner and happy, apt remarks. When the project for erecting an equestrian statue to Gen. Washington in Union square was proposed Col. Lee was intrusted with one of the subscription papers for circulation. Shortly after receiving it he approached a well-known citizen and asked for a subscription. But the citizen declined to subscribe, stating in a rather pompous manner:

"I do not consider, sir, that there is any necessity for a monument to Mr. Washington. His fame is undying, sir; he is enshrined in the hearts of his countrymen."

"Is he enshrined in your heart?" softly inquired the colonel.

"He is, sir."

"Well, all I have to say," retorted Col. Lee, "is that he is in a tight place."—New York Press.

Elephant Turned Off Water.

Jule, one of the elephants at the Central park zoo in New York, gave a clever demonstration the other day of the wisdom of her tribe. There is a hydrant just outside of Jule's cage and until Saturday it had been fitted with a round handle to turn on and off the flow of water. On Saturday William Walker, the zoo plumber, fitted a new spigot on the hydrant and put it on a permanent T shaped handle. Jule carefully examined the handle several times Sunday. She looked it over again, and after much fumbling, turned it and produced a flow of water. Then she put her trunk under the stream, filled it and drank copiously. What pleased Keeper Snyder more than anything else was that she carefully turned off the flow of water after drinking.

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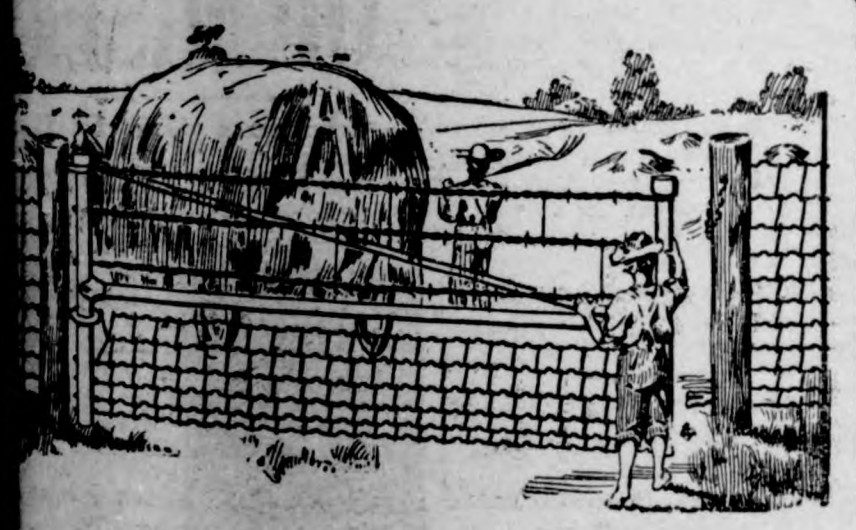

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Many Changes in Laws of Iowa Went Into Effect July 4th.—A Few Important Ones.

Various changes were made in the laws of Iowa by the Thirty-third General Assembly, which changes went into effect July 4th. After that date the changes in the primary election law which requires rotation of names of candidates on the ballot goes into effect.

Now it is the duty of the county attorney to enforce the law and sheriffs will have to exercise themselves in uncovering evidence for the county prosecutor. Reporters in court get an increase in salary from $6 to $8 per day. No longer can clerks and judges of election place their own names on jury lists, for the law exempts them from jury service. Jurors who do serve will receive $2.50 per day instead of $2. Lawyers will no longer be accepted as surety on bonds for persons accused of crime.

No minor is allowed to smoke cigarettes—or if he does he is subject to a fine of $10. Search warrants may be issued for searching for cigarettes kept illegally the same as liquor. There will be no more public school fraternities or secret societies. First cousins can no longer marry within the state.

Compulsory education of deaf and blind children is in vogue and the tax for dependent soldiers and sailors is increased from one-half to one mill. Counties can levy a tax to support hospitals bequeathed to the county, and the public funds of counties must be placed at interest. The old law of assumption of risk, which placed the responsibility on an employe when he worked with defective machinery has been changed, and the responsibility shifts to the employer when he is informed of the defects. Then contributary negligence will no longer bar recovery, but will be a question for the jury to decide upon with regard to fixing the amount of damages to be awarded. Employers must have proof of age of minor children and they must be over 14 years old.

Saloons will be limited in mulct cities to one for each 1000 inhabitants and liquor drinking on trains is absolutely forbidden. There is now inspection of hotels with the requirement that they be both sanitary and safe.

There are some laws that will be of interest in rural districts. Hedge fence must be properly trimmed each year. Eight noxious weeds are described and must be kept mowed down. A lawful fence is legally declared to be "three rails not less than six inches wide and three-quarters of an inch thick."

The state normal school at Cedar Falls will hereafter be known as the "State Teachers College," and the old county poor farms will be referred to by the dignified name of "county homes."

Will Enforce New Weed Law in Wright County

Dows Advocate: We herewith publish a portion of a letter from the county attorney Bradford Knapp, to all township trustees: "35 G. A. Ch. 96 is the new 'Weed Law.' Under it weeds must be destroyed on highways and private grounds as well, and all township trustees are amenable to a fine of not more than $100 for failure to perform their duty under this act. Report to me if private persons refuse or neglect to destroy weeds and I will prosecute them.

"I further desire that you report to me every case within your townships where persons have tiled into the public road where the tiling on their own places cuts through rises of the ground and brings water out of its natural course and casts it upon the public highway and the same has resulted in damage to the highway. It is my intention to bring action in these cases and see if we cannot stop this practice."

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Another Easy Mark

The Waverly Independent tells of a band of gypsies who visited Charles City and worked various grafts. A Mr. Tubbs there permitted one of the women to tell him his fortune. In the process she had to have some money to do the trick with, and Mr. Tubbs considerately handed her his purse with $60 in it. The woman told the fortune and began counting the bills, stroking them with her hand. She told Mr. Tubbs not to be alarmed, as she would not take his money, and finally put the money back in the purse and handed it to him and he dropped it into his pocket, thinking no more about it till night. When he counted the money he found that $30 was missing. On account of all gypsy women looking alike to Mr. Tubbs, he is unable to locate the one who took his coin.

Iowa Shows 'Em

Prof. Holden, of the Iowa Agricultural College, "stood up for Iowa" rather effectively at Brookings, S. D., the other day. Gov. Vessey had made a patriotic talk, from the South Dakota viewpoint, telling how the natural resources of South Dakota were being properly developed, and suggesting that South Dakota now is or soon will be greater than Iowa in all lines of agriculture. When Prof. Holden's turn came he did not feel called upon to enter upon an elaborate defense of Iowa's agricultural prestige. Instead, he asked all members of the audience, a large outdoor gathering of farmers and their families, who had come from Iowa or who had ever lived there to hold up their hands. The hands of a large majority of the audience promptly went up. "No wonder you have the greatest state in the Union," smilingly remarked Prof. Holden, turning to Gov. Vessey. The governor and the audience saw the point and the spontaneous applause which followed was intended for both Iowa and South Dakota.—Ex.

In a suburb of Paris is a factory where cinematograph films are made. The company operating the business has a large tract of land fitted up as an ampitheater, within which are enacted the blood-curdling scenes which delight audiences in the moving picture shows. Recently pictures were made depicting the death of a young Christian maiden in a den of lions. Vestal virgins, courtiers and knights marched around the arena and then took seats safely outside a huge cage. A young girl was strapped upon a cross within the cage and seventeen real lions were let loose. The lions were exceptionally hungry and made short work of the poor martyr. They had been borrowed from an animal show and had been kept without food for three or four days. They tore the maiden limb from limb and spilled her blood all over the cage, but the maiden didn't even scream for help—her flesh was paper mache stuffed with raw beefsteaks.—Kensett News.

In 1915

Suddenly the great game in the summer of 1915 stopped.

"What's the trouble?" shouted the grandstand. "Let the game go on!"

"Make them play!" thundered the bleachers. "Soak the umpire!"

Just then the manager came out and held up his hand.

"Patience, gentlemen, patience! The game will go on just as soon as the fly cops can chase that fleet of airships from over the diamond. Those on them are catching the balls as fast as they are batted upward."

And then the fly cops began to fly from every direction.—Chicago News.

For the Public Good

One hears a good deal about the power of the press, but the fact is that no newspaper has very much real power over men or events in these days unless it is known to be standing sanely and steadfastly for the welfare of the whole community and nation. The day of party organs is past. Sensational papers appealing to popular passions cannot move thoughtful men—the men who make history. The only kind of newspaper that really has tremendous power in these days is the independent, reliable, disinterested journal of wide circulation, whose columns are known to stand always for the general good—for public honesty and a square deal, whatever happens. An excellent example of this sort of journalism is the Chicago Record-Herald. It has the enormous circulation that deservedly goes with the printing of all the news, but its power lies in its wise, conservative, independent editorial policy, which is shaped with one sole end in view—the public good. Its news and critical columns show the same spirit.

Life 100,000 Years Ago

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown, of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough." To cure sore lungs, colds, obstinate coughs, and prevent pneumonia, it's the best medicine on earth. 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co. Trial bottle free.

RACTICAL FORESTRY AS TAUGHT IN IOWA SCHOOLS.

Studying in the Woods.

A good beginning has been made in practical forestry in the schools of Iowa, the commencement being in the schools in Pottawattamie county. A recent dispatch from Washington stated that forestry is attracting wide attention among the schools of the United States. Not only have many colleges and universities introduced courses and even professional schools of forestry, but elementary phases of the subject have been introduced into hundreds of the graded and high schools, and teachers give enthusiastic reports of the success which is attending the new study. Public school teachers say that they have found in it a subject interesting to the children, and one which furnishes much attractive, tangible material to work upon, developing the child's observation, and being at once acceptable to the young mind, and most practical.

The work in Pottawattamie county was especially mentioned. This work had its inception in the suggestions made by Prof. W. N. Clifford, formerly superintendent of schools at Council Bluffs, who is now devoting part of his time to the work of the forestry bureau in Washington promoting the study in schools. It was taken up and carried to perfection, however, by Prof. E. R. Jackson, the county superintendent, who had worked it out very carefully and is making a success of it.

Accompanying this are snapshot views of the work actually being done in sub-district No. 2, Lewis township, under the direction of J. M. Tannehill, with Miss Margaret Fisher as teacher. The county superintendent visited the school at the invitation of the teacher on the day set for the trip to the woods. Before leaving the schoolhouse the pupils were told to hunt for certain things, such as trees planted to prevent erosion, girdling of trees, sprouting from stumps, etc. In less than ten minutes after reaching the woods two of the boys came tumbling down the hill crying: "We've found them; we've found them."

In regard to this work in Pottawattamie county, Supt. Jackson says:

"Personally, I have always felt a keen interest in nature study, and as a boy knew all the trees and flowers in the vicinity of my father's farm. As I grew older, I became more and more convinced that an acquaintance with nature had an ennobling effect on boys and girls. Then there is also the commercial side, for every one who is at all observant has realized the immense benefit the few trees still left us are to the soil, the air and to mankind directly and indirectly.

"So when this opportunity presented itself, I was glad to take up and spread among the schools of this county the more or less systematic study of forestry. The plan followed is outlined quite fully in letters which were sent out to school teachers in the county. Out of the 50 teachers to whom the first letter was sent, nearly 40 responded. To each of these a second letter was sent. A circular containing the outline of work was also prepared. The wood charts were of heavy cardboard and contained spaces for 40 specimens.

"It is too early to say much as to results yet. The completed charts and reports are coming in now. Usually, the parents of the pupils were interested and encouraged to work. Occasionally they objected, but I did not ask any teacher to continue in such cases unless she desired to do so. A great majority of the schools collected more than the 40 specimens required to fill the charts. Some have as many as 50 or 60. Some schools expect to continue the collections along other lines, and will begin next fall to collect seeds, grains, leaves, etc. Each chart was accompanied by a folder containing blanks for complete reports on each specimen collected. These were to be filled out following directions given in a key.

"Arbor day was observed appropriately in nearly all the schools of the county. Last year over 400 trees were planted on the school grounds of the county. This year, although I have no definite report, I believe almost as good results were obtained. In many cases shrubs, rose bushes and flowering plants also were set out.

"Some excellent reports on specimens have been compiled, and some interesting experiences are related by the teachers. The following, which is a copy of the first report filed last spring, will indicate what has been accomplished in most of the schools:

"'We followed outline as near as possible, covering about three-fourths of it with fairly good success. The 'Forestry Primer,' and 'Native and Planted Trees of Iowa,' proved most interesting to pupils. Our school has made a collection of 40 specimens, and has acquired a familiarity with trees in general. They have made complete reports on 12 specimens. My pupils have made an extensive study of home geography, but do not expect to exhibit any work at the county fair. We observed Arbor day with a program and have made two trips to the woods.'"

Forestry Class in Pottawattamie County.

MILLIONAIRE NOW A LAWYER

H. L. Polk.

At the last session of the Iowa supreme court there was admitted to the bar one of the richest young men of the state—Harry L. Polk of Des Moines. Mr. Polk is the president and general manager of the interurban lines running from Des Moines to Colfax and to Perry and is one of the heaviest stockholders in the city lines of the capital city. But in preparation for a business career he followed the example of his illustrious father and sought admission to the bar. He took the examination along with scores of young men who have not a dollar in the world and he received no favors at the hands of the committee.

MAGAZINE HAS SUSPENDED.

Sam Small, preacher, temperance lecturer and writer, erstwhile editor of the Golden West magazine, has absented himself from Waterloo and the financial backers of the publication have suspended it. Many readers have been patiently waiting for the July number. Many have quit waiting, for they have received word that there will be no July number and possibly no number at all. Small made his headquarters in Des Moines last year. He announced that he would establish a magazine in the west that would be national in its policy. Business men of Waterloo heard of this and came forward with a good financial offer. Small accepted the offer and went to Waterloo several months ago. Since that time two numbers of this magazine have appeared. W. P. Soash, wealthy Texas land dealer, was one of the chief backers.

EASTERNER LOST IN IOWA.

Charles L. Brinsmade, a New York capitalist, en route for Wyoming on a big land deal, was basely deserted in Creston and in his efforts to overtake his train a special was chartered and a thrilling run was made into Lincoln, Neb., where No. 9 was overtaken after leaving Creston almost 60 minutes ahead of the special. The dining car on No. 9 is always switched off there and when it was cut out it contained Mr. Brinsmade, who leisurely finished his dinner as his train pulled out. As soon as he comprehended the situation he climbed out and over the switch tracks to the offices, where he produced a roll of bills and asked the price of a special. Leaving $350 behind him, he climbed aboard a special.

NEW HEAD OF IOWA'S ELKS.

Lloyd R. Maxwell.

Lloyd R. Maxwell of Marshalltown, the new head of the order of Elks in Iowa, is a traveling man for a carriage company. He is president of the State Golf association and is an enthusiastic sportsman.

To Develop Submarine Mining.

Following the example set by Germany, the Russian admiralty intends to devote far more attention to submarine mining. Five mining transports are to be ordered from the three leading Russian shipbuilding yards.

World's Most Populous City.

London has a population of 4,7[illegible],75[illegible]

SURPRISED AT THE SCHEDULE

Colored Man Felt He Was Being Railroaded Into the Class of "High Financiers."

A colored man was tried the other day before a Charlestown court for stealing some clothes from a young white man. A pretty clear case was made out against the colored man and he confessed.

"I reckon I ain't got nothin' to say, white folks," he said with humility, "'ceptin' hit's jes laik it is."

"Well, since you admit your guilt," said the judge, "I will try to make it light for you. But first we will have to get an estimate of the value of the clothing. Mr. Plaintiff, what do you value these articles at?"

"The dress suit cost me $80, your honor," replied the young man, "the overcoat $75 and the silk hat $10."

"Mr. Jedge," broke in the accused, "I'd lak ter say des one word befo' you goes any fudder."

"All right; go ahead."

"I submit dat I tuk dem clo'es, boss man, but at no sich prices as dem!"

THAT FROZE HIM.

"I suppose," he said, ingratiatingly, "you often get spoken to by men?"

"Yes," she replied, "and by monkeys. But to-night there don't seem to be any men about!"

A Case for Sympathy.

Two matrons of a certain western city, whose respective matrimonial ventures did not in the first instance prove altogether satisfactory, met at a woman's club one day, when the first matron remarked:

"Hattie, I met your 'ex,' dear old Tom, the day before yesterday. We talked much of you."

"Is that so?" asked the other matron. "Did he seem sorry when you told him of my second marriage?"

"Indeed, he did; and said so most frankly!"

"Honest?"

"Honest! He said he was extremely sorry, though, he added, he didn't know the man personally."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Laymen Combat White Plague.

According to recent figures published by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, nearly 50 per cent. of those enlisted in the active campaign against consumption are laymen, and the percentage of laymen has tripled in the last four years.

Innovation.

Stella—Did she have an unusual wedding?

Bella—Yes; the church was decorated with common tropical plants instead of the rare.

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A Sure and Easy Test on Coffee.

To decide the all important question of coffee, whether or not it is really the hidden cause of physical ails and approaching fixed diseases, one should make a test of ten days by leaving off coffee entirely and using well-made Postum.

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"Then I read so many articles about Postum that I decided to give it a fair trial. I had not used it two weeks in place of coffee until I began to feel like a different person. The headache and nervousness disappeared and whereas I used to be sick two or three days out of a week while drinking coffee I am now well and strong and sturdy seven days a week, thanks to Postum.

"I had been using Postum three months and had never been sick a day when I thought I would experiment and see if it really was coffee that caused the trouble, so I began to drink coffee again and inside of a week I had a sick spell. I was so ill I was soon convinced that coffee was the cause of all my misery and I went back to Postum with the result that I was soon well and strong again and determined to stick to Postum and leave coffee alone in the future."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

SHE HAD HIM ON THE HOO

Maiden Well Knew Lover Could N Resist Culinary Bait She Had So Cleverly Cast.

Janet had molded the domestic a fairs of the family with whom s lived for so many years that the ne of her intended marriage had mu the effect of an earthquake. "Ha you and David been engaged long ventured the mistress of the hou hold.

"One week when next Sabba comes," stated Janet briefly.

"And—and had you any thought marrying before that?" asked her m tress.

"Times I had and times I had no said the imperturbable Janet, "as a person will. But a month ago wh I gave David a wee bit of the ca I'd been making and he said to m 'Janet, have you the recipe firm your mind, lass, so you could ma it if Mrs. Mann's book would be f from your reach?' I knew well t time was drawing short.

"And when," said Janet, closing h eyes at the recollection, "I said him, 'David, lad, the recipe is copi in a little book of my own,' and I m the glint in his eye I reckon 'twould be within the month he'd m me."

A Series of Breakages.

"Banks had his engagement b ken."

"Did he take it hard?"

"Yes; after it was broken off, was all broken up, and then he bro down."

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KNEW SOMETHING OF IT.

Williams (shaking his fountain n)—You have no idea how easily e pens run!

His Neighbor (applying a blotter to trousers)—Oh, I have an inkling.

No Need of Interference.

The two neighbors who were pass- the little cottage heard sounds as a terrific conflict inside and pped to listen.

Presently they heard a loud thump, if somebody had fallen to the floor.

"Grogan is beating his wife again!" ey said.

Bursting the door open, they rushed to the house.

"What's the trouble here?" they de- anded.

"Ther' ain't no trouble, gentlemen," lmly answered Mrs. Grogan, who d her husband down and was sit- g on his head, "Gwan!"

Shortcake.

The strawberry shortcake, I love it, love it! I prize it more dearly than ngue dare to tell! No sherbet or pud- g or pie is above it; there's nothing pastry I like half so well. Just give e a section as large as a platter, th freshly crushed berries spread er the lot, and I am contented and ppy, no matter what ailment or ouble or sorrows I've got. Ho, bring the shortcake, the strawberry ortcake, and always and ever I'm ck-on-the-spot!—Los Angeles Ex- ess.

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Iowa Paroled Convicts Justify Faith Placed in Them

STATE PAYS THE BEST WAGES

Only 7 Per Cent of Total Number of Paroled Men Have Failed to Make Good, According to Pardon Clerk's Report.

Des Moines, July 17.—Higher wages for paroled convicts and fewer violations of parole in Iowa than in any other state in the union is the highly gratifying showing made for the parole board and former Governor A. B. Cummins in the first table of comparative statistics ever prepared, which was completed by Miss Anna B. Cummins, pardon clerk in the office of Governor Carroll.

During the five year period ended Jan. 1, only 7 per cent of the total number paroled have failed to make good their promises of reform, or fifteen out of a total of 205. Of the 190 paroled convicts who have made good, complying with the conditions of their parole, the average monthly earnings are $49.76 each. Many of these men are working on farms and their earnings do not include board and lodging.

In Indiana the average monthly earnings of paroled convicts from the state reformatory is only $32.04, or less than two-thirds of the Iowa average. Other states show still smaller earnings.

Miss Cummins compared the record of paroled convicts who have violated their paroles in Iowa during the year 1908 with the same records in five other state, and found that whereas the convicts who failed to make good in Iowa during this year were only 10 per cent, in Michigan, Ohio, Illinois and Indiana the proportion was from 13 to 29 per cent.

"Undoubtedly the good showing is partly due to the extremely conservative policy of the parole board," said Miss Cummins. "The proportion of those paroled to those committed in this state is very small, being 8 per cent. During the period of five years ending Jan. 1, 1909, the total number of commitments to the penitentiary at Fort Madison and the reformatory at Anamosa was 2,154, while during the same period there were paroled of this number only 175, being 8 per cent. In addition to this number there were paroled before commitment during this period, 30 convicts, making the total number paroled during this five-year period 205."

Files Ten Complaints.

Ten prosecutions under the pure food laws were begun by State Food and Dairy Commissioner H. R. Wright, who mailed informations and chemists' reports to the various county attorneys where Mr. Wright's inspectors have been at work. The list of defendants follows:

Grand Union Tea company of Dubuque, charged with selling essence of wintergreen with artificial colorings and low in oil.

E. J. Edwards of Alta, H. Ahrens of Mapleton, W. C. and M. Rauscher of Mount Sterling and J. G. Cox of Mount Vernon, charged with selling adulterated linseed oil, in each case purchased from the American Linseed Oil company of Omaha.

Ira De Young of Keokuk, charged with selling imported French peas colored with sulphate of copper.

R. O. Smith of Bloomfield, charged with selling mislabeled vanilla flavoring extract.

G. Highley of Atlantic and A. B. Buffham of Oxford Junction, charged with selling mislabeled vanilla extract.

Charles B. Moore of Dubuque, charged with selling strawberry pop sweetened with saccharin.

Isaac Brandt Is Compiling Report.

Isaac Brandt is compiling a report of the deaths of all the old settlers of Iowa, at the request of a number of the different old settlers' societies. The report will cover all of the deaths during the last ten years and will include persons who have lived in Iowa forty years or more. Mr. Brandt is attempting to make the report an official one, and has announced that it will take him until Aug. 11 to complete it. He is one of the oldest settlers of Iowa and is intimately acquainted with practically every other early settler.

To Buy Farm Horses.

That the United States army authorities contemplate the purchase of Iowa horses is indicated by an order received by Colonel West directing that Lieutenant Robt. J. Raney visit all the towns within a radius of seventy-five miles of Des Moines and investigate the horse raising industry of the state, with a view to ascertaining what breeds of horses are most successfully raised in Iowa.

To Sell Great Western Property.

An ancillary decree was filed and an order made in the United States circuit court authorizing the sale of all Iowa property of the Chicago, Great Western railroad company, which became insolvent several months ago. The Iowa property is valued at fifteen or twenty million dollars and will be sold with the entire system at public auction in the city of St. Paul, Minn., by Albert E. Moore, special master in chancery, who was appointed by Judge Sanborn of the United States circuit court of appeals.

Lunatic to Sue State for $27,000,000.4

Notice of a suit for $27,000,000, which will shortly be started against the state of Iowa was received at the office of Governor Carroll. The suit will be started in the courts of the United States, Switzerland and Louisiana. The plaintiff is seeking to recover the foregoing sum because of "lousy treatment" at the Mount Pleasant asylum for the insane. Said plaintiff is Harvey Ryan, an inmate of the institution. It was a letter from him which gave Governor Carroll the first intimation of the impending suit.

100 Acres of Ground for Troops.

The army officers detailed to lay out the camp for the military tournament to be held in Des Moines, Sept. 20 to 26 have found that there is not enough room within the state fair grounds for encamping all the troops. The Commercial club committee in charge of the tournament has closed a lease for the use of thirty-five acres of additional ground lying south of the Rock Island entrance to the fair grounds. Altogether there will be about 100 acres of ground used for encamping the troops.

Fight for Junken Reward.

John W. Gray, a private detective at Ottumwa, was in Des Moines to present to Governor Carroll his claims for the $300 reward which was offered by the state for the arrest and conviction of John Junken, slayer of Clara Rosen of Ottumwa. Mr. Gray's visit brings out the fact that there are many claimants for the Junken reward and there is likely to be a spirited fight before the final decision is made as to who is entitled to the credit for capturing the negro.

Coming In Slowly.

Iowa corporations have been very slow in paying the $1 annual license fee required by a new law passed last winter at the instance of Secretary of State W. C. Hayward. So far only about 2,000 corporations have responded to the letters sent out by the secretary, although there are between 5,000 and 6,000 corporations actively engaged in business. About 4,000 of the letters sent to corporations have been returned marked "out of business."

Interurban King Comes to Iowa.

Des Moines, Iowa.—The purchase of the plant of the Des Moines Electric company by Congressman William B. McKinley of Champaign, Ill., and his declaration that he would favorably consider the development of any attractive field for interurban railroads in Iowa confirmed the rumor that has been prevalent for several days that Mr. McKinley would invade the Des Moines and Iowa field with his enterprises.

Brewers Enjoined.

On a petition filed by attorneys for its creditors, the Ottumwa Brewing and Ice company has been enjoined in United States district court from paying out any money without an order of court, or from removing from Ottumwa banks to places of deposit in any other city. A petition in bankruptcy for the concern was filed in June.

Establish Retreat.

A. E. Kepford, state tuberculosis lecturer, will send broadcast over the state a letter urging each county to establish retreats for the care of its advanced tuberculosis patients. In doing this the counties will only be taking advantage of the new county hospital law passed last winter by the Iowa legislature.

Miller President of Police Chiefs.

Des Moines, Iowa.—Police chiefs representing twenty-two Iowa cities and towns in convention effected a permanent organization which will be known as the Iowa Association of Police Chiefs. Chief of Police Miller of Des Moines, was by unanimous vote chosen as president.

Will Be Twice as Large.

Officers in charge of the coming military tourney to be held in Des Moines during the third week of September have returned from Toledo Ohio, where they witnessed a similar show. "It is a most wonderful sight," declared Geis Botsford, secretary of the Commercial club, "and beggars description. One has to see it to comprehend its magnitude. Our show will be twice as large."

A NEW "FEAT."

"Mummy! Mummy! look, here's baby walking on his hind legs."

Consistently Opposed.

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"What do you mean?"

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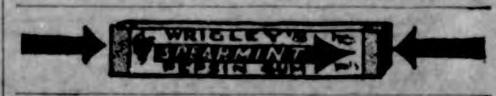

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Look out, you fishermen. One of the big crocodiles, about nine feet in length, weighing about 300 pounds, owned by the firm running a crocodile show in Eddyville, Iowa, escaped some time during Saturday night. In the morning when the keeper went to attend to their wants one of them was gone. A thorough search failed to reveal its whereabouts, and it is supposed to have gone into the DesMoines river.

Robert Ingersoll once said—"Make home the loafing place and playground of your children and ten chances to one the little feet that have tracked your floors with mud will not leave their foot prints along the paths of vice and crime; the sweet faces of your boys that have been such joy to you in their childhood will not adorn the rogue's gallery; the little hand that has been so often pressed to your lips will not push the chips across the gambler's table; the chubby arms of your daughters that haue so often entwined your neck will not be employed to embrace a street rowdy and the lips not pressed to those befouled with obscene language nor the wine that leads to shame."

The dapper little traveling man glanced at the menu card and then looked up at the pretty waitress. "Yes, it is, she answered, "and so was yesterday, and my name is Ella, and I know I am a peach and have pretty blue eyes, and I've been here quite a while and I like the place, and I don't think I'm too nice a girl to be working in a hotel; if I did I'd quit my job, and my wages are satisfactory, and I don't know if there is a show or dance in town tonight, and if there is I shall not go with you. and I'm from the country and I'm a respectable girl, and my brother is a cook in this hotel, and he weighs 200 pounds, last week he wiped up the dining room floor with a fresh fifty-dollar-a-month traveling man who tried to make a date with me. Now what will you have?" The dapper little traveling man said he was not very hungry and a cup of coffee and some hot cakes would do.

Is Good Material

It is learned through very good channels that in all probabilities Albert M. Deyoe of Hancock county will be a candidate for State Superintendent of Schools. Mr. Deyoe was a student of the Mason City schools in days gone by and was thorough in his work. He continued fitting himself for educational work and taught in the larger places and finally was elected to the superintendency of the Hancock county schools and was so well liked in that position that he has continued in that office for a good many years. Now the demand comes from all parts of the state for a man who understands the needs of the rural and the common schools, and in Mr. Deyoe we find that man. He would make an ideal State Superintendent, and here's hoping that he will receive the endorsement of all educators, and have no trouble in winning in the contest which will ensue.—Mason City Republican.

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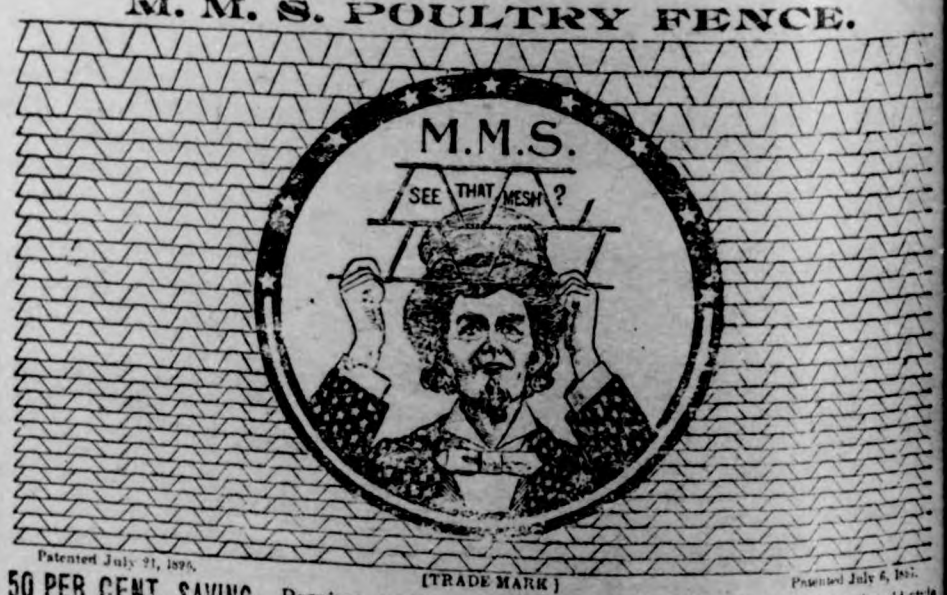

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y Allen and his helpers cently finished new ce- lks in front of the Ger- eformed church; also e Times office south to and along the front of djoining the State Sav- k on the west.

Kluckhohn went to Friday, where he play- with the Dumont team Belmond. The latter n by a large majority— The same teams played Lake Saturday the ing 3 to 2 in favor of . "Bally" twirled the ee innings for Dumont good work.

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Read Terhufen Bros. ad.

If you don't take the Times, you 0 2.

Read the new State Savings Bank ad.

Another soaker of a rain last Saturday night.

The Rock Island System has a change of ad.

G. W. Butts was up from Goodell Tuesday.

Mrs. Nissen returned home from Garner last Friday evening.

The Times enjoyed a very pleasant call from Wm. Greimann Monday.

Geo. Elder and family, of Northwood, visited here with relatives over Sunday.

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

Chas. Suckow is painting an elevator at Goodell this week. Mrs. Suckow and daughter Fern and Bonnie Dow drove down Monday.

F. A. Arnold and Fred Ridder were at Algona Tuesday. They went over to see the Glidden auto tourists who went through that town that day.

Among the names of physicians who have been granted certificates under reciprocity to practice in Iowa, we note the name of Edgar N. Zinn of this city.

N. L. Palmer and wife and Miss Vera Kimball left last Saturday evening for Clear Lake to spend Sunday, and on Monday they attended the Barnum and Bailey circus at Mason City.

Philip Bock cut one of the fingers on his right hand quite severely Monday morning while putting a sickle in the mowing machine. The sickle went in hard and he gave it a hard push and his hand slipped with the aboye result. The accident will put Philip on the retired list for a week or two, at least as far as haying is concerned.

Klemme people turned out quite well to the Garner base ball tournament this year and they saw some good ball and some awfully poor ball. A goodly number went up from here last Thursday to see the final game between Humboldt and the fast (?) Eldora team. Eldora has a much touted ball team, but they couldn't play a decent game of marbles, Humboldt simply wiping them off the face of the earth, the score being 12 to 2. It was so rotten that the odor could be detected a mile away. The ball games were all well attended and the merry-go-round did a rushing business, but the charge admission shows were all howling because the people didn't circulate their money more freely. We are told that Dr. Brackett and Bro. Kluckhohn buried the hatchet and went and had a drink of red lemonade and a ride on the merry go push together. The Garner base ball tournament for 1909 was then voted a grand success.

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This is to call your attention to the new ad of State Savings Bank.

Frank Gruetzmacher was at Garner between trains yesterday.

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Miss Alma and Gaezena Frohling of Belmond visited here with friends during the past week.

Arthur Wellemeyer is remodeling and improving the looks of the interior of his store this week.

Miss Avis Sage and Mrs. W. E. Sage drove down from Garner last Friday, returning the same day.

A. P. McGregor and wife and daughter, from Vinton, visited here yesterday at the home of W. R. Bloom.

Frank Kluckhohn and Vic Carlson took in the circus at Mason City Monday and fed peanuts to the elephant.

Goodell and Belmond indulged in a game of ball yesterday on the former's grounds, Belmond winning by a score of 8 to 1. "Bally" played with Goodell.

Fern Suckow returned home last week Wednesday evening from a visit with relatives at LuVerne, Iowa. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Bonnie Dow, of Rake, who is visiting Klemme relatives and friends.

John Griewe and one of his cows had a little tussle the other day because the cow insisted upon feasting on the neighbors' corn. As a result of the tussle John is limping around on an injured foot, while the cow was unhurt.

Rev. H. Achtermann and family have arrived from Buffalo, N. Y., and will make Klemme their home. Rev. Achtermann preached his first sermon to his new congregation in the German Reformed church last Sunday. The Times wishes to extend to this family a cordial welcome to Klemme and we hope their stay among us may be most pleasant.

On our inside pages this week will be found the first installment of a new continued story, "The Best Man," by Harold MacGrath, author of "The Man on the Box," "Hearts and Masks," etc. This is a very interesting story. Be sure and start it this week and read it all. You'll like it.

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The Orleans Hotel on Spirit Lake has been rebuilt and will be opened on or about July 25th. Commencing on that day the Rock Island will stop trains 419, 420 and 431 at Orleans station for meals.

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Art Gibbs had charge of the yard of the Northern Lumber Co. last Monday while Mr. Palmer was at Mason City.

German M. E. Church Items

Will Lenke is taking sun baths in his brother's hay field.

Louis Sampson and wife took dinner with Wm. Sampson's on Sunday.

Ed Schaefer had the misfortune of losing a valuable horse last week.

Henry Sampson and wife, of Colesburg, are here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Gro, of Chicago, and Estella Gruetzmacher, of Galesburg, arrived on Thursday to visit with relatives.

Ed Wellemeyer of Garner and Mrs. Neumann from Nebraska spent Sunday with their nephew Arthur Wellemeyer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer, from Morning Sun, arrived here Saturday afternoon to visit with Mrs. Meyer's sister, Mrs Gust Kahler.

Miss Matilda Rest of Gladbrook, who has been visiting with Mrs. Wessel and other friends the past few weeks, left for Garner on Saturday.

Carl Griffen met with a painful accident that is hurting his arm and hand severely. While he was helping put hay in the barn, the double-tree broke, striking him on the arm.

Rev. Wessel attended a directors meeting of the Equitable Insurance Co. last week, and on Monday this week he left for Colesburg, where he expects to visit with his parents and other relatives and also do some collecting for the Charles City College endowment fund.

Sunday being the fifteenth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stille, they remembered the occasion by inviting some fifty of their relatives and friends to dinner. Little delicate-looking paper plates and a card with the name of the guest graced each one's place at the table. Everything bore the reminder of a wedding feast. When all seats were taken, a six course dinner was served To say the least, it was an elaborate and swell affair. Lydia and Edna Schuldt, Herbert Stille and Owen Noehring acted as waiters. Those present were: H. J. Stille and family. E. Schuldt and family, Aug. Lau and family, A. Koerner and family, F. Gruetzmacher and family, J. Terhufen and family. J. E. Stille and wife. W. Schuldt and wife, and Rev. Wessel and family.

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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

In a statement given out by his secretary President Taft practically tells congress the Republican party's pledges on the tariff must be kept or he will veto the bill.

Twenty-three members of the house visited President Taft and appealed to him to protect raw materials, saying their return to congress depended upon such action.

Democrats, for the first time in several years found a way in which they could defeat the Republicans. It was in a baseball game, the score being 26 to 16.

Democratic members of the house made an unsuccessful attempt to kill the provision in the urgency deficiency bill for $25,000 traveling expenses for the president.

President Taft summoned Senator Aldrich and Representative Payne to the White House and declared the tariff battle must be fought to a finish.

Ambassador Takahira is expected to be succeeded at Washington by K. Uchida, now stationed at Vienna.

Speaker Cannon refused to appoint as a conferee on the tariff, Representative Hill, who was chosen by President Taft.

By a vote of 317 to 14, all of those opposing being Republicans, the house adopted a resolution submitting the income question to state legislatures for a constitutional amendment.

PERSONAL.

Charles R. Crane of Chicago, one of the largest manufacturers of the United States, has been selected by President Taft as minister to China.

Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg was appointed chancellor of Germany to succeed Prince von Buelow.

Rev. Edward M. Dunne of Chicago, newly-appointed bishop of Peoria, took the oath of allegiance to the holy see at Washington.

J. U. Sammis of Lemars, Ia., was elected grand exalted ruler of the Elks and Detroit was selected as the meeting place of the grand lodge in 1910.

Gov. Johnson of Minnesota became seriously ill in St. Paul and it was feared another operation for appendicitis would be necessary.

Edward Payson Weston, the veteran pedestrian, reached San Francisco, five days behind his scheduled time of 100 days on his walk from New York.

William Jennings Bryan wrote a letter to President Taft urging an amendment providing for election of United States senators by the people.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt is now in Geona, Italy. She took a drive through that city accompanied by her sister, Miss Carow.

GENERAL NEWS.

Anarchists and socialists got into the strike at McKees Rocks, Pa., and urged the use of the torch and dynamite. The car company president refused to arbitrate.

The crown prince, Sultan Ahmed Mirza, was proclaimed shah of Persia in place of his father who abdicated when he fled to the Russian legation in Teheran to seek safety from the Nationalists.

W. E. Baker, engineer and Nelson Paulson, fireman, were killed and three other trainmen injured in a head-on collision of passenger trains on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railway at Royal, Ill.

Paris has heard a story that Count Boni de Castellane is to wed Miss Marjorie Gould, daughter of George Gould and niece of his former wife who is now the Princess de Sagan.

An American in London told the police he had seen Leon Ling, slayer of Elsie Sigel in that city.

G. A. Neundorf of Clark, S. D., sent a boiled egg to the attorney general's office in Washington requesting an opinion as to its freshness. It was rotten.

Glen Curtiss, a New York aeronaut, made a flight of 31 minutes in his aeroplane at Hempstead, L. I.

Reports received in London said 300 were killed by earthquakes in southern Greece and the springs spouted hot water.

Thinking she had killed her husband Mrs. Fred Fricke, of Hammond, Ind., shot herself.

The president of the police in Hanover, Germany, has issued a decree warning women against the danger of wearing long hatpins. He says a woman whose hatpin causes an accident to another is liable to prosecution for assault.

The Mississippi flood reached its crest at St. Louis, the gauge registering 35.5 feet. It will be a week before the river is normal even if no more rain falls.

Myrtle Cress was acquitted of the charge of murdering her sweetheart, John Phillips, at Cripple Creek, Col., after it had been shown with a revolver that the killing was accidental.

American imports in June aggregated $124,693,497 and exceeded exports by $7,000,000.

John D. Rockefeller has transferred his 16-story office building and other Cleveland property to his son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr.

The great historical pageant in Bath, England, illustrating the long history of that city, opened with a very large attendance from the United Kingdom and other lands and representatives of nearly every town named Bath in the world.

The Photographers' Association of America met in annual convention in Rochester, N. Y., F. R. Barrows of Boston presiding.

A two-days' meeting of the Retail Shoe Dealers' association of Michigan was held in Detroit.

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw testified at the sanity hearing that her husband, Harry K. Thaw, threatened to kill her when released from the insane asylum.

Former President Roosevelt, writing in the Outlook, said the American multi-millionaire isn't a healthy development for the country.

Louis Rosenberg, a cigarmaker of Cleveland, O., was slain for his money by Frank Elebra who committed suicide in the St. Clair Flats near Port Huron, Mich. Samuel Frisbie, a third Cleveland man, attempted suicide after being arrested.

The packet of papers kept in a safety deposit box by J. B. Sayler, the Crescent City (Ill.) banker slain by Dr. W. R. Miller, was opened by his brothers and startling evidence against the slayer was found.

A report in Paris, which is denied by the fathers of both, said Duchess de Chaulnes, formerly Theodora Shonts, is to be married to Prince Joachim Murat.

The Catholic Educational association decided to hold its 1910 convention in Detroit, July 5, 6 and 7.

A son was born in Paris to Princess de Sagan, formerly Anna Gould, who was divorced from Count de Castellane.

Plans are being made in Washington and Mexico City for a meeting of Presidents Taft and Diaz at El Paso.

Eleven of the crew of a British submarine were drowned when the war vessel was sunk in collision with a cargo steamer near Cromer, England.

Several villages were destroyed and it is reported, many persons were killed by an earthquake in southern Greece.

Reproductions of etchings of Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and Taft are being sent to adorn the walls of American embassies and legations throughout the world.

Experiments are to be made with the heliograph to ascertain its practicability as a means of communication for reporting fires in the national forests.

Because his mother was partly Japanese and partly Chinese William Knight, for 27 years in the navy and awarded a medal for bravery in the battle of Manila bay, was denied citizenship papers at New York.

In a riot of steel workers at McKees Rock, near Pittsburg, 100 men were injured, six of the strikers being seriously wounded by shots from rifles fired by deputy sheriffs and guards.

Wyatt H. Ingram, Jr., trust officer of the Hiberian Bank & Trust Company of New Orleans was arrested on a charge of embezzling $100,000.

According to Chinese of Denver the Chinese government will render the United States no aid in finding Leon Ling, slayer of Elsie Sigel, who is being protected by the Masons.

Former President Roosevelt and his party, after an all-day walk across an African desert, were forced to go without water and suffered much from thirst.

The body of Claude Hunt, who was drowned in Klinger lake near Sturgis Mich., with Miss Mary Loretta Davey of Chicago, was found by searchers.

"I'm going to pull off a little stunt to-day," said Tim Thomas of Oshkosh Wis., as he took his suit of clothes from a tailor and then went to a boarding house in Aberdeen and committed suicide.

Secretary of the Interior Ballinger said at Seattle that he had not clashed with Secretary Wilson, but that he and Gifford Pinchot differ as to the law on forest reserves.

Naval officers at Annapolis say it will be shown at the coming investigation of Lieut. Sutton's death that he shot at another when he killed himself.

TRACK TAKEN UP

Fort Dodge Citizens Are Incensed Against Railway.

TO ESCAPE PAVING EXPENSE

Fort Dodge, Des Moines & Southern Railroad Is Charged With Removing Tracks to Evade Paving Bills.

Fort Dodge, Ia., July 19.—During a conference between higher officials of the Fort Dodge-Des Moines & Southern railway and the city council, permission to remove the tracks situated on Twelfth street and Fourth avenue south, forming a part of the street railway system, was issued the company.

The action of the council follows official notification from the Fort Dodge, Des Moines & Southern that the tracks would be removed upon those streets. The obvious reason is to escape the expense of pavement, the contract for which has already been awarded. The proposed action of the company has aroused considerable feeling owing to the city service which has been only sufficient up to this point to hold down the franchise granted some time ago.

Furniture Van for Giant's Hearse.

Knoxville.—James L. Davis, the man who committed suicide by shooting himself in the head at his home, three and a half miles northeast of Knoxville, was the largest man in Marion county—a veritable giant of enormous strength and a chest like a horse, and weighed an even 360 pounds in overalls and shirt. The casket for his remains was shipped from Des Moines and is what is known to undertakers as a No. 3 extra. It is 24½ inches in depth, 2 feet 7 inches wide, 6 feet 2 inches on bottom inside and 7 fee 2 inches from outside to outside projections. It could not be carried in any hearse in the city and was taken to the cemetery in a furniture van. It was necessary to remove door facings in order to get the casket in and out of the house.

Corn Expert Is Pessimistic.

Des Moines.—"The Iowa corn crop is at the present time in the worst condition that I have ever seen it at this time of the year," said John Sundberg, president of the Iowa Corn Growers' association, while in Des Moines. Coming in direct contradiction to the reports of the government experts, who say that the corn crop is in fair condition. Mr. Sundberg's statement is rather unusual. "I have traveled all over the state, and have talked with farmers and corn experts. The southern part of the state has been especially hard hit and the crop there is in wretched condition," he continued. Mr. Sundberg says the corn is yellow from lack of cultivation and that it is extremely weedy. Besides this it is not nearly as far along as it should be at this time of year.

Iowa Girl Will Teach in Japan.

Mason City.—A flattering offer has been received by Miss Lucile Willson, a young woman who finished high school last year and has been one year in the state normal, to do kindergarten work in the schools of Japan. She has been sent a contract for three years at a salary of $160 per month with a summer vacation. She expects to complete her work at Cedar Falls and sail for Japan in August, 1910. One of the stipulations of the contract is that she shall not visit her own country during the three years' work in Japan. She may visit England, China, India or any other country save her own.

Poisons Self and Four Children.

Iowa City, Iowa.—Mrs. Ollie Oliphant, living near West Branch, poisoned her four children and herself. She gave the baby, Jesse, aged four months, strychnine in milk. The three older girls, Laura, Viola, and Nellie, the oldest ten years, were given strychnine in licorice gum. Mrs. Oliphant then drank a mixture of strychnine and arsenic in milk. Jessie died and Nellie is possibly fatally poisoned. The two older girls spit the licorice out on account of the bitter taste. She was arrested after the funeral of the baby was held.

Signs of Revolt in Lower House.

Washington, July 10.—Six Iowa republican members of the house refused to line up for a rule proposed by Speaker Cannon for consideration of the tariff bill. They were Representatives Hubbard, Haugen, Pickett, Good, Woods and Kendall. Representatives Hull, Dawson, Kennedy and Smith voted for the rule which the rules committee proposed.

Cigar Lighter Fires Big Hat.

Mason City.—Mrs. C. B. Harding chanced to be in one of the cigar stores and without noticing it came in close contact with a gas cigar burner and in a moment's time her hat was all on fire. It took quick work in removing it from her head before the fire had spread to her hair. She was badly frightened and her hands somewhat burned.

Old Settler's Election.

Villisca.—The Old Settlers' association elected the following officers: A. P. West, president; M. Cowgill, vice president; J. S. Boise, secretary, and F. F. Jones, treasurer. The executive committee, having in charge the preparation of the program, etc., for the coming fall meeting, is composed of the following: J. M. Patten, B. C. Hullinger, Dell Wallace, H. Heinsfester and H. Weber. It is the intention to make the next old settlers' meeting the most enjoyable event of the year in this city.

First White Child Born in Iowa Dead.

Milford.—Mrs. Simon Harker, probably the first white child born in Iowa, was buried at Spirit Lake. Her maiden name was Venetta Kennedy and she was born at Dubuque, Sept. 17, 1823. Her seven sons, all residents of this county, and her two daughters were all with her when she passed away. Her death is the first that has occurred in her immediate family in forty-five years.

Davis County Home Coming Day.

Bloomfield, Ia.—The first day of the Davis county fair will be "home coming day," all old and young Davis county friends and relatives now residing in other places are welcome to attend the home coming day, September 15. Governor Carroll, Lieutenant Governor Clark and General Weaver, all Davis county products will be present to take part on the program.

Lost Boy Found Working on Farm.

Iowa City.—Clarence Hughes, the 18-year-old son of Mrs. Luke Hughes, who disappeared from his home in the country, west of Iowa City, some months ago, has been discovered. His mother has located him on a farm, near Davenport, where he has been working some time, after making a trip to the Mississippi river metropolises, to "see the world."

Des Moines Man Wins Big Plum.

Des Moines.—Dispatches from Colorado state that Ivan Diggs drew No. 1 in the big government land lottery at Durango. Mr. Diggs gets an 80-acre farm in a rich fruit land belt that will be worth sortly $10,000. Mr. Digg's name does not appear in the city directory, and it is supposed that he resided in the country near Des Moines.

Call to Rev. Mr. Holmes.

Cedar Falls—Rev. O. H. Holmes of Algona, representative from Kossuth county, was extended a call to become pastor of the Congregational church here to succeed Dr. J. E. Snowden, who will retire on July 31 after fifty years in the ministry, twelve of which were at Cedar Falls.

Dobbins Gets Release Bond.

Council Bluffs.—John R. Dobbins has been released from the county jail and if there is anything to the rumors that have been current several members of the so-called Mabray aggregation are breathing easier. Dobbins was released on $6,000 bonds furnished by his attorneys.

Boy Commits Suicide.

Chariton.—August Lof, 13 years old, son of Mrs. T. J. Lof, who resides about five miles northwest of Chariton, committed suicide by hanging himself. He went upstairs shortly after dinner and committed the rash deed. No cause is known. His father died last December.

B. W. Haggard of Algona Is Dead.

Algona.—Benjamin Wilmot Haggard, for three years disbursing officer of the national house of representatives, died at the home of his father, D. A. Haggard. He had been confined to his bed for the past six months with tuberculosis and diabetes.

Rhodes Scholarship Exam.

Iowa City.—The examinations for the Rhodes scholarship in Iowa will be held on October 1 and 20. The dates have been set by the international authorities, and Iowa City has been selected as the place of meeting.

Seriously Hurt in Runaway.

Sheffield.—Dragged by a runaway team through four wire fences Fred Perin, a farmer here, was badly hurt and was severely cut with the wire.

Iowa Property Worth Two Billions.

Des Moines.—The value of real and personal property in the state of Iowa is placed at $2,445,458,961 in a report made by the state auditor.

LEGG WINS TITL

Minneapolis Golf Player Defe Guinand in Finals.

SETS NEW COURSE RECO

Cuts Under Bogey Score Fourt Times—Fights Manfully After Hard Week's Play and Against Odds.

Des Moines, July 19.—The t time was the charm for the gr Minneapolis golfer, Henry G. Le In the finals for the trans-Mississip championship the Minikahda man feated "Bun" Guinand, the slend Des Moines player, by the score 10 up and 8 to go. Legg in his thi time as finalist gave an astoundi revelation of the possibilities of t game of golf and his play will down in history. It was the greate golf ever played in the finals of transmississippi tournament by a man.

The Winners.

Championship—Harry G. Legg, M ikahda club, Minneapolis.

Runner up—Bernard G. Guina Waveland club, Des Moines.

Consolation—J. J. Elbert, Golf a Country club, Des Moines.

Runner up—Ralph Rider, Wavel club, Des Moines.

President's—A. C. Gordon, Hyp ion club, Des Moines.

Runner up—Jack Hughes, Oma Field club.

Director's—A. B. Cutts, Minikah club, Minneapolis.

Runner up—Will Bowman, Wa land club, Des Moines.

Secretary's—Ed McVey, Evanst club, Kansas City.

Runner up—A. W. Warren, St. J seph Country club.

Team championship—Hyperion cl Des Moines.

ADMIRES DES MOINES PUS

McKinley Declares No Offer Has Been Made to Purchase Street Car Line.

Des Moines, July 19.—Congressm William B. McKinley of Champai Ill., the new owner of the Des Moin electric light plant, arrived in the c to inspect his recently acquired pr erty. His coming, though unexpect was the magnet that quickly drew t interest of the entire business co munity and before he had been in t city two hours Secretary Lucius Wilson of the Greater Des Moin committee had arranged a boos meeting at the Savery which w largely attended considering the f that Saturday is a busy day. T meeting voiced an enthusiastic w come to Mr. McKinley, assurng h that Des Moines is awaiting men his type of accomplishment in prom ing its best interests.

Concerning the matter of the p chase of the local street railway, M McKinley stated last evening that deal has been made and that he do not control a share of the stock. admitted having talked the purch over with his general manager a eastern representative in compa with representatives of the Gene Electric company from whom he tained control of the electric li plant. But as to entering negotiati for purchasing the street rail plant, he denies that the matter been broached in other than the m general terms.

DES MOINES SAVES $48,439

Tax Levy This Year Is Reduced Mills Which Will Reduce Receipts $45,000.

Des Moines, July 19.—It cost $ 875.77—nearly a million dollars— run the city of Des Moines during year ending April 1, 1909. The sh of every man ,woman and child in expense is approximately $10, for per capita rate on a population 100,000 is exactly $9.56, and Moines does not have quite that m people. Most cities in Des Moi class are from $2 to $5 higher in average cost for each citizen.

But Des Moines' receipts during year in which the $998,875.77 spent amount to $333,414.43 more t the expenditures, or $1,332,290.20 all. The city's total holdings, w include cash in hand, real estate personal property April 1 were 906,427.04, while it owed $1,077,1 Of this debt $976,000 is in bonds. city has property value including 640,175 exempt, of $100,256,519 so actual indebtedness of the municip ty in bonds is about 1 per cent.

THE BEST MAN

by HAROLD MACGRATH

WITH ILLUSTRATIONS BY A. WEIL

AUTHOR of THE MAN ON THE BOX, HEARTS & MASKS

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CHAPTER I.

rrington folded the document and ghtfully balanced it on his palm. t an ironical old world it was! re was a perpendicular wrinkle ut his nose, and his lips had ned into a mere line which drooped he corners. The drone of a type- er in the adjoining room sound- bove the rattle-tattle of the street w. Through the open windows e a vague breath of summer redo- of flowers and grasses; for it was eleven o'clock of the morning, and smell of sun-baked brick and as- lt had not yet risen through the

Far beyond the smoking, ragged line Carrington could see the shift- glittering river and the great s going down to the sea. Present- he ashes from his dead cigar fell gray cascade down his coat and bled across his knees, but he gave heed.

onical old world, indeed! Here, denly and unexpectedly, he found self upon the battlefield of love duty, where all honest men find mselves, sooner or later. To pit heart against the conscience, im- e against calculation! Heigh-ho! y is an implacable goddess, and e who serve her most loyally are t ruthlessly driven. She buffets nto this corner and into that, digs alls for the hesitant foot, and shes the vacillating.

s all men will, Carrington set ut to argue down his conscience; heart is so insistent a counselor. y should he give up the woman he ed, simply because duty demanded should? After all, was not duty ely social obligation? What was o him that the sheep were sheared? s it right that he, of all men, uld divide the house, throw the k pall of dishonesty over it, de- y his own happiness and hers, n so simple a thing as a match ld crumble into nothingness this ument to one man's greed and shness? The survival of the fit- ; if he put aside Self, who would k him? Few, and many would him a fool or a meddler. So many ces spoke that he seemed to hear e distinctly.

He alone had made these astonish- discoveries; he alone had fol- ed the cunningly hidden trail of serpent. He could stop where was and none would be the wiser. be sure, it was only a question of e when the scandal would become lic through other channels; but in t event he would not be held re- nsible for bringing about the catas- phe. Besides, the ways of the ser- t are devious and many, and other estigators might not come so close the trail.

He had gone about his investiga- s without the least idea where y would lead him. At the begin- g he had believed that the guilty s were none higher than petty offi- ls; but presently he found himself g over their heads, higher and her, until, behold! he was at the of the old serpent himself. A nt had carelessly dropped a bit information, and it had taken seed h this surprising result. Henry venaugh, millionaire promoter, ncier, trust magnate, director in undred money-gathering concerns; ry Cavenaugh, the father of the he loved and who loved him! ld it be he, indeed? It seemed in- dible.

t was not a case of misappropria- n of funds, such as a man may be ity of when temporarily hard ed. It was a bold and fraudulent ing of dividends that rightfully be- ged to the investors; of wrongfully ing statements of bolstered ex- es, lack of markets, long strikes omoted by Cavenaugh and his as- ates!), insufficient means of trans- tation. An annual dividend of en per cent. of many millions that been dishonestly passed over. The orts that there would be no divi- ds encouraged a slump in the list- price of the stock, and many had under par value, thereby netting Cavenaugh and others several mil- s. And the proof of all this lay his hand!

had been a keen hunt. Many and y a blind trail had he followed, to come back to the start again. that now remained for him to do to pass this document on to the ds of the intrepid district attorney, justice would be meted out to the lty.

er father! The picture of him rose denly and distinctly in his mind. Tall, powerfully built, a hooked nose, keen blue eyes, an aggressive chin, a repellent mouth, Henry Cavenaugh was the personification of the modern Croesus. Immutable in purpose, dogged in perseverance, a relentless enemy, a Jesuit in that the end always justified the means, he stood a pillar in the world of finance, where there is sometimes justice, but never any mercy. Thirty-five years before he had been a messenger in a stock-broker's office. Of his antecedents nothing was known until he broke one of the famous gold corners in the seventies, when a handsome, ruddy-cheeked little Irishman bobbed up serenely from nowhere in particular and claimed to be the great Cavenaugh's father. But his proofs were not convincing, and when the son showed a decided contempt for him, he gently subsided into oblivion and was heard of no more. From time to time Carrington gathered a small crumb of information regarding his sweetheart's grandfather; but whenever he broached the subject, however tactfully, everybody concerned headed the conversation for a different port.

Carrington had never laid eyes on the old gentleman, and, for all he knew to the contrary, he might be a myth. He reasoned that in all probability the grandfather was illiterate, uncouth, and rather an awkward piece of family furniture to handle, when the family proper were ingratiating themselves into the Chippendales of society. Unfortunately, Mother Cavenaugh, good-hearted and amiable in her way, had been stung by the bee of the climbers, and her one ambition was to establish herself and daughters in society; and had not he, Carrington, come of an aristocratic family (poor, it is true), the doors of the Cavenaugh manor would never have opened to his knock. Even as it was, he was persona non grata to the millionaire, who was mad for a duke in the family. Besides Cavenaugh had his suspicions of any lawyer who grubbed outside the breastworks.

Some doves circled above a church-spire a few streets over the way, breaking the sunbeams against their polished wings. Finally they settled on the slate roof and fell to strutting and waddling and swelling their breasts pompously. Carrington opened and refolded the document, but he did not take his eyes from the doves. What should he do? What ill wind had blown this thing into his doorway? Nothing had warned him of the impending tangle. Until two days ago Cavenaugh was at the other end of the world, so far as his investigations at that time were concerned.

He struck a match. The sliver of pine flared palely in the sunshine, writhed and dropped, black and charred, to the floor. He shrugged his shoulders. Chivalry of this sort was not the order of the day. There was something stronger than the voice of duty, something stronger than the voice of the heart; it was the voice of pity, which urged its appeal for the hundreds of men and women who had invested their all in the Cavenaugh concerns. The thought of their ultimate ruin, should Cavenaugh be permitted to pursue his course unchecked, bore heavily upon him. No, he could not do it. He must fight, even if he lost his all in the battle. It is a fine thing to right a wrong. All the great victories in the world have been won for others than the victors. That Cavenaugh was the father of the girl he loved must have no weight on the scales of justice.

Resolutely he thrust the document into his coat pocket, closed his desk and relighted his cigar. In that moment he had mapped out his plan of action. That very night he would lay the whole thing very clearly before the girl herself, and whatever decision she made, he would stand or fall by it, for he knew her to be the soul of honor.

Poor girl! It was a heart-breaking business. How in the world should he begin, and where should he stop? Ah, that was it! He would lay the matter before her in a manner that would conceal the vital nearness of the case, as if it were some client of his who was unknown to her. And when she judged the case, he would speak the bald truth. It would be a cruel blow, but nevertheless he must deal it. She loved her father, and after his own peculiar fashion her father loved her. She was the only one in the family who could wheedle him out of a purpose; to the rest of the family his word was law immutable. It was very hard, sighed Carrington. For the father he had neither pity nor sympathy; there were many ugly tales about his financial dealings; but his whole heart went out unreservedly to the girl.

When Carrington had gone to Cavenaugh, his heart in his throat, to speak to him relative to his daughter's hand, he unwittingly knocked off the top of a volcano.

"Marry my daughter?" Cavenaugh roared, emphasizing his wrath and disapproval with a bang of fist upon palm. "My daughter shall marry only among her equals, not among her inferiors. A king is not good enough for my Kate." There was another bang of the fist, decided and final. "A lawyer? Not if I know myself. I wouldn't trust a lawyer out of sight," bluntly. "Kate shall marry a duke or a prince, if I can find one suitable."

Carrington would have smiled had the moment been less serious.

"No man can possibly appreciate her worth more readily than I, sir," he replied, "or love her more dearly."

"Love?" with a snort. "Twaddle out of story-books!"

"But you yourself love her."

"I'm her father," Cavenaugh returned complacently, adding a gesture which had the effect of describing the fact that it was perfectly logical for a father to love his daughter, but that it wasn't logical at all for any other male biped to love her.

"I am sorry," said the disheartened suitor, rising. "I suppose that after this unpleasant interview—"

"Oh, you're a decent sort," interrupted Cavenaugh generously; "and if you are of a mind to behave yourself hereafter, you will always find a chair at my table. But my daughter is not for you, sir, emphatically not. That is all, sir;" and Cavenaugh picked up his evening paper.

After such a rebuff, most young men would have given up; but Carrington never gave up till there was no possibility of winning. Immediately after the interview he went to the higher court with his appeal.

"Let us have patience," the girl whispered. "I'll undertake to bring him to reason."

But Carrington went home that night without his love for the father increasing any.

And so the matter stood at the present time. The affair had gone neither forward nor backward.

Ah, were he less honest, how easily he could bring the old curmudgeon to terms! There was that in his pocket which would open the way to the altar quickly enough. But Carrington was manly and honest to the core, and to him blackmail stood among the basest of crimes. Many times during the past 48 hours the tempter had whispered in his ear that here was a way out of his difficulties; but the young man had listened unmoved.

During the summer and autumn months of the year the Cavenaughs lived at their country place over in New Jersey, and there Carrington spent the week-ends. There were horses to ride, golf and tennis, and a Saturday night dance at the Country club. To be with the girl you love, even if you can't have her, is some compensation. Cavenaugh never joined the fetes and sports of the summer-colonists, but he offered no objections to the feminine members of his household for selecting Carrington as their escort for the week-ends. Indeed, by now he began to consider Carrington as a harmless, sensible, well-groomed young man, who relieved him of all the painful duties to the frivolous. If the colonists insisted on coupling his daughter's name with Carrington's, let them do so; when the proper moment came he would disillusionize them. For himself, he always had some good old crony down to while away the dull Sundays; and together they consummated plans that gave the coup de grace to many a noble business galleon. This particular summer there were no dukes or princes floating around unattached, and Cavenaugh agreed that it was a commendable time to lay devices by which to ambush the winter money.

There were nights when Cavenaugh did not sleep very well; but of this, more anon.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Resolutely He Thrust the Document Into His Pocket.

WARNED BY THE DENTIST.

Dire Results of Biting Thread Worth Taking to Heart.

"I'll never be able to do much for you," said the dentist, "till you quit biting your thread."

"Dear me," said the woman, "that reminds me of the days when grandmother threatened me with a whipping if I didn't quit biting my nails."

"One habit is just as reprehensible as the other," said the dentist. "You ought to be able to see you own teeth, then you would realize that you deserve a good scolding. The edges are as uneven as a saw. Now, if you were a professional dressmaker, or a factory hand you would know better than to bite your thread. They seldom do it. They have learned the art of snipping it off with the scissors without loss of time, and don't have to maltreat their teeth. It is you women who do a good deal of sewing in a non-professional capacity who think the quickest way to break a thread is to bite it. That may be good for the progress of the work, but it is bad for the teeth.

"Fortunately, you can't bite with the whole mouthful of teeth at the same time, so most of them escape. Those that really do the work are the incisors on either side. They are in a terribly bad fix. The enamel is worn off, the ridges and corrugations are an eighth of an inch deep, and—"

"Oh, don't tell me anything more," cried the woman. "You frighten me. Just fix up my shattered teeth the best you know how, and I promise never to bite another thread."

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"Whadja doin' hyuh, Bill?" asked Hannibal Harrison Tyler.

"Lookin' fo' wuk," Bill replied, sadly.

"Thought you-all wuz wukkin' for Mistuh Wowton?"

"Yaas; we sut'nly wuz wuk'n fo' Mistuh Wowton. He come to me yistiddy mawnin' an' say: 'Come on out an' make hay fo' me. I ain't gointer pay you-all enny mo' dan one dolluh a day, but I jes' tell you dis—ev'y meal you-all sits down ter yo' gointer have fo' kin's o' meat an' fo' kin's o' bread.' So we-all tuk our foot in our han' an' went out ter make his hay crap."

"Well, den huccome you-all is come back?" Hannibal inquired.

"I gwine tell yuh," William replied with an injured air. "Yistiddy mawnin' we-all wukked in de fiel', cuttin' hay an' rakin' hay, an' spreadin' hay, ontwell de dinnuh ho'n blew at 12 o'clock. Den we goes inter de kitchen, an' all we sees on de big table is a lot o' mizz'bl' po'k an' greens an' bread. So I goes to de big house an' ax Mistuh Wowton ter come down, please, suh, an look at dat dinnuh. I say, 'Mistuh Wowton, whar dem fo' kin's o' meat you done promised, please, suh?'

"Mistuh Wowton he say: 'W'y, daiah dey is—fat meat, lean meat, skin an' bone. Daiah yuh fo' kin's o' meat.'

"Den I sez ter him, 'Mistuh Wowton, whar dem fo' kin's o' bread you done promised us?' En he say: 'W'y, William, daiah dey is—white bread, co'n bread, crus' an' crumb. Daiah yuh fo' kin's o' bread.' An' da's why we-all come back hyuh."—Harper's Weekly.

WINTER LIFE OF THE ESKIMO.

With a Night Three Months Long the People Simply Hibernate.

A writer in the London Magazine describes a visit he paid lasht year to describes a visit he paid last year to

The winter "igloos," or snow houses, are much more pretentious erections than the summer "tupeks," or tents of skins, and are made to resist the extreme cold of the Arctic winter, and to serve as a comfortable hibernating place for the months during which the sun never rises above the horizon. The foundation is usually made of stones, upon which cleverly shaped blocks of snow are built up to form a dome-shaped hut. After these have frozen together the interior is lined with skins.

A long tunnel is then constructed to serve as a porch, this being built very low and narrow, necessitating an entrance being made on hands and knees, closing the first skin door before opening the second, so as to admit as little of the icy atmosphere as possible.

Heat is supplied by an "ikomar," or oil stove, made from a kind of soapstone in the shape of an oval saucer. It is filled with seal or walrus oil, never sweet-smelling, and usually very rank.

In this floats the wick, which is made of moss. This stove not only serves for heating, but also for cooking purposes, though I believe the greater part of their food is eaten raw, or, at any rate, not more than warmed through.

I saw one man eat quite four pounds of raw bear-meat, which was frozen as hard as a rock, only waiting for a second for it to half thaw in his capacious mouth.

At the back of the "igloo," at the end remote from the door, is a raised bench covered with skins, which serves as the sleeping chamber. Here the whole family turn in, taking off every vestige of clothing, finding quite sufficient warmth in the thick bear and deer skins which serve as blankets.

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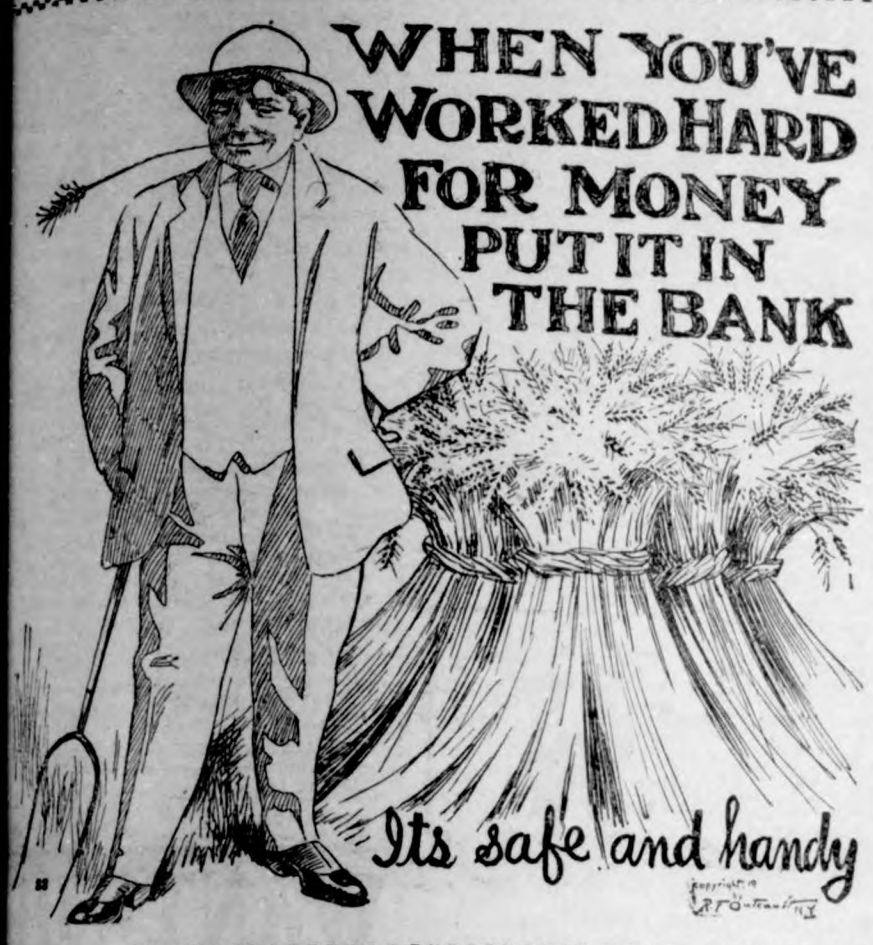

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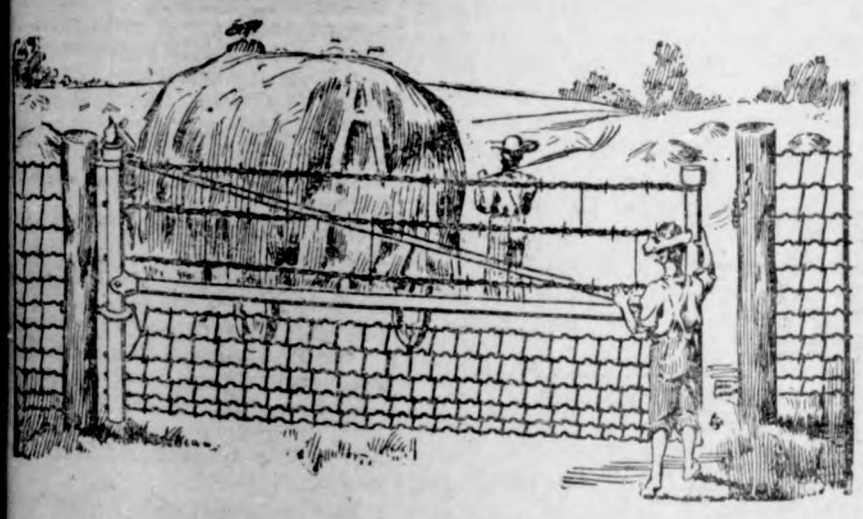

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GETS A PAIL OF MONEY

Buffalo Center Merchant is the Recipient of a Nice Package From Unknown Friend

Chas. Leibsohn was somewhat bewildered Wednesday when he received a pail by express on which there was 55 cents charges and no name of the sender. Charles paid the charges and, though quite nervous, he proceeded to open the same, on inside of which, to his amazement, he found two sacks of money. On opening the sacks both were found to be well filled with pennies and in one of the sacks was the following note: "You are my friend, you have this coming. Your friend, nothing else." Charlie at once proceeded to count the two sacks of pennies and found that they contained just 2740. The pail that the money was shipped in is a small sized candy pail and was originally from the Johnson Biscuit Co. of Sioux City, Iowa, to one E. Nye, Lake Park, Iowa. The pail was shipped by express to Mr. Leibsohn from Dysart, Iowa, and the name of the sender was not given on the express bill. The sacks in which the money was tied are regular bank coin bags and on one of them is the name of a Cedar Rapids bank. The 2740 pennies weigh exactly nineteen pounds. Mr. Leibsohn is at a loss to know just who sent the money or what it is for. He has been in business in a number of places in the state and this money is evidently "conscience money," sent to pay an old account, yet Mr. Leibsohn says that he does not know of any old account of $27.40 that he has on his books, or does not know of anyone that owes him that amount. From the tone of the note it is evident that it rightly belongs to him, but why the sender took such pains to pay it all in pennies and who that party is, is a mystery which undoubtedly will never be solved. Charlie says if it is for a joke, it is the best one he ever had played on him, and if it is to settle an old account he is very glad to get it.—Buffalo Center Tribune.

Sees Mother Grow Young

"It would be hard to over-state the wonderful change in my mother since she began to use Electric Bitters," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick of Danforth, Me. "Although past 70 she seems really to be growing young again. She suffered untold misery from dyspepsia for 20 years. At last she could neither eat, drink nor sleep. Doctors gave her up and all remedies failed till Electric Bitters worked such wonders for her health." They invigorate all vital organs, cure liver and Kidney troubles, induce sleep, impart strength and appetite. Only 50c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

Country Roads

The Ida Grove Pioneer says: Our roads in this country are too wide. Not only is it a great expense to try and care for the whole space, but the unused space is a breeder of two-thirds of our weed trouble. Let us reduce the width of the roads to twenty-five or thirty feet and then make that all road, and a good one. The sale of the extra strip of land on each side of the real road would pay for the building of a permanent high way twenty-five feet wide of crushed rock and gravel.

Nothing more practical than this has been suggested throughout the long debate on good roads. What is true of Ida county is true of every other county in Iowa, and what is true of Iowa is equally true of Nebraska and South Dakota, and possibly of all other states. The suggestion made by the Pioneer is worth while as affecting the weed nuisance, over which there has been legislation and little corresponding benefit. There is much waste in county roads. The policy prevailing—or the absence of policy—is inexcusably extravagant.

The Pioneer's idea has been utilized in some of our cities, where the width of many streets has been reduced and much saving secured in the matter of paving and maintenance. If a town street, with considerable trafic, at a width of twenty-five or thirty feet, and in many instances less than that, amply serves the purpose, there is no reason why the country road should not be brought down to the limit indicated.

There is idle land, productive only of nuisance, appropriated to every highway that may be used to pay for the permanent improvement of the country road. That this land should have been held for present values may be all right, but as fast as the good roads are wanted, the surplus should go into improvements.—Sioux City Journal.

IT

Should be borne in mind that saving money is the start towards wealth. Every man

CAN'T

get rich, but everyone can save something. No matter how small your income may be, if you make up your mind to lay up part of your earnings every week, it may

RAIN

and then rain some more, but with a snug little sum to your credit in the bank you can laugh at hard times and poverty. While the Sun of Prosperity is shining is the time to save for the rainy days that are

ALWAYS

bound to come. If you have not already started an account with us, do it now. A good beginning is half the battle.

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JOHN HARTFELDER BUYS BUSINESS

Is Now the Owner of the Meservey Meat Market Which He Purchased Last Week

J. F. Hartfelder, one of our most progressive farmers, has recently purchased a business in our neighboring town, Meservey. The particulars of the transaction are given in the following extract from last week's Meservey Messenger:

"A deal was closed last Saturday whereby J. F. Hartfelder purchased the building of H. J. Klemme and business of the Meservey meat market from A. Uiter Markt and will take possession next Monday. The shop will be under the management of Lou Jones, as Mr. Hartfelder will remain on his farm for a time at least. The services of Mr. Uiter Markt have been retained; he will do the killing and a part of the outside work pertaining to the business. We are informed that the building will be thoroughly renovated, painted and placed in first-class shape for the handling of meat and a complete stock will be carried. The people of this locality should see to it that Mr. Hartfelder's ambitions to give them a modern butcher shop meets with his expectations."

Life 100,000 Years Ago

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown, of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough." To cure sore lungs, colds, obstinate coughs, and prevent pneumonia, it's the best medicine on earth. 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co. Trial bottle free.

Of What She Died

An old German woman became ill and was taken by her husband to a hospital for treatment.

The first day she was there, when her husband called to inquire about her, the doctor said she was improving. On the second day he was told again of "great improvement." On the third and fourth days the assurance was again "a steady improvement." This was very encouraging to the old German, but when he called on the fifth day he was told that his wife was dead. In his grief he sought his favorite friend.

"Vat's der matter?" asked the sympathetic friend.

"Ach! My vife iss dead," replied the German.

"So? Vat did she die of?" asked the friend.

"Improvements," replied the husband.

Try It On the Dog

Belle Plaine Union: It is said to be customary when a new play is brought out to take it into the country towns and try it out before staging it in the cities. This is called "trying it on the dog." It might not be a bad idea to do likewise with the new tariff bill—and let Rhode Island be the dog.

Why Women Prefer It

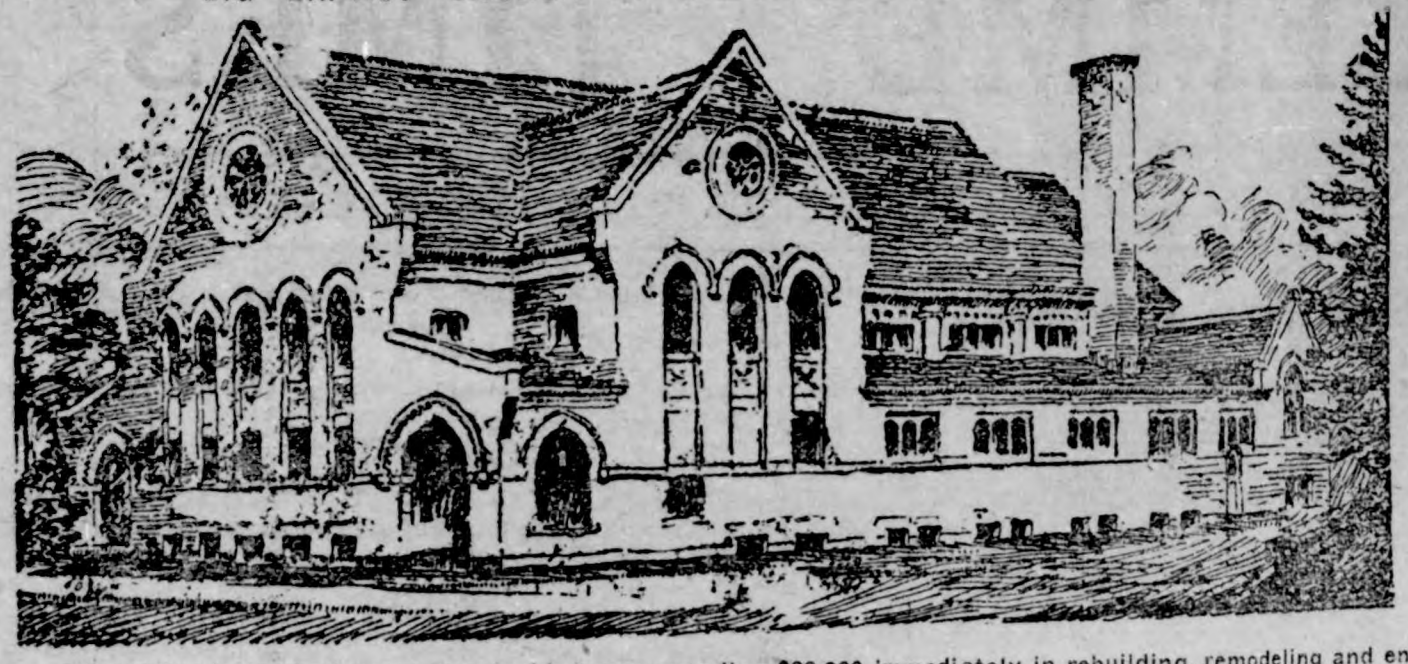
When the newsboy comes through the train with the Chicago papers, watch the married couple across the aisle. If the man is a well-regulated husband he will ask his wife which paper she prefers, and then you may lay odds that the one chosen will be the Record-Herald. There is no mystery about it. The man knows that he will find all the news in the Record-Herald, to be sure, but the woman knows that it is the only paper that also gives adequate attention to the things in which women are specially interested. In every daily issue she can find a bill of fare for the day's three meals, reliable society news, good book reviews, Mme. Qui Vive's pungent comments on beauty questions, bright verses and jokes without vulgarity, a cartoon that anybody can enjoy and a fair share of the news of the day relating to women. Every Monday there is "Martha's Management," a very helpful column of culinary topics. In the Sunday edition a whole section is devoted to women, including Marion Harland's famous page, Mme. Qui Vive's vivacious columns, Jennette Hope's fashions direct from Paris, Dame Curtsey's "Novelties in entertainment," and many special articles of timely interest. Then there is the Sunday Magazine of the Record-Herald, a real magazine full of good love stories and beautiful pictures. Do you wonder that women prefer the Record-Herald?

New Corporation for Garner

The Oregon Timber and Investment Company is a new Garner corporation which completed its organization July 9. They incorporated for $100,000. $35,000 have been subscribed and paid up. They already own 1000 acres of timber estimated to contain 45,000,000 feet of lumber. The officers are: F. M. Hanson, President, Wm. Schaper, Vice President; C. G. Bracher Secretary, and J. H. Michael, Treasurer, who are also directors. The additional directors are: C. J. Schneider, W. H. Ballard, J. C. Morrison and J. F. W. Vrba.

Read the advertisements and patronize the merchants who ask for your trade.

BIG BAPTIST CHURCH TO BE REMODELED AND ENLARGED.



Baptists of Marshalltown have decided upon spending $20,000 immediately in rebuilding, remodeling and enlarging their church in that city. When this work is done it will be one of the finest churches in central Iowa. There will be a banquet room 57x92 feet in size.

PROTEST AGAINST HANGING.

William R. Benkert.

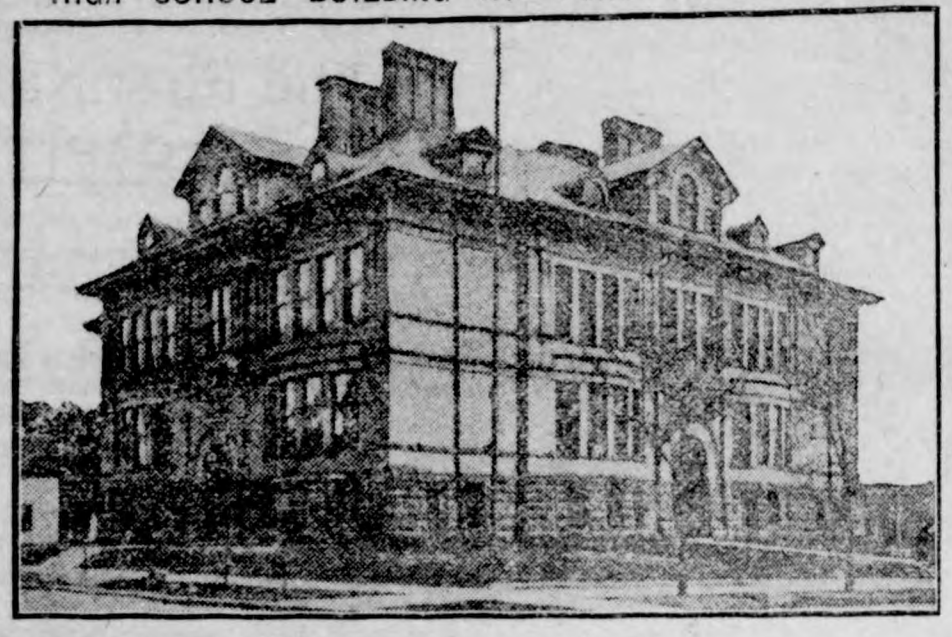
During the recent trial of the negro Junkin, in Centerville, for a capital crime committed in Ottumwa, a sensation was created by the publication of an appeal to the Christian sentiment of the people to prevent the hanging of the accused person. This appeal was on high grounds—the thought that the taking of human life is not a proper function of government and is in violation of the command to not kill. The appeal was signed by William R. Benkert, as chairman of the executive committee of the United Christian party.

There was much criticism of Mr. Benkert for this action, but it was entirely consistent with the principles advocated openly and courageously by the organization of which he is the head. That party has a platform which is not at all original and doesn't claim to be a new thing. In fact, the party might be open to the charge of plagiarism, for the platform entire consists of the Ten Commandments.

The United Christian party appears not to have attracted national attention, but that has not prevented the party going ahead and holding national conventions, maintaining an executive committee and engaging in the distribution of literature. Mr. Benkert is a resident of Davenport. The last national conference of the party was held in the famous Watch Tower on Rock Island in May, when plans were laid for organizing the various states and this was left largely to Mr. Benkert. He has the very great advantage that his wife, Mrs. Katherine Benkert, is secretary of the committee, so that there is not to be any friction in the workings of the organization. In fact, he is quite ready to concede to the secretary leadership in the good work and to accord to her more of the credit for that which has been accomplished than he takes to himself.

Mrs. Katherine M. Benkert.

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING AT FORT DODGE REBUILT.



High School Building at Fort Dodge.

The splendid old high school building which was erected in Fort Dodge 12 years ago was completely destroyed by fire two years ago. Some of the walls were left standing, but it was possible to completely remodel the building and give it a much handsomer appearance in the rebuilding, which has been done, and to-day the city has a high school which the residents regard as one of the finest in the state.

BIG BILL FOR INSURANCE.

Iowa's life insurance bill annually is $10,645,453.41, which is a little more than $4 a year for every man, woman and child in the state. Auditor of State John L. Bleakley is issuing the insurance reports this year in three volumes instead of two. The first volume which is the fire insurance report is already out. The second volume will contain all life insurance reports except fraternal beneficiary and it will be out in a short time. The third volume will contain the fraternal beneficiary report only. The report shows that the ten old line Iowa life insurance companies had in force at the close of 1908, $112,851,757, while December 31, 1907, they had in force but $100,486,623. The amounts paid beneficiaries and policyholders increased from $1,207,663 to $1,288,571. The insurance in force by companies outside of Iowa doing a business here increased on the business done in Iowa from $174,667,735 to $186,439,254. The insurance in force by the Iowa and non-Iowa assessment companies increased from $78,257,000 to $85,542,620.

CLAY MODELING IN IOWA.

Interest taken by H. F. and L. C. Pumphrey, of Fairfield, in clay modeling may result in the establishment there of a pottery factory. The remarkable specimens of ware produced by the Pumphreys were shown some Chicago promoters and they are taking steps to establish a factory in case Jefferson county clay in found suitable. Business men of Fairfield have subscribed $350 for the erection of a kiln to test samples of clay in and the work will be begun in a short time. The kiln is already being erected. A number of small vessels burned in brick kilns here have commanded a good market, especially those decorated in natural colors by Mr. H. F. Pumphrey. The Pumphreys are now working on a life-size statue, "The Last of the Indians."

TO ENTERTAIN OLD VOTERS.

Mt. Pleasant will entertain the Fremont Voters' association of the First district, September 15. A meeting of the executive committee was held, and the preliminary arrangements made. The following members of the executive committee were present: J. A. Keck, Stockport, President; T. R. Rankin, Burlington; N. Crutchfield, Wapello, and J. A. Thomas, Mt. Pleasant. Dr. Schaeffer, of Keokuk, and S. C. Gardner, of Washington, were unable to be present. It was arranged to leave the details in charge of Mayor Dugade, J. A. Thomas and August Hettich, of Mt. Pleasant.

The German army numbers 5,000,000 men

AN IOWA SOLDIER MONUMENT.

Soldiers' Monument, Monticello.

In the beautiful little cemetery at Monticello, Ia., there was erected recently and unveiled with an appropriate program, a handsome monument dedicated to the unknown and unnamed dead of the rebellion, and especially to the departed members of Company H, Thirty-first Iowa Volunteers, a company which was raised in Jones county. The monument was the gift of S. S. Farwell, an old resident of the county, now quite feeble, but having the spirit of patriotism strong.

WILL USE HISTORIC ROAD.

The extension of the Council Bluffs & Omaha Street Railway company's lines to the school for the deaf, now about completed, will run for a short distance over the historic Lewis & Clark road. The county board of supervisors visited the school and granted permission for building the track over the road to a connection with the coal sheds at the institution. Ever since the school was established all fuel for the school has had to be hauled in wagons from Council Bluffs, a distance of nearly four miles. With the completion of the motor company's tracks coal cars will be switched to it and taken out and placed on a siding at the side of the heating plant.

Keen.

Self-importance is generally most keenly felt just after one has pounded one's thumb.

CALLING DOWN THE BOASTER

Good Little Story Told by William Dean Howells as a Rebuke to Spread-Eagleism.

"It was William Dean Howells," said a Chicago editor, "who first rebuked us Americans for our spread-eagleism, for our foolish boasting. I see that Mr. Howells has just joined a men's society for the promotion of woman suffrage. Trust him to be in the forefront always.

"I once heard Mr. Howells deliver a fourth of July oration in Maine. The orator preceding him had boasted a good deal. Mr. Howells showed that some of the man's boasts were even impious.

"He said that these spread-eagle boasters deserved the rebuke that the little child administered to the cackling hen that had just laid an egg. The child, angered by the hen's continuous cawk-cawk-cawk, cawk-cawk-cawk-cawk, shook his little finger at her and said:

"'You fink you're smart. But Dod made dat egg. You touldn't help but lay it!'"

WAS HE RIGHT.

Mrs. Rant—Do you think men are more clever than women?

Mr. Rant—Some men are.

Mrs. Rant—Who are they?

Mr. Rant—Single men.

He Bit.

The city man was jogging on toward the summer boarding-house in a rickety old wagon. The driver was glum and far from entertaining, and the city man felt rather lonely.

"Fine field over there," he ventured, after a long silence.

"Fine," grunted the driver.

"Who owns it?"

"Old man Bitt."

"Old man Bitt, eh? Who are those children stacking up hay?"

"Old man Bitt's boys."

"And what is his idea in having them out there in the field such a hot day?"

"Wal, I reckon he thinks every little Bitt helps, stranger. Anything else you want to know? Get up here, hosses."

Reputations.

"The Autocrat," remarked the Recondite Person, "made a remark the import of which escaped me until the other day. He said: 'Many a man has a reputation because of the reputation he expects to have some day.'"

"That's not a half bad remark," suggested the Practical Person, "but my son—just out from college, you know, and in the habit of thinking hump-backed thoughts, as it were—said something only this morning that appealed to me: 'Some men,' he said, 'get a reputation and keep it; other men get a reputation and make it keep them.'"

SURPRISED HIM
Doctor's Test of Food.

A doctor in Kansas experimented with his boy in a test of food and gives the particulars. He says:

"I naturally watch the effect of different foods on patients. My own little son, a lad of four, had been ill with pneumonia and during his convalescence did not seem to care for any kind of food.

"I knew something of Grape-Nuts and its rather fascinating flavor, and particularly of its nourishing and nerve-building powers, so I started the boy on Grape-Nuts and found from the first dish that he liked it.

"His mother gave it to him steadily and he began to improve at once. In less than a month he had gained about eight pounds and soon became so well and strong we had no further anxiety about him.

"An old patient of mine, 73 years old, came down with serious stomach trouble and before I was called had got so weak he could eat almost nothing, and was in a serious condition. He had tried almost every kind of food for the sick without avail.

"I immediately put him on Grape-Nuts with good, rich milk and just a little pinch of sugar. He exclaimed when I came next day 'Why doctor I never ate anything so good or that made me feel so much stronger.'

"I am pleased to say that he got well on Grape-Nuts, but he had to stick to it for two or three weeks, then he began to branch out a little with rice or an egg or two. He got entirely well in spite of his almost hopeless condition. He gained 22 pounds in two months which at his age is remarkable.

"I could quote a list of cases where Grape-Nuts has worked wonders."

"There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Have No Use for Pins.

All American exporters concer... are warned by Consul General D... that they'll never get rich by se... pins to the people of Shanghai. ... Chinese have no use for pins, ... says, "strings and knots and l... meeting every requirement of ... and female, young and old, to keep ... or her garments securely and a... fastened."

Starch, like everything else, is ... ing constantly improved, the p... Starches put on the market 25 y... ago are very different and inferio... those of the present day. In the... est discovery—Defiance Starch—... injurious chemicals are omitted, ... the addition of another ingredient ... vented by us, gives to the Starc... strength and smoothness never ... proached by other brands.

The Only Way.

"My wife never opens letters ... are addressed to me."

"You have 'em all sent to your ... address, do you?"—Cleveland Le...

It is a mother's duty to keep cons... on hand some reliable remedy for u... case of sudden accident or mishap t... children. Hamlins Wizard Oil ... depended upon for just such emerge...

It's no use talking about the p... of God if your life is a provoc... to your neighbors.

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The wastes of love bring gr... riches than the wisdom of greed.

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Minneapolis, Minn.—"I was a ... sufferer from female troubles ... caused a weak... and broken ... condition of ... system. I re... much of what I... E. Pinkham's ... etable Compo... had done for ... suffering wom... felt sure it ... help me, and I ... say it did hel... wonderfully. ... pains all left ... grew stronger, and within three mo... I was a perfectly well woman.

"I want this letter made publ... show the benefit women may d... from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege... Compound."—Mrs. JOHN G. MOL... 2115 Second St., North, Minnea... Minn.

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PARDON SMITH

Board Recommends Clemency for Aged Convict.

F AUTHOR OF "AMERICA"

r of Davenport Sent Up for ezzlement for Eleven Years ing East to Die at End of Five Year Term.

Moines, July 24.—Samuel Franith, once mayor of Davenport son of the author of "Americavicted of perjury, larceny and ement, has been granted a don by the board of parole subGov. B. F. Carroll's approval. , aged 73 years, tottering and from his five years' confine- Anamosa, will be allowed to to the old family home in Center, Mass., to live the deyears of his life with his wife pled daughter.

ically all the leading citizens enport pleaded for clemency old man. Though Smith was ed of large defalcations, in- the hard earned money of and orphans, sympathy for neer citizen and one time promawyer gained the upper hand minds of the people, many of were the largest losers by his

was an early settler in Iowa. from an aristocratic New d family he settled with his Davenport in the early days. from the first a leader in the of the city. He was honored e office of mayor; was a leadhurch work, and was generally zed as a representative citizen enport.

Pharmacists Pass Examinations.

lady pharmacists passed the examination given by the state cy commission at Iowa City e 11, according to the list of ful candidates just announced cretary C. W. Larson. The xamination of the state pharboard will be given August 5. ing is the list of successful nts: Seth A. Bergren, Stanas. E. Booge, Sioux City; M. ntz, Waterloo; J. Albert Pierce, , Col.; J. A. Anderson, Iowa William Dolash, Tama; Oscar h, Waterloo; Charles M. Lynds, port; Elmer Weidenholft, Dev- Omer C. Bishart, Wayland; Reimersma, Sioux Center; C. Domina, Iowa City; Peter Jr., Marengo; P. S. Wanamakwa City; Phillip Sipfle, Clin- Harrison H. Gibbs, Cedar Rap- Frank E. Horak, Cedar Rap- Henry Henrichson, Clinton; R. Lent, Correctionville; Hararden, Casey; J. Rea Morford, ton; Alvin H. Kohl, Mechanicsand John H. Schumenman, Cells.

After Roads.

missioner E. G. Wylie has askrailroad commission to modify its rules which requires that package or article shipped by t in less than carload lots must arly marked with the name and s of the consignee. It is found here 200 or 300 brick or more pped every brick would have to arked, which is deemed clearly ctical.

ers for Large Sum.

requires the services of two men rry the vouchers filed in probate by the executors of the estate e late James Callanan. The pare the first filed since the death e millionaire in 1904. There are than 4,000 vouchers in the big and they account for the expene of more than $750,000.

to Play Golf Here.

t President William H. Taft will golf on the beautiful eighteencourse of the Golf and Country when he attends the military ament, September 20, is assured. as written President James B. er, Jr., of the Golf and Country saying that he would be pleased y over the local links.

an Naturalized.

e first woman in Iowa to apply naturalization papers since the law of the last general assembly into effect, July 1, was Anna Au- Bertha Steffens, who was granter first papers in district court. new law allows foreign-born womo become citizens. Miss Steffens born in Germany.

men File Affidavits.

ymen who allowed Lottie Louer from Ben Banning on breach of ise filed affidavits in district denying that they had been re- in their methods at arriving at rdict.

The Mabray and Crabtree Cases.

Des Monies, July 22.—That Corporal Lisle Crabtree, charged with the murder of Captain John C. Raymond of the Second cavalry, and J. C. Mabray, accused of using the United States mails to defraud, will both be tried before Judge McPherson in Des Moines at the next session of the federal court is the opinion of many of the local officers. And if so it will make the September term of the federal court by far the most important that has ever been held in this city and probably in the state of Iowa from a standpoint of general interest to the public.

Both cases have already been given the widest publicity. They affect a large number of people and both have many features of the tragic which has aroused a keen interest in everyone. Both men are anxious to be tried in the federal court in Des Moines—one because he fears his enemies in Council Bluffs. The federal officers are as anxious to try Mabray in Des Moines as he is to have his trial here because they believe they stand better chances of securing a conviction, while on the other hand the prisoner feels that he has a better chance for an acquittal. So with both sides favoring a hearing in this city it seems certain that it will be held here.

Shippers Win in Freight Rate Fight.

Live stock shippers won their fight before the state railroad commission when the ruling was made that the 31-foot minimum rate rule will be enforced until June 1, 1910, and it will be changed if conditions then are the same as at the present time. The compromise was based on the theory that railroads should not be required to furnish 31-foot cars when they have none, but that the shippers should be given sufficient notice before the change is made.

Applications for higher rates on candy, confectionery, hides and leather in rolls were denied, these decisions being victories for Freight Commissioner E. G. Wylie and other representatives of the shipping interests.

The commission ruled in favor of the creameries and an order was made that joint express rates equal to 80 per cent of the sum of the two locals be placed in effect. A reservation was made in favor of the express companies, allowing them to charge a reasonable amount for transfers.

No Mystery in Byers' Death.

Col. A. W. Swalm made a complete investigation into the circumstances surrounding the death of Lawrence Marshall Byers in London and reached the conclusion that everything possible was done by the doctors and nurses at the London nursing home where Professor Byers' death occurred, but that it was impossible for them to proong his life.

This information was conveyed to Maj. and Mrs. S. H. M. Byers in a letter which they received from Colonel Swalm, written at Southampton July 13. Colonel Swalm was unable to make the trip to America in charge of the body, as he could not secure leave of absence from his post as consul at Southampton in time to embark on the Majestic.

First Year Under Commision Plan.

Des Moines, Iowa.—It cost $998,875.77—nearly a million dollars—to run the city of Des Moines during the year ending April 1, 1909. The share of every man ,woman and child in this expense is approximately $10, for the per capita rate on a population of 100,000 is exactly $9.56, and Des Moines does not have quite that many people. Most cities in Des Moines' class are from $2 to $5 higher in the average cost for each citizen.

The Treasurers Are Chosen.

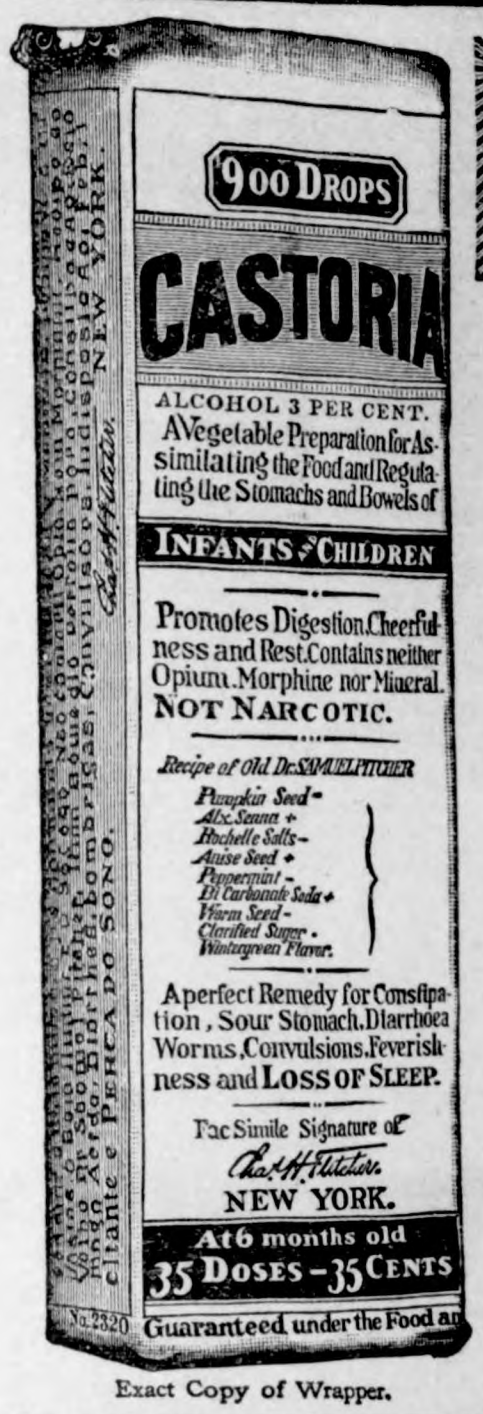
Shedding their coats and rolling up their sleeves the members of the newly created board of education met in the speakers' room at the state house. Treasurers for the three state educational institutions were elected as follows: H. N. Silliman, Cedar Falls; A. E. Swisher, Iowa City, and Herman Knapp, Ames. E. W. Stanton of Ames was elected secretary of that school. These officers will serve from July 1, 1909 to June 30, 1910.

Fine New Map Is Printed.

The placing of red stars to show the track connections of the various roads operating in Iowa is a feature of the new map of Iowa, which has just been completed and which is being sent out from the office of the state railroad commission. The map also shows all interurban lines up to date as well as the Mason City extension of the Iowa Short line.

"Long Distance" Divorce.

Although occupying the office of United States district attorney of Alaska, 3,000 miles from the city of Des Moines, J. J. Crossley, formerly senator from Madison county in the Iowa legislature, secured a divorce in the district court of Polk county on July 16, 1909. The decree was signed by Judge McHenry.



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Tuberculous Children.

In the cities of New York and Boston there are, according to special commissions which recently investigated the subject, over 30,000 children in these two cities alone that have tuberculosis. On the basis of these and other investigations it is estimated by certain authorities that there are nearly 1,000,000 school children in the United States to-day who will probably die of tuberculosis before they have reached the age of 18. This would mean that the public is paying annually about $7,500,000 for the education of children who will die before they reach the age of 18.

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Special Correspondence:

Clifford Swartz visited his parents near Garner Sunday.

Mr. Babcock, of Kanawha, has rented the Fred Ax house.

Mrs. Hake, of Belmond, has been visiting at Joe Lawhorn's.

Mrs. Joe Lawhorn visited relatives at Garner over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wessels spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Esk.

Walter Stoker left Saturday for a visit with relatives at Waseca, Minn.

Herman Schuldt and wife, of Twin Lake, visited at Herman Barz' Sunday.

Hod Lawhorn and wife entertained Tom Nelson and wife and Mark Adwell and family Sunday.

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GOODELL

From the Globe:

John Nolte was a Rowan visitor over Sunday.

Aug. Lau has had his elevator newly painted.

Wm. Beiers went to Chicago with stock the fore part of the week.

O. T. Bamford's children spent Sunday near Klemme at the home of Elmer Thomas.

Miss Mary Christensen left Monday for Kellogg, Iowa, where she has a position in a general store.

The Hall family are now living in Mrs. Avery's house in the south part of town. Mrs. Avery will spend a few months at the home of her brother in Minnesota.

A township Sunday School convention will be held at Center school house, Twin Lake township on Sunday Aug. 1st at 2:00 p m. A good program has been arranged and all are cordially invited to be present.

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MESERVEY

From the Messenger:

Wm. Umverferth is reported quite seriously sick at his home northwest of town.

Rev. J. G. Theilken of the Reformed church, accompanied by his wife, came up from Palsville Wednesday and were making calls on the parishioners here. Many are the expressions of regret among the members of his church here of his decision to remove from among them.

The past two weeks has given a whole lot of encouragement to the farmers in this locality. Weather has been ideal and crops have greatly advanced. Oats that two weeks ago seemed nothing are making good, and corn is looking fine. The farmer has had to do his work this season in discouraging difficulties but there is splendid prospects for a reward to those that have been industrious

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to Mr. and Mrs. G. H. on Thursday, July 22,

ghter was born to Mr s. Wm. Prull last Sunday g.

Gruetzmacher and fam- e here from Charles City nnday.

P. Ell was at Garner turday having some den- k done.

tal Lake had a big fire night, four or five build- ing destroyed.

Suckow has been paper- interior of Arthur Wel- r's store this week.

John Baumgartner and n left Monday for Lehigh, for a visit with relatives.

W. Lemke has concluded needs the home paper, added his name to our readers.

w shipment of Tables has een received at Welle- s. Extension tables and tables. 1w

e Day and his crew of ters this week finished nstruction of a large new for Wm. Bachman on his rm six miles southeast of ne. The new building is feet, 14 foot posts, has a ent and is modern in ev- rticular.

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gust Lau has certainly the paint fly this summer. as newly painted his ele- buildings in Klemme and ell, also his fine residence emme and the buildings on farm. While working on levator at Goodell he lost oustache. He did not say ut we opine that the wind blowing so hard at that altitude that his upper lip shaven clean by the gentle yrs.

ing obliged to take it for I will sell it out cheap;
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e had at G. F. Schuler's er, Iowa.

Brother Fred Sells to Brother John

Last week a deal was consumated whereby the Klemme meat market changes hands, John Griewe purchasing the business from his brother Fred, who has been running it for a short time. John has been working in the shop right along so he is not new to the business, and we predict for him success in his business venture. We have not been informed as to what Fred intends to do, but we hope he will continue to reside among us. The new proprietor took posession of the business Monday.

Threshers Attention — W. R. Bloom has his threshing coal in, several varieties of the best qualities Call and get prices. 51

Mrs. N. L. Palmer and Miss Vera Kimball were Garner visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Maus and children, of Rake, Iowa, are visiting at the Tom Blank home.

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A new baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yahnke, Tuesday, July 26th.

The Dain Hay Loaders are selling like hot cakes. They are dandies. See H. Lau & Son.

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

Henry Henschen and family arrived here Tuesday from Fort Wayne, Indiana, for a visit at the Henschen home.

Having sold out, I desire those owing me on account to please call and settle as soon as possible. Fred C. Griewe.

Eru Lewis returned Tuesday from a six weeks' visit among friends and relatives at Beaver Dam and other Wisconsin points.

Mrs. J, H. Maher arrived in Klemme from Preston, Iowa, last Friday, for a visit with her husband, agent for the Rock Island.

W. R. Bloom shipped a car of hogs Sunday, H. C. Lau a car Wednesday, and Julius Priebe a car of cattle Wednesday. Mr. Priebe went in with his shipment.

New cement walks are being laid along the street in front of the barber shop, the opera house and the vacant lot of the Rock Island Plow Co. this week. H. Allen is doing the work.

"Mont" Pollock was found dead in his room at Garner last Thursday morning. It is supposed that he committed suicide as there was a bottle close at hand which had contained carbolic acid. The cause for the rash act is not known.

The mule is gone. No more will the people in the business part of town have sweet music to cheer them up in their strenuous daily labors. J. W. Scott has sold Jack to Henry Schwartz so while Jack has not really gone from town, still his melodious voice will hardly carry to the down town district. Just by chance G. A. Pabst was the proud possessor of this bunch of mule-flesh for a while last Saturday, but the Edison phonograph was not tuned right to chord with Jack's basso profundo, so Pabst sold him back to Scott. Here's hopin' Jack likes his new place.

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Henry Yahnke Injured

Henry Yahnke was the victim of a very serious accident last Sunday afternoon and the results came near to being fatal. In company with a few friends he was engaged in playing base ball at the place of Albert Fuller. Henry was catching behind the bat without the usual mask to protect his face, when a foul tip hit him full in the face His nose was broken and the hemorrhage which followed was most severe and for a time it was feared he would not be able to survive. Medical aid was summoned immediately and it was with great difficulty that the flow of blood was stopped. At present he is resting easy and seems to be well on the way to a good recovery.

On Tuesday afternoon a number of his friends, members of the Klemme Camp M. W. A. went to Henry's place with teams and binders and proceeded to cut and shock up his oat crop. This is an act of kindness which no doubt will be highly appreciated by Mr. and Mrs. Yahnke. All his many friends hope Henry may speedily recover from the effects of his accident and soon be as good as new again.

Notice

To all owners, occupants or parties in control of real estate and lots in the Town of Klemme:

Please take notice that all noxious weeds growing upon said property shall be mowed before Aug. 5th, 1909, and all weeds on the streets and alleys within the town of Klemme shall be mowed before the 5th day of August, 1909, and on failure to cut such weeds before said date, they will be mowed by the street commissioner and the expense will be assessed to the abutting property.

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German M. E. Church Items

Mrs. Hans Josten of Garner was a Klemme caller last Friday.

Ernest Wellemeyer returned to Charles City Tuesday morning.

Howard Terhufen is spending a few days in Germantown with his cousins.

Mrs. W. C. A. Gast has been quite sick the last week, suffering with gall-stones.

Wm. Sampson has been in Germantown of late assisting his son in-law, W. C. A. Gast, with his work.

Miss Carrie Philenwarth, of Monona, spent the fore part of this week with Mrs. Josten and other former Clayton county people.

The "Standard Bearer" Society will meet with Mrs. Wessel next week Friday evening. As this is the last meeting in this conference year, all members are urged to pay their dues by that time.

The members of the Klemme "Standard Bearer Society" are supporting a "Bible woman" in China, besides their regular missionary dues. To raise a small balance of this amount they served ice cream, cake. coffee and doughnuts on the church lawn Tuesday evening.

Mother Brouwer and Etna Suckow, of Garner. spent Sunday with the latter's parents in Germantown.

Henry Lenz of Lansing, Iowa, stopped off a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Yahnke, on his way home from Dakota.

Wm. Bredlow and wife and Albert Riemer and wife, of north Germantown. called on Grandma Gruetzmacher Sunday afternoon.

Our meat market has again changed proprietors. Fred C. Griewe has sold out to his brother and John is the new "butch."

Blanche Merten, of Charles City, spent Saturday and Sunday in Klemme, the guest of Emelia Lenz, returning Monday afternoon.

Ernest Weliemeyer has made a material change in the appearance of his brother's store. Practically there are now five separate departments in one building.

Prof. W. F. Finke of Charles City will conduct the fourth quarterly meeting Saturday and Sunday in the Germantown church. There will be no services in the Klemme church.

Since Mrs. H. L. Schuldt and daughters are about to move to Garner, a number of ladies, members of the W. F. M. Society gave Mrs. Schuldt a "Farewell," last week in the form of a surprise.

Lurena Wessel gave a party Monday evening in honor of Esther Huff of Charles City who had been visiting with her nearly a week. Her Sunday School classmates were the invited guests

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Griffen had their little daughter christened last Sunday, naming her Madeline Meta. A large circle of friends and relatives had been invited and a splendid dinner was served.

The weather last week was most favorable to the farmers. They put up a lot of hay and many cut oats. Though we were not in need of rain, like other localities. the mild sprinkle Sunday night was very refreshing.

Wm. Brandt, who was taken to the Osteopath Infirmary at Kirksville, Mo., in a helpless condition two months ago, returned last week so much improved that he is able to walk almost as well as a healthy person. He received many hearty handshakes at the church Sunday and his neighbors were all delighted to see him so much improved. He will return for further treatment in September.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Government statistics show a decrease of 20 per cent. in immigration to the United States for the month of June as compared with May.

The house passed the urgency deficiency bill which includes $25,000 traveling expenses for President Taft.

President Taft gave a dinner for the tariff conferees and attempted to break the deadlock into which Senator Aldrich and Representative Payne had gotten them.

James T. Lloyd of Missouri was elected chairman of the Democratic congressional campaign committee.

Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh will leave Washington for his summer home at Dublin, N. H., as soon as congress adjourns.

PERSONAL.

Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard university, in a Boston address said the twentieth century will bring about a new religiou.

William Franklin Willoughby, of Virginia, has been appointed assistant director of the census bureau.

Huntington Wilson, assistant secretary of state, is ill of appendicitis in Washington.

President Taft will attend the trans-Mississippi commercial congress in Denver, August 16.

The report that the king of Portugal is to wed Princess Alexandra of England was officially denied in London.

Judge Joseph R. Clarkson of Kenosha, Wis., who disappeared from Omaha for five months, 18 years ago, is again mysteriously missing.

Wayne M. Belvin, a New Yorker who was caught "short" in the wheat corner, was thrown out of the office of James A. Patten in Chicago by the "wheat king's" body guard.

Deep Sky, a Sioux Indian chief, procured a license in New York to wed Adele Rowland, a pretty white girl.

Henry Farman made a flight of 40 miles, lasting more than an hour, in his aeroplane, sailing from Chalons to Suippes, France.

John S. Wise, Jr., of New York, according to a report from Paris, France, said former President Roosevelt may be a candidate for mayor of New York.

GENERAL NEWS.

Two members of a party from Illinois were killed and two badly hurt when caught by a cloudburst in Two Mile canyon, near Boulder, Col.

Urged by his bride to tell the truth, J. L. Byrd of Memphis, Tenn., confessed to the Denver police that he had killed a man in Memphis two years ago.

Madarial Dhinagri, the Hindoo slayer of Lieut. Col. Sir William Hutt Curzon Wyllie and Dr. Cawas Lalcaca in London, was convicted and sentenced to die, in less than an hour. He thanked the court.

Cornelius Shea, former head of the Teamsters' union, when sentenced to from five to twenty-five years in prison for attempting to murder Alice Walsh in New York, was denounced by Judge Foster as a traitor to labor.

Mrs. Amos P. Dorrence, wife of a wealthy coal dealer of Helena, Mont., was slain in a hotel in Hot Springs, Ark., while her husband, an invalid, looked on, unable to aid her.

Max Ozzine was caught in a laundry machine at Hoboken, N. J., and literally wrung to death.

Richard Cannon, nephew of Speaker Cannon, and John Noone, a brewer of Danville, Ill., were hurt in an automobile accident at Crawfordsville, Ind.

Forty workmen were buried and 20 killed by the collapse of a building in St. Petersburg.

Detective James Griffin of the Chicago police force was indicted as the collector of bribes from resort keepers, several of whom are also under indictment.

It is reported from Mexico City that Presidents Taft and Diaz will meet at San Antonio instead of El Paso, Tex.

Robbers boarded an Erie train in New Jersey and, at the point of pistols, robbed passengers of their money and jewelry.

The American Telegraph & Telephone Company has taken over the Central District and Printing Telephone Company, the local Bell telephone concern of Pittsburg, Pa.

Fargo, N. D., rejected the commission form of government by 99 majority.

"Adam God," who was sentenced at Kansas City to 25 years in the penitentiary for the murder of Patrolman Nicholas Mullan last December, was taken to the penitentiary at Jefferson City.

Twenty workmen were killed by the collapse of a building under construction in St. Petersburg, Russia.

"Habitual aviators" have been barred as risks by the Travelers' Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.

Fred G. Jenkins, teller of the Farmers' National bank at Cynthiana, Ky., and a prominent Baptist, shot and killed himself.

Creditors of a former wealthy resident of Latrobe, Pa., forced the sale by auction of a tomb at Greensburg, Pa., containing several bodies. The sale was conducted in a cemetery, despite pleas of persons whose dead rested in the lot put up for sale.

Wisconsin militia was ordered to be ready to go to Kenosha, where three men were shot in a riot of tannery strikers.

To protect themselves in the event of the death of E. H. Harriman, investors in securities of his railroads took out insurance policies on his life amounting to more than $1,000,000.

Three lives were lost when a cloudburst flooded Duluth, Minn., and caused great damage to property.

Capt. Peter C. Hains, slayer of William E. Annis, since his incarceration in Sing Sing penitentiary, has perfected an invention which will reduce the cost of cleansing city streets.

Advices were received in Washington that Argentine and Bolivia are endeavoring to settle their differences without going to war.

Figureheads that are to be removed from warships of the navy are to be loaned to the states for which the vessels are named.

Reports received in Houston, Tex., said 21 persons had lost their lives, scores were hurt and 13 were missing in the gulf storm.

Mrs. Agnes Mayfield was arrested in Chicago on a charge of shooting her mother, Mrs. H. G. Hinkley, following a quarrel over a Mexican mining deal in which they were interested.

George Staiger and Harold Banks, choir boys of Michigan City, Ind., were drowned in Lake Michigan in the presence of their pastor and eight choir boys.

The Norwegian steamer Tricolor, which arrived at Vancouver, B. C., brought the report that 300 persons had been killed by a volcano eruption and earthquake in Sumatra.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, in a speech in Minneapolis, said women should do police duty and help to fight fires if the suffrage movement wins.

President T. L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers, has received a telegram at Wilkesbarre, Pa., announcing that the dispute between the miners and their employers in northern Wyoming was settled.

The comptroller of the currency has designated South Omaha as one of the reserve cities for government money.

Senator Brown of Nebraska declared the statement of Justice Brewer of the supreme court concerning an income tax "utterly ridiculous, absurd and senile."

Francis J. Heney, who is in Alaska on the Copper river, says he rendered service to the government for every penny he received as special counsel.

An earthquake destroyed much property on the west coast of Sumatra last month, causing floods and an eruption of Mount Korintji, 12,400 feet high.

Twenty Russian political exiles forced a company of deported Russians at East Cape, Siberia, to seize boats for them to escape across Bering strait.

Galveston, Tex., was saved by the sea wall erected after the disaster in 1900 from a hurricane and tidal wave which caused the deaths of ten persons on a pier outside the city.

Great damage was done and the lives of many persons were in peril when dams on rivers in northern Wisconsin burst following a hard storm.

Indictments charging murder were returned at Watseka, Ill., against Mrs. Sayler, Dr. W. R. Miller and John Grunden, held in connection with the slaying of the Crescent City banker, J. B. Sayler.

Application was made in the federal court at Indianapolis for an injunction against the strikers at the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company's plant in Elwood, Ind.

Justice Brewer of the supreme court in a Milwaukee speech expressed disapproval of an income tax and declared for state rights.

A contingent of blue jackets from 150 British warships anchored in the Thames were feasted by the lord mayor and the corporation of London. The people gave the sea fighters an enthusiastic reception.

Browndel, Tex., was visited by a fire and partially destroyed. A large sawmill, together with much lumber also was burned.

BYERS STANDS PAT

Issues Exhaustive Brief in Support of His Contentions.

REASONS WHY HE IS RIGHT

Attorney General Says That All Petitions of Consent Granted After Date of Approval of Law Are Invalid.

Des Moines, July 26.—Attorney General Byers made public an exhaustive brief in support of his contention that the Moon law limiting the number of saloons to one for every 1,000 of population renders invalid all resolutions of consent passed by city councils between April 15, the date of the approval of the act by Governor Carroll, and July 4, the date on which it became effective.

Mr. Byers insists that his decision is sound for the reasons, which he states as follows:

First—Because the act is a remedial one—deals with a recognized evil—was enacted to restrict and to some extent cure the evil, and, therefore, to fully effectuate the purpose of the act it must operate upon both past and future transactions and conditions.

Second—To hold otherwise would make the act a mere "trick" and give it a ridiculous and absurd effect—instead of curing any existing evil and preventing its continuation in the future, it would increase the evil.

Third—It was the evident intention of the legislature to limit the exemption and exception to the persons holding resolutions of consent on the day the act became a law by the signature and approval of the governor.

Fourth—The statutes of the state provide that the courts shall construe the chapter relating to intoxicating liquors so as to prevent evasion.

Perched on Vault in Cemetery.

Marshalltown.—After having attempted three times to take her life while insane Mrs. Grace King Braley, aged 23, wife of Nathan Braley, a barber of this city, was committed to the state hospital at Independence for treatment. Two weeks ago Mrs. Braley suddenly disappeared from home, and after a search was found about midnight, sitting on top of the receiving vault in Riverside cemetery.

Hurled Sixty Feet by Train.

Sioux City.—While crossing the track of the Northwestern railroad near Mapleton, Ia., the light wagon in which Benjamin Rohmuller and Andrew Aller were riding was struck by a train. Both men were hurled sixty feet in the air. Mr. Rohmuller died at St. Joseph's hospital and Mr. Aller is in a critical condition.

Fire Destroys Historic Cabin.

Belle Plaine.—Fire destroyed a little cabin on the river road which was one of the earliest residences built in this part of the country. It has long been known as the John Greenlee place. It was one of the earliest residences built in Guinnville, or Guinn Town, adjoining Belle Plaine on the south.

State Hardware Men Buy.

Mason City.—Acting for the Iowa State Hardware association, President Miles and Secretary Sale have made purchase of one of the valuable locations in this city for the purpose of erecting an elegant building as headquarters of this flourishing and prospering association.

Dentists Elect Officers.

Mason City.—North Iowa dentists elected the following officers: President, Dr. C. M. Palmer of Charles City; vice president, Dr. P. H. Jones of Clear Lake; secretary, Dr. E. B. Cutler of Osage; treasurer, Dr. M. H. Martenson of Clear Lake.

Jaw Broken; Death Follows.

Burlington.—Information has been filed with Coroner Prugh here asking for an official investigation of the death of Henry Braunberger. It is claimed the man came to his death as the result of a blow in a fight which broke his jaw.

Estherville Boy Burns Barn.

Estherville.—The new $1,000 barn of C. R. Silcox, a farmer ten miles north of this city, was burned to the ground. The fire was caused by his 5-year-old son starting a fire in some straw and old hay in the hay mow. Nothing was saved.

To Lay New Rails.

Marshalltown.—The Iowa Central railroad is making preparations to lay thirty miles of new eighty pound steel on the northern division, between Ackley and Geneva. The rails will replace those of sixty pounds weight.

Big Fund for Good Roads.

Eldora.—Grundy county spent $34,000 last year for good roads which does not include the large sum paid out by the different towns for the keeping of the highways in good condition. Over $14,000 of the above amount was spent for the building and repair of bridges in the county. The largest sums were expended in Blackhawk township. $15,000 was expended by the township trustees on the roads. This makes the county along the front row of counties in expenditures for the improvement of the highways and has given the county a splendid reputation in the way of roads and road building.

Parmeter Golden Wedding.

Burlington.—One of the notable society events of special interest to the railroad people along the Burlington system east, west, north and south was the celebration of the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Parmenter of this city. The worthy couple were greeted by a large number of friends and relatives from in and out of the city.

Better Rural Schools.

Harlan.—Half of the school townships of Shelby county are now paying $50 per month for teachers holding first grade certificates, and $45 for teachers holding second grade certificates. It is but a few years since $40 per month was the highest wages paid in the country schools for first grade teachers.

Improvements at Mason City.

Mason City.—Extensive improvements are being made here by the Milwaukee company, who are enlarging their yards, rebuilding the division office, repairing the depot and fencing off a large part of the right of way near the station to be set to shrubbery and ornamental trees.

Woman Fails in Suicide Attempt.

Council Bluffs.—Mollie Bell, the white wife of Jordan D. Bell, colored, head waiter at the Grand hotel, swallowed a quantity of sugar of lead in an attempt to end her life. Two doctors pumped the poison from her stomach and she will recover.

New Masonic Temple.

Storm Lake.—Storm Lake Masons have decided to erect a Masonic temple, and for this purpose will build a third story over the buildings which are being erected by Maj. John F. Lacey and Parks Bros. in this city. The new lodge room will be the largest in the city.

Sumner Elected Secretary.

Des Moines.—Two hours after receiving the resignation of Dr. L. A. Thomas, upon which his re-election was conditional, the state board of health unanimously elected Dr. G. H. Sumner of Waterloo secretary of the state board of health before adjourning until October.

Hurt in Auto Accident.

Charles City.—While teaching his wife to run their auto at Nora Springs the machine ran up a telephone pole and the pole broke, striking Dr. E. Heflin on the collar bone and breaking it. The doctor is under the care of a brother physician.

Drops Dead on Street.

Charles City.—Claude Stewart, 25, dropped dead at Clarksville, south of here in Butler county while talking on the street. He had been troubled for years with heart disease and became over-heated in the hayfield.

Uncle Sam to Pay Soldiers.

Washington, July 24.—The claims for pay for services in the Cayuse Indian war of 1847 and 1848 in Oregon, filed by nine claimants will be allowed by the government at the rate of $1.50 a day.

Boone Balloonist Gets a Fall.

Sibley.—Roy E. Fye, balloonist of Boone, fell 100 feet from his craft and was badly crushed. One of his arms was broken, three ribs fractured, his nose smashed and his head badly bruised.

Garner Man Commits Suicide.

Mason City.—D. F. Pollock of Garner, a restauranteur, drank four ounces of carbolic acid and was found dead in his room. Poor health is given as the reason. He was 30 years old.

Wealthy Iowan Drowns Self.

Mount Ayr.—W. S. Parsons, one of the wealthy citizens of this place, committed suicide by jumping into the Missouri river at St. Joe, Mo.

Buys New Hampton Hotel.

New Hampton.—John Egan, formerly owner of the Julian hotel of Dubuque, has purchased the Arlington hotel here and will take possession Sept. 10.

Celebrates Ninetieth Birthday.

Belle Plaine.—Friends of Mrs. S. A. Pilbeam celebrated the ninetieth anniversary of her birthday by a reception and program.

6 KILLED, 10 HURT

In the Wabash Train Wreck Near Orrick, Mo.

CARS BURIED IN THE RIVER

Train Goes Into Missouri River When Bank Collapses—Geo. Metcalf, of Cedar Rapids, Among the Injured.

Kansas City, Mo., July 26.—Six lives lost, three perhaps fatally injured, is the result of the wreck of the Wabash passenger train No. 4, when it plunged into the Missouri river thirty miles east of here. The dead:

Charles Flowers, engineer, Kansas City.

Louis Bond, fireman, Moberly, Mo.

Harry Eckert, baggageman, St. Louis.

Daniel, 2-year-old son of E. T. King, Eldon, Mo.

Charles Anthony, laborer.

Jesse Oldham, laborer.

Seriously injured:

Frank Gardner of Mount Vernon, O.

Mrs. S. S. Hackett of Orrick, Mo.

Miss Irene Dorton of Orrick, Mo.

Among the injured who are expected to recover are:

P. W. Saathoff of St. Louis, cut about the head and side bruised.

Peter Nau of Cleveland, O., head bruised and arm dislocated.

Jacob Steinfield of Cleveland, O., severe blow on head.

George Metcalf of Cedar Rapids, Ia., collar bone broken.

E. L. Coles, of Nashville, Tenn., left shoulder sprained.

Mrs. C. Trupp of Dayton, O., side and back injured.

Eight mail clerks were saved only by the fact that the roof of their car was torn off and allowed them to get out on top of the car and swim for the shore. None escaped injury.

In the Des Moines sleeper E. T. King was holding his little son when the crash came; the child was instantly killed and Mr. King was unconscious when found.

Dr. Turner Lohvrek, a woman physician of St. Louis, was the heroine of the wreck, according to railroad officials and passengers. In thirty minutes she gave temporary treatment to twenty-seven injured persons. Several women passengers assisted her by preparing bandages.

Yesterday afternoon almost an acre of ground surrounding the scene of the wreck crumbled into the river, and last night a large part of the big stream was flowing over the ground formerly occupied by the road bed. It will be necessary to build almost a quarter of a mile of track around the washout.

IOWA POSTMASTERS MEET

The District Meeting Held at Mason City Elected Delegates to Des Moines Session.

Mason City, Ia., July 26.—To taboo red tape was the gist of the theme under discussion at the second annual meeting of the district association of postmasters. This was the burden of a carefully prepared paper read by Postmaster Mason of Hanlonton and was made the burden of the address of President C. O. Barry of Walker, the president of the Iowa association, who was present. It will be taken up at the state convention. The meeting was well attended. The officers elected were: W. D. McKercher, Manley, president; S. P. Juhl, Crystal Lake, vice president; W. A. Simpkins, Britt, secretary and treasurer.

The county vice presidents named are: Charles Terwillinger, Hancock; James Erickson, Winnebago; Mrs. Mason, Worth; William Gray, Cerro Gordo; H. E. Wyatt, Floyd; Robert Jensen, Mitchell.

Delegates to the state convention at Des Moines are: W. A. Simpkins, Britt; J. H. Thompson, Kanawha; J. Elickson, Thompson; Eugene Secor, Forest City; I. Bers, Kensett; A. T. Huso, Joice; H. E. Wyatt, Rockford; J. W. Clyde, Rudd; Asa Bailey, Thornton; W. J. Christians, Dougherty; Lydia Tesch, Mitchell; Robert Jensen, Carpenter.

Drowning Victim Is Found.

Adel, Ia., July 26.—Searchers found the body of Miss Nina Thorson of Northwood in the Raccoon river, three-quarters of a mile below the scene of the launch accident in which she lost her life Thursday night when Mrs. C. V. Dawson and Verne Macy were also drowned.

Wright Up Twenty Minutes.

Washington, D. C., July 26.—Orville Wright remained aloft in his aeroplane twenty minutes and thirty seconds in a trial at Fort Myer, and made a sucressful landing.

Was Simply and Tastefully Dressed in White.

THE BEST MAN

by HAROLD MACGRATH

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SYNOPSIS.

Carrington loved Kate Cavenaugh, daughter of Multi-Millionaire Henry Cavenaugh. The latter liked Carrington, but refused him as a son-in-law. Young Carrington, a lawyer, held evidence of criminal financial operations, of which Cavenaugh was guilty. It was Carrington's duty to prosecute the rich man, but he decided to lay the whole matter before Kate.

CHAPTER I.—Continued.

Shortly after his determination to tell Kate half a truth, Carrington left the office and made an early train into New Jersey. All the way over to the Cavenaugh station he was restless and uneasy. The fatal papers still reposed in his pocket. He had not dared to leave them in the office safe; his partner, who had had no hand in the investigation, might stumble across them, and that was the last thing in the world he desired. He knew not exactly what to do with them; for they burned like fire in his pocket, and seemed to scorch his fingers whenever he touched them to learn if they were still there. A thousand and one absurd suppositions assailed him. Supposing, for instance, there should be a wreck; supposing he should be robbed; supposing he should leave his vest on the links; and so forth and so forth. It was very depressing. If only he stood in the open, unhandicapped; if only he might throw the gauntlet at Cavenaugh's feet the moment they met!

Ah, if he had only attended to his own affairs! But he hadn't; and his inquisitiveness had plunged him into a Chinese tangle from which there seemed to be no exit. But there was an exit; only, if at that moment Cassandra had whispered the secret into his ear, it would have appealed to him as the most improbable thing under the sun. However, there are no trustworthy Cassandras these sordid days; a single look into the future costs a dollar; and as for Greek choruses, they trundle push-carts on the East side.

He had broken bread and eaten salt at Cavenaugh's table and now it was decreed that he must betray him. It was not a pleasant thought. And still less pleasant was the thought of telling Kate (in a roundabout fashion, it is true) that her father was not an honest man. According to financial ethics, what Cavenaugh did was simply keen business instinct; nothing more. If you or I should happen to bend an odd cornice of the majestic pillar of law we'd be haled off to the county jail forthwith; but if we possessed the skill to smash the whole fabric, or, rather, to continue the metaphor, the whole pillar, the great world would sit up and admire us. What are old laws for, anyhow? Build you never so wisely your law, there will always be some one to come along and tack on a nice little amendment, subtly undoing in a moment what it took years of labor to accomplish. In this instance Cavenaugh had been careless; he had forgotten to introduce his amendment. An infinitesimal grain of sand will stop the best regulated clock. The infallible invariably die on the heels of their first victory.

On leaving the train, Carrington espied the Cavenaugh station carriage. The coachman was talking to a little wiry old man, whose gray eyes twinkled and whose complexion was mottled and withered like a wind-fall apple. Seeing Carrington draw nigh, the coachman touched his hat respectfully, while the little old man, who was rather shabbily dressed, stepped quickly around the corner of the platform. Evidently he did not wish to be inspected at close range. Carrington threw his suit-case and golf-bag into the carriage, and followed them. Thereupon the coachman touched the horses lightly, and they started westward at a brisk trot.

"Who's your friend?" asked Carrington, who, though never familiar, was always friendly toward his inferiors.

"He's no friend of mine, sir," answered the coachman, with well-bred contempt. "Miss Cavenaugh directed me to drive you straight to the club, sir."

"Very well," replied Carrington, lighting a cigar and settling back among the cushions.

Immediately he forgot all about the shabby old man, and began to inventory his troubles. He must hide the papers somewhere. All the evidence he had, together with the names of the witnesses, was on his person; for in making the whole he had prudently destroyed the numerous scraps. If this document fell into alien hands, the trouble would double itself. He puffed quickly, and the heat of the cigar put a smart on his tongue. He had nothing to do but wait.

On the steps of the club's porte cochere he was greeted by Miss Cavenaugh, who was simply and tastefully dressed in white. If there was a sudden cardiac disturbance in Carrington's breast, the girl's tender beauty certainly justified it. The fresh color on her cheeks and lips, the shining black hair that arched a white forehead, the darkly fringed blue eyes, the slender, rounded figure, the small feet and shapely hands, all combined to produce a picture of feminine loveliness warranted to charm any masculine eye. Let the curious question Cavenaugh's antecedents, if they were so inclined, thought Carrington; here was abundant evidence of what a certain old poet called the splendid corpuscle of aristocracy.

Her sister went by the sonorous name of Norah. She was 17, a bit of a tomboy, but of the same build and elegant carriage that distinguished Kate from ordinary mortals; only Norah's eyes were hazel-tinted and her hair was that warm brown of the heart of a chestnut bur. She was of merry temperament, quick to like or to dislike, and, like her sister, loyal to those she loved. Both girls possessed that uncommon gift in women, the perfect sense of justice. You never heard them gossiping about anybody; and when a veranda conversation drifted toward scandal, the Cavenaugh girls invariably drifted toward the farther end of the veranda. All the men admired them; they were such good fellows.

The mother of the girls was, as I have remarked, good-natured and amiable, inclined toward stoutness, and a willing listener to all that was going on. She considered it her bounden duty to keep informed regarding the doings of her intimate friends, but with total lack of malice. At this moment she occupied her favorite corner on the club veranda, and was engaged in animated tittle-tattle. She nodded and smiled at Carrington.

Norah was playing tennis. She waved her racket at the new arrival. Carrington was her beau-ideal.

He hurried into the dressing room and shortly returned in his golf flannels. He was a sturdy chap, not at all handsome, but possessing a countenance full of strong lines. He inspired your trust and confidence, which is far better than inspiring your admiration.

"I am not going to play to-day," said Kate, "so I'll follow over the course and watch you play. I haven't seen you for a whole week; and I can't talk and play, too," smiling.

"Forward, then!" cried Carrington, beckoning to his caddy.

He played a nervous, fidgety game that afternoon. Every time he teed his ball the document spoke from his pocket with an ominous crackle. There was not one brilliant stroke to his credit. This puzzled the girl, for only the previous week he had been runner-up in the annual tournament for crack amateurs. He made the ninth hole indifferently, then turned to the girl, smiling whimsically.

"You are not playing up to your form to-day, John," she observed.

"I admit it," he replied, tossing his club to the caddy, who, well versed in worldly affairs, serenely shouldered the bag and made off toward the clubhouse. "My heart isn't in the game, Kate. The fact is, I'm in a peck of trouble." He determined to tell her at once. There might not be another opportunity like this.

"Why, John!" reproachfully.

"Oh, it came only yesterday. I haven't been hiding it. I'm in a kind of pocket, and can't exactly see my way out. I want your advice; and you must be the jury and judge rolled into one."

They were standing on a hill, and far away they could see the pale line where the shimmering summer sea met the turquoise bowl of heaven.

"Tell me what your difficulty is, John, and I will judge it the best I know how."

He never knew what a simple, beautiful name John was till it fell from the lips of this girl. Many called him Jack; but only his mother and this girl called him John. He motioned toward the sandbox, and they sat down. The other players were well scattered about, out of hearing. He made out his case skillfully enough, giving his plaintiff and defendant fictitious names. The thing grew so real to him, as he went on, that toward the end he rose to the dramatics. The girl listened, but with never a glance at him Rather her gaze roved over the dancing gray waters and followed the lonely white sail that stood out to sea. And when he reached the climax, silence of some duration fell upon them.

"Should this man be punished?" he asked at length.

"He is guilty; he has broken two laws, the civic and human. Oh, the poor people!" pathetically. "They are never at peace; the wolf harries them, and the jackal; they are robbed, beaten and spurned. They are like sheep, not knowing how to fight. They arrest a man for his poverty; they applaud him for his greed. It is all very wrong."

The sail fell under the shadow of a cloud, and they both watched it till it flashed into the sunlight again.

"A woman's intuition is sometimes abnormally keen. You are strong enough to fight such things without the advice of a woman. Is there not something vital to me in all this? Is it not—is it not my father, John?"

CHAPTER II.

Carrington faced her swiftly. He had not expected this. There was something in her handsome eyes that barred the way to subterfuge. The lie died unspoken, and he dropped his gaze and began to dig up the turf with the toe of his shoe.

"Is it my father, John?"

"Yes. Oh, Kate," with a despairing gesture, "I'm the most miserable fellow alive! To think that this should fall into my hands, of all hands in the world!"

"Perhaps it is better so," quietly. "Nothing is without purpose. It might have come to test your honesty. But you are sure, John; it is not guesswork?"

"All the evidence is in my pocket. Say the word, and the wind shall carry it down to the sea. Say the word, heart o' mine!"

He made a quick movement toward his pocket, but she caught his arm.

"Do nothing foolish or hasty, John. Tearing up the evidence would not undo what is done. Sooner or later murder will out. If my father is culpable, if in his thoughtless greed for money he has robbed the poor, he must be made to restore what he has taken. I know my father; what he has done appears perfectly legitimate to him. Can he be put in prison?"

"It all depends upon how well he defends himself," evasively.

She went on. "I have been dreading something like this; so it is no great surprise to me. He is money-mad, money-mad; and he hears, sees, thinks nothing but money. But it hurts, John; I am a proud woman. My grandfather—" Her lips shut suddenly. "Money!" with a passionate wave of the hand. "How I hate the name of it, the sound of it, the thought of it! I love my father," with a defiant pride; "he has always been tender and kind to me; and I should not be of his flesh and blood had I not the desire to shield and protect him."

"The remedy is simple and close at hand," suggested Carrington, gently.

"Simple, but worthy of neither of us. I abhor anything that is not wholly honest. It is one of those strange freaks of nature (who holds herself accountable to no one) to give to me honesty that is the sum total of what should have been evenly distributed among my ancestors. If I were to tell all I know, all I have kept locked in my heart—"

"Don't do it, girl; it wouldn't matter in the least. You are you; and that is all there is to love. Why, I could not love you less if your great-great-grandfather was a pirate," lightly. "Love asks no questions; and ancestors worry me not at all; they are all comfortably dead."

"Not always. But if my perception of honor were less keen, I should laugh at what you call your evidence."

"Laugh?"

"Yes, indeed. I very well understand the tremendous power of money."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

STICK TO THE SIMPLE LIFE.

Unfortunate French Couple Resolute in Refusing Charity.

Simple life is being practiced with a vengeance by a laborer and his family at Montgerou, near Corbell. The workman and his wife had hitherto been known as an industrious and thrifty couple, but they nevertheless found it difficult to make both ends meet, having to supoprt six small children, and a seventh being expected. The climax came when they were unable to pay their rent in October, and were evicted from the little flat which they had occupied because the husband had been out of work for some time, and could find no new occupation. He gathered up his few belongings and took up quarters for himself and his family under the arches of a railway bridge where he decided for the rest of his life to defy the state and modern civilization, which, he argued, had treated him, an honest man, so cruelly. The mayors of two adjoining localities went to see the family and offered to find free lodgings for them, but the workman and his wife refused. They met certain charitable persons of the neighborhood, who offered them money, food and clothing, in the same way. "Keep your money," they said, "we will not accept anything." A seventh child has been born, and still the strange couple refuse all aid. Their case has been brought to the notice of the prefecture of the department, and nothing less is spoken of than enforcing charity with energetic measures.—London Daily Telegraph.

COULDN'T GET SI TO ENTHUSE

Hired Man's Remarks Could Hardly Be Said to Be in Nature of of Compliment.

The young lawyer, having been nominated for the office of county attorney, thought to surprise an eccentric genius by the name of Si who was working as a hired man on the young lawyer's father's farm.

"Well, Si, what do you think?" the young man began.

"Sometimes one thing, Lonny, an' sometimes 'nother."

"But, Si, they have nominated me for county attorney."

"They might 'a' done worse, Lonny. Howsomever, don't holler till you're out of the woods."

The young attorney was duly elected, and on his next visit to the farm announced the fact unctuously to Si, who was at the woodpile, saw in hand.

"Well, Si, I am elected by a large majority. What do you think of that?"

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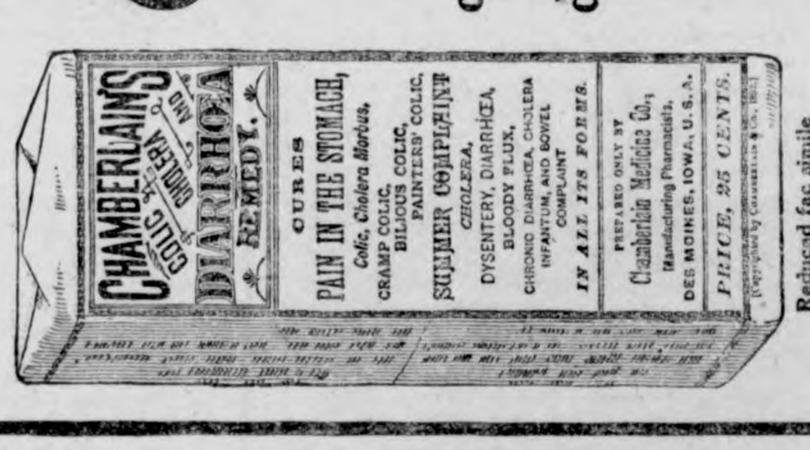

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The Barren Inventor.

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"In fact," said the noted actress, smiling, "that society reminds me very forcibly of a Cincinnati tramp.

"This tramp, ragged and forlorn, stood up one cold morning in the police court dock, and the magistrate, frowning at him, said:

"'Profession?'

"'Inventor,' was the reply, in a hoarse voice.

"'What have you invented?' asked the magistrate.

"'Nothing,' said the prisoner, still more hoarsely, 'but I'm trying to.'"

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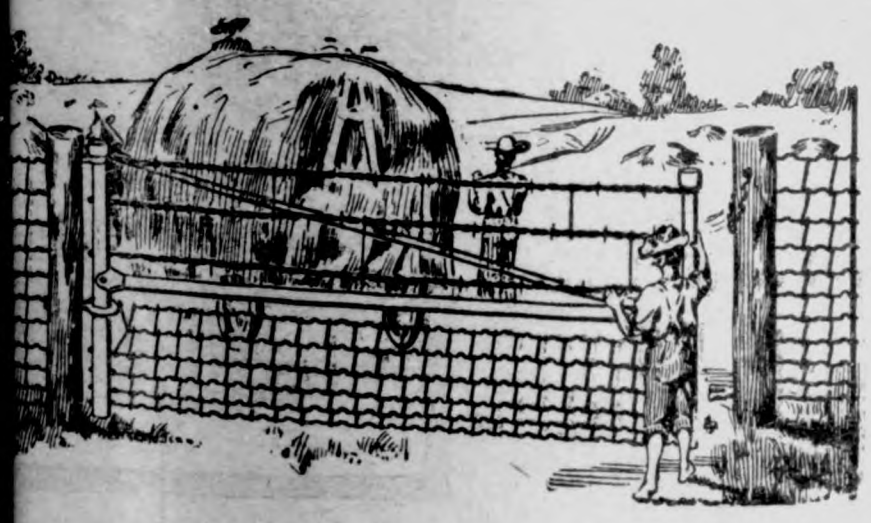

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The reception was attended by over 300 people, having been planned and attended by members of the German Methodist church and citizens in general. W. F. Reimers and wife and Mr. Higgens and wife of Whittemore, were also in attendance. All during the evening the Fenton band rendered pleasant music. Rev. Klaus gave a few remarks appropriate to the occasion, then followed the serving of ice cream and cake, and a few hours of social enjoyment was spent.

The Ridder Bros. left this morning by way of St. Paul for Watertown, S. Dakota, to begin their work with the Manhattan Oil Co. Mrs. A. A. Ridder and children also departed this morning for Klemme where they will remain until a residence can be secured in Watertown. Mrs. J. A. Ridder will remain here with her mother and sisters until a residence is secured.

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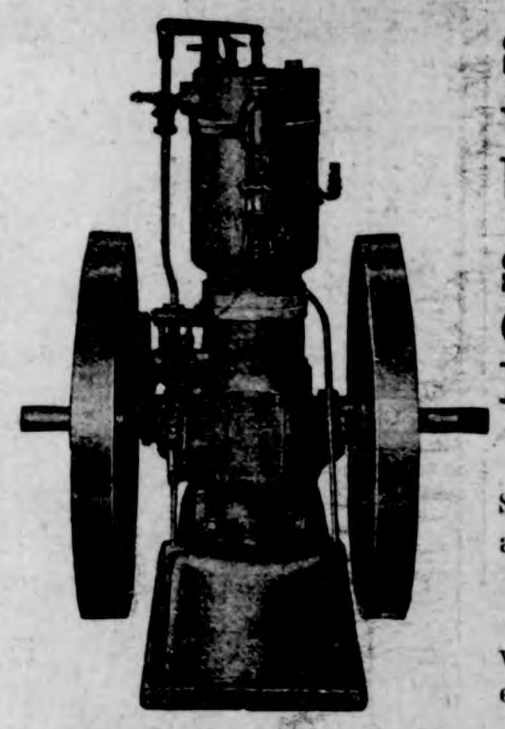

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SYNOPSIS.

Carrington loved Kate Cavenaugh, daughter of Multi-Millionaire Henry Cavenaugh. The latter liked Carrington, but refused him as a son-in-law. Young Carrington, a lawyer, held evidence of criminal financial operations, of which Cavenaugh was guilty. It was Carrington's duty to prosecute the rich man, but he decided to lay the whole matter before Kate. He did so the next day.

CHAPTER II.—Continued.

She laughed brokenly. "More than you. I can picture to you just what will happen." She rose. "There will, of course, be a great newspaper clamor; the interstate commissioners will put their heads together; there will be investigations by the government. That will be the attack. The keenest lawyers are on the side of corporations; that is because the state is niggard with her pay. Let me outline the defense. Father will resign from his high office, to be re-elected later when the public cools off! A new directorate will fill the place of the present one. Suddenly falsified entries will be discovered; the head bookkeeper will have disappeared. All fingers will point to him. He will be in South America, having been paid several thousand to go there. All this will make the passing of the dividend perfectly logical. The matter will never be tried in court. Money will do all this."

"My dear little woman, you reason like Pythagoras; but," Carrington added, gravely, "when I undertook to untangle this affair, I realized its huge proportions. For every redoubt your father has, I have an assault, for every wall a catapult, for every gate a petard. But, as I said before, you have only to say the word, and for the present nobody will be any the wiser."

"If I permitted you to do this, I should destroy my faith in both of us. It would erect a barrier which would be insurmountable. That is not the way out."

"I have weighed all these things," discouragedly.

He took the document from his pocket and caught it in a way that indicated how easily it might be ripped into halves, the halves into quarters, the quarters into infinitesimal squares of meaningless letters.

"Once more, shall I, Kate?"

"No, John. That would only make our difficulties greater. But I do ask this one favor; put your evidence into the hands of a strange attorney, have nothing to do with the prosecution; for my sake."

"I must have the night to think it over. Most of my attacks are not herein written; I dared keep them only in my head."

"I am very unhappy," said the girl.

He took her hand and kissed it reverently. He longed to console her, but no words he had in mind seemed adequate.

"Fore!" came lazily over the knoll. They were no longer alone. So together they wandered slowly back to the clubhouse. Tea was being served, and Carrington drank his abstractedly. From time to time he joined the conversation, but without any heart. Some of the busier ladies whispered that it looked this time as though Kate had given the young man his conge.

On the way home Norah, with her humorous comment on the weekly budget of gossip, saved the situation from any possible contretemps. Mrs. Cavenaugh was easy-going, but for all that she possessed remarkably observant eyes; and her eldest daughter was glad that they were occupied elsewhere.

Kate was very unhappy: her father was not honest, and the man she loved had come into the knowledge of the fact. Ah, how quickly shadow can darken sunshine!

"What did you make it in to-day, Mr. Carrington?" asked Norah.

"Make what?" he counter-questioned, absently.

"The course, Mr. Goose! What did you think I meant?"

"Oh," lamely, "I made a bad play at the beginning and gave it up."

By this time they had arrived at the gates, and everybody was thankful; Mrs. Cavenaugh, because her nose smarted with sunburn; Norah, because the gown she was to wear at the dance that night was new; Kate, because she wanted to be alone; and Carrington, because he wanted to learn whether the angel threw Jacob or Jacob threw the angel. The driver and the horses were glad to arrive because they were hungry

It took the young lawyer some time to dress for dinner that night. His usually direct mind vacillated between right and wrong, wrong and right; and he floated from one to the other like an unattached cork. He made a dozen annoying blunders in dressing. And when finally the pier-glass reflected an irreproachable and finished picture, he searched his cast-off vest for his growing monster and transferred it to the pocket of his coat. Monster! Here was no story-monster, like the creature of a Frankenstein; it was genuine, and was like to turn upon him at any moment and rend him. He shrugged and proceeded down the stairs. There are soliloquies that sometimes leave an unpleasant taste behind. So he pinned his faith to the banner of the late genial and hopeful Micawber; something might turn up for the benefit of all concerned.

"You Are Not Going, Are You, Grand pa?" asked Norah.

The hall and living room at the Cavenaugh manor were one and the same. There were bookcases ranging along the walls, window seats, a reading table and an ancient chimney seat. As Carrington turned the first landing he stopped.

"Father, I think it positively dreadful the way you treat poor grandpa." This was Norah.

There was a crackle of a newspaper.

"Never mind, Norah, darling; your grandpa is used to it. It doesn't matter at all."

It was the sight of the last speaker that brought Carrington to a stand. Norah's grandpa was no less a person than the shabbily dressed old man he had seen at the station that afternoon. What kind of family skeleton in the closet was he that they kept him en camera? He coughed and went on.

Norah was plucky, whole-hearted, frank and encouraging.

"Mr. Carrington" she said immediately, "this is my grandpa."

Carrington did not hesitate a moment, but smiled and thrust out his hand, which the other grasped with a questioning air of diffidence.

"Glad to meet you, sir," said Carrington.

Cavenaugh fils glanced over the top of his paper, scowled, and resumed his reading. Kate hadn't come down yet, so she missed this scene. When she did appear, there was no visible sign of any previous agitation. She and Norah were thoroughbreds.

"Why, grandpa!" she cried, extending her hand.

The old man bowed over it and kissed it, and his action was lacking neither in grace nor gallantry.

"I happened to be down this way on business," said the old man with a covert glance at his son, "and thought I'd drop in."

"Dinner is served," said the splendid butler, as he slid back the doors to the dining room.

The old man looked about him questioningly, and Norah slipped her arm through his. "You'll have to take me in, grandpa," she laughed.

The old man's eyes shone for a moment, and he patted her hand.

"I'm as proud as a king, Norah."

Now, Carrington could read between the lines. It was manifestly plain that grandpa was not welcome to Cavenaugh. But why? Mrs. Cavenaugh scarcely tolerated him. While the girls seldom if ever spoke of him, it was evident that both held him in their affections. There were many things going on in the Cavenaugh manor; and Carrington entered the dining room in a subdued state of mind.

By degrees Norah succeeded in drawing the pariah out of himself. Carrington was soon listening to an amazing range of adventures. The old man had seen Cuba in the filibusters' time, he had fought the Canadian constabulary as a Fenian, he had been a sailor, and had touched the shores of many strange lands. Grandpa Cavenaugh was anything but illiterate. Quite often there was a flash of wit, a well-turned phrase, a quotation. He had, besides, a comprehensive grasp of the politics of all countries.

Carrington saw at once that his half-formed opinion was a house of cards. There was no reason in the world why they should be ashamed of him, shunt him off into the side-track of obscurity, and begrudge him a plate at the table. Carrington realized that he was very close to some peculiar mystery, and that the old man's bitterest enemy was his son.

Throughout the meal the millionaire preserved a repelling silence. From time to time, when there was laughter, he scowled. Once or twice Mrs. Cavenaugh essayed to pass an observation across the table to him, but a curt nod was all she received for her pains. Presently Cavenaugh dropped his knife on his plate, and the pariah retreated meekly into his shell. In fact, he looked frightened, as if the thought had come to him that he had made an irreparable blunder in warming under his grandchildren's smiles.

"Carrington," said Midas, balling his napkin and tossing it on the table, "your particular branch is corporation law, isn't it?"

"Yes. The firm has some reputation in that branch." Carrington glanced curiously at his host. What was coming now? Was it possible that Cavenaugh had in some way learned of his discoveries and was about to placate him?

"I believe you handled successfully the D. & M. railroad deal?"

"We won in three courts."

"Well," continued Cavenaugh, "I've been thinking of you to-day. The P. & O. counsel has had to give up on account of poor health, and Matthewson spoke to me yesterday, asking if I knew a man who could fill his place. It pays seventeen thousand the year." He paused as if to let this magnificent salary sink into the deepest crevice of Carrington's soul. "What would you say to a permanent berth like that?" Cavenaugh positively beamed.

Kate stared at her father in astonishment. Was it possible that he was beginning to look favorably upon Carrington? Her glance traveled to Carrington. His expression she found puzzling.

"Seventeen thousand!" murmured the pariah, rubbing his hands, while his eyes sparkled.

Carrington deliberated for a space. He was hard put. He did not want to refuse this peace-offering, but nothing would make him accept it.

"This is very fine of you. Two years ago I should have jumped at the chance. But my agreement with my partner makes it impossible. I can not honestly break my contract within five years." He waited for the storm to burst, for Cavenaugh was not a patient man.

"Are you mad?" whispered Kate. A flush of anger swept over her at the thought of Carrington's lightly casting aside this evident olive branch.

"Would you have me accept it?" he returned, in a whisper lower than hers.

She paled. "I had forgotten," she said, with the pain of quick recollection.

The dinner came to its end, and everybody rose gratefully, for there seemed to be something tense in the air.

"Seventeen thousand honest dollars!" murmured the pariah, tagging along at the millionaire's heels.

Carrington threw him a swift penetrating glance; but the old man was looking ecstatically at the tinted angels on the ceiling. The old man might be perfectly guileless; but Carrington scented the faintly bitter aroma of irony.

Just before the carriage arrived to convey Carrington and the ladies to the club dance grandpa appeared, hat in hand and a humble smile on his face. It was a very attractive face, weather beaten though it was, penciled by the onset of 70 years.

"You are not going, are you, grandpa?" asked Norah.

"Yes, my child. I should be very lonesome here alone with your estimable father. I'll drop in to-morrow for Sunday dinner; that is, if you are not going to have company. I am glad that I met you, Mr. Carrington."

"Poor old grandpa!" sighed Norah when the door closed upon him. "He has the ridiculous idea that he isn't wanted."

Nobody pursued the subject and Norah began to preen herself.

An idea came to Carrington. He wanted to be rid of his document. He spoke to Kate, who nodded comprehensively. She led him into the dining room. In one corner, protected by a low screen, was a small safe. This she threw open, and Carrington put the envelope into one of the pigeon holes. The safe was absolutely empty, a fact which puzzled him not a little.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A Gold Farm.

"Thanksgiving football is one form of gold farm," said a metallurgist; "but gold grows, and when the secret of its cultivation is discovered, we shall have gold farms literally.

"Miners, having set timber braces in gold mines, often find on the timber growths of gold. Growths of gold have, too, been perceived on the rocks of gold-bearing rivers. Gold has been discovered growing on sluice boxes.

"What causes these growths of gold we don't know. We do know that one essential is the percolation of water, a feature without which gold growths are never found. When we discover the other features—and no doubt science will discover them some day—the gold farmer will perhaps be as common as the farmer of fruit or truck."

To Stop Bleeding at the Nose.

A man in traveling from New England to his home in New Jersey had a violent nosebleed on the train. Every aid was rendered, and the usual remedies, such as ice on the neck, a key thrust down the back and all sorts of things, were ineffectually tried. So profuse was the hemorrhage that when New York was reached he was too weak to go to a physician unattended. The application of tincture of eucalyptus promptly stopped the bleeding. This is an exceedingly valuable remedy, and should be indelibly stamped upon our memories A small vial should be placed in every family medicine chest.

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FRACTION LESS THAN IN 1908

Over Two Million Dollars Will Be Raised to Run Commonwealth of Iowa—Table of Assessed Valuations.

Des Moines, July 31.—Raises were made by the executive council in the assessed value of property subject to the state tax levy, which will be 3.4 mills this year, the figure necessary to raise the desired tax, $2,300,000.

On lands and town lots the figure came to $493,431,862, an increase of $7,538,440 over last year in the equalized values.

The figures on the railroad property were lowered according to the auditor's report which states that taxable value of railroad property was $64,524,659, while the Official Register gives the last year's figure at $63,527,616 under the head of aggregate assessed value. In the first instance there is a reduction, but taking the last figure means that the railroad property values were raised $158,798.

The final fixing of the value of the property belonging to the telegraph and telephone companies has not been completed, but the estimate is $3,500,000, which makes the totals $677,439,730 required by the 3.4 mills levy in raising the $2,300,000, the sum necessary for state purposes. With the total amount of taxable property known, the tax levy is easily fixed.

Following are the figures as definitely adjusted by the council:

	Actual assessed value.
Personal property	$125,904,108.00
Lands and town lots	483,431,862.00
Railroads	63,686,414.00
Interurbans	804,559.00
Sleeping cars	253,942.00
Express property	361,987.00
Equipment cars	150,800.00
Telegraph and Telephone property (estimated)	3,500,000.00
Total	$677,439,730.00

Told Court She'd Do As She Pleased.

Because she told Judge Howe in the district court that she would do just as she pleased regardless of his orders, America T. Yancy, a colored woman, was placed in the Polk county jail for contempt of court, and established a record of being the first woman ever sent to jail on such a charge in the history of the local courts.

Nagel Offers to Help.

Dean Frank Nagel of the Highland Park Conservatory of Music has offered to produce the fourth act of Il Trovatore at the benefit to be given by the Press club of Des Moines. It is possible that the grand opera will be presented in addition to the regular vaudeville at Ingersoll park on the evening of Monday, Aug. 23.

Hazers Tickled Man's Feet.

For removing the shoes and socks of a fellow student and tickling the soles of his feet, three male students at Highland Park college were summarily expelled by President Longwell, so it is stated. The alleged hazing occurred on the college campus and the students were caught in the act by a police officer.

Arraign Crabtree Soon.

Word was received from Col. M. L. Temple, United States district attorney in southern Iowa, that Lile Crabtree, slayer of Capt. John C. Raymond of the Second cavalry, Fort Des Moines, will probably be arraigned on the charge of murder before United States Judge McPherson within two or three weeks.

Board Approves Condemnation.

The state railroad commission issued a certificate giving approval to the condemnation of part of lot 26 in the factory addition to the city of Des Moines by the Des Moines Terminal company. The land is needed for additional yards.

Byers Son's Administrator.

Probate Commissioner James O'Brien appointed Major S. H. M. Byers administrator of the estate of his son, the late Lawrence Marshall Byers. The bond was fixed at $2,000. Prof. Byers' estate consists of about $1,000 worth of personal property.

Examine Clerks.

The United States civil service commission has announced an examination at Des Moines, September 1 for positions of deputy collector and clerk in the internal revenue service.

Iowa State and County Fairs.

Some of the county and district fairs in Iowa and their dates and names of their secretaries are:

Alta, Aug. 17-20—C. H. Wagersley.

Anamosa, Aug. 23-27—L. W. Russell.

Monticello, Aug 30-Sept. 3—F. W. Koop.

Manchester, Aug. 31-Sept. 3—T. Nelson.

Hampton, Sept. 28-30—S. A. Clock.

Maquoketa, Aug. 31-Sept. 3—B. D. Ely.

Marshalltown, Sept. 6-10—Wm. Clark.

Independence, Sept. 7-10—P. G. Freeman.

DeWitt, Sept. 7-10—E. J. Quigley.

West Union, Sept. 7-10—E. A. McIlree.

Vinton, Sept. 7-10—Arad Thompson.

National, Sept. 7-9—Henry Luehsen.

Dubuque, Sept. 13-18—D. C. Stewart.

Mason City, Sept. 21-24—C. H. Barber.

Waukon, Sept. 21-24—L. C. Overdorf.

The state fairs of Iowa, Minnesota, Illinois and Missouri are:

Des Moines, Aug. 27-Sept. 3—J. C. Simpson, secretary.

Hamline, Minn., Sept. 6-11—C. N. Cosgrove, secretary.

Sioux City, Iowa, Sept. 20-25—F. L. Wirick, secretary.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 1-9—J. K. Dickerson, secretary.

Sedalia, Mo., Oct. 2-8.—Jno T. Stinson, secretary.

Lincoln Names Officers.

Brigadier General James Rush Lincoln appointed Elliott E. Lambert of Newton as brigade quartermaster. Other appointments announced: On the staff of the governor—Aides: Col. John C. Loper of Des Moines, Col. Charles J. Wilson of Washington, Lieut. Col. George A. Smith of Clinton. As chief of the staff corps and departments—Lieut. Col. Charles G. Saunders of Council Bluffs, judge advocate general; Lieut. Col. Davis S. Fairchild, Jr., of Clinton, chief surgeon; Lieut. Col. Frank V. Bishop of Muscatine, chief of ordnance and acting chief inspector of small arms practice; Lieut Col. Leon W. Ainsworth of Des Moines, chief signal officer.

Prizes Offered for Best Butter.

Circular letters sent out by State Food and Dairy Commissioner H. R. Wright will notify every creamery in Iowa that gold medals and cash prizes await the successful exhibitors of butter, cheese and other dairy products at the Iowa state fair. Exhibits will be scored by Assistant Dairy Commissioners W. E. Johnson and J. J. Ross. Diplomas will also be given for butter scoring with a grade of 92 or above. The cash prizes for butter aggregate $600 and for cheese $55.

New Prison Will be Light.

With an abundance of sunlight the new prison house at Fort Madison will be one of the most up-to-date buildings of its kind in the United States. The building is 334½ feet in length and 51½ feet wide. It contains 480 cells in four tiers. The cells of the new structure are built of laminated steel and the windows are grated with the same. This is composed of alternated layers of soft and case hardened steel which resist both the saw and sledge hammer.

Smith and Crofford Sure of Liberty.

Gov. Carroll has not indicated what he will do with the recommendation of the board of parole that pardons be granted to Dr. J. W. Crafford and Samuel F. Smith, but will do so in the near future. It is considered certain that both men will be given their liberty, as the new evidence in the Crofford case tends to establish the innocence of this man, and Mr. Smith has practically the whole of Davenport asking for clemency for him.

Harris Is Re-Elected.

Henry C. Harris was re-elected president of the Des Moines Chautauqua at the meeting of the board of directors. Dr. A. L. Frisbie, pastor emeritus of the Plymouth Congregational church, was elected vice president. The other officers for the coming year are: Mrs. C. E. Risser, secretary; W. E. Hamlin, financial secretary, and C. E. Hunn, auditor.

Women Ready for City Beautiful.

Determined to make Des Moines a city beautiful at any cost either in the near or remote future, the civic committee of the Women's club has set about to awaken public pride to such a pitch that the city council will be authorized to send to the east for an expert who shall come to Des Moines and plat the city into a municipal art paradise.

Governor's Pardon to Make Them Free

Because M. E. Colt and John Sener want to go beyond the limits of the state, the board of parole has recommended to the governor that they be pardoned by him. Under the law of the board of parole, this body has only the right to parole men when they remain within the limits of the state.

Widow to Widowers.

Mr. Robert Marshall, a well-known London police court missionary, recently received the following letter:

"Dear Sir: Reading of you sometimes in newspapers, I take the liberty of asking if you know off a very respeckable man wishen to get married again. I have bean a widow for years now and am all alone in the world. Trusting to your honor and remaining yours respeckable, Mrs. ——, middle age."

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Physician's Mean Trick.

A doctor was one day stopped in the streets by one of his woman patients whose malady was purely imaginary. The doctor, who was known for his intolerance of and nonsympathy with such invalids, after listening somewhat impatiently to the woman's detailed account of all her feelings and symptoms, told her to shut her eyes and put out her tongue. She promptly did so. On opening her eyes in a few seconds the doctor was nowhere to be seen, and the woman awoke to the fact that he had left her standing by herself in a busy thoroughfare with her eyes shut and her tongue hanging out.

And the Old Man Grinned.

"Duke," said the heiress, eagerly, "did you see father?"

"Yes."

"Well?"

"We talked about the weather."

"What? Lose your nerve again? Why don't you brace up and talk like a man?—a subject of a king on whose domain the sun never sets!"

"Can't," moaned the duke. "All the time I was in your father's office he kept grinning at a big painting."

"What painting?"

"The battle of Bunker Hill."

Exceptions.

"You don't have to be enthusiastic to succeed in some things," said the boarding-house philosopher; "I once saw a man achieve a speed of a mile a minute sliding down a mountain side, without the slightest effort on his part and without having had any ambition to do it.

THE NEW WOMAN
Made Over by Quitting Coffee.

Coffee probably wrecks a greater percentage of Southerners than of Northern people for Southerners use it more freely.

The work it does is distressing enough in some instances; as an illustration, a woman of Richmond, Va., writes:

"I was a coffee drinker for years and for about six years my health was completely shattered. I suffered fearfully with headache and nervousness, also palpitation of the heart and loss of appetite.

"My sight gradually began to fail and finally I lost the sight of one eye altogether. The eye was operated upon and the sight partially restored, then I became totally blind in the other eye.

"My doctor used to urge me to give up coffee, but I was willful and continued to drink it until finally in a case of severe illness the doctor insisted that I must give up the coffee, so I began using Postum, and in a month I felt like a new creature.

"I steadily gained in health and strength. About a month ago I began using Grape-Nuts food and the effect has been wonderful. I really feel like a new woman and have gained about 25 pounds.

"I am quite an elderly lady and before using Postum and Grape-nuts I could not walk a square without exceeding fatigue, now I walk ten or twelve without feeling it. Formerly in reading I could remember but little but now my memory holds fast what I read.

Several friends who have seen the remarkable effects of Postum and Grape-Nuts on me have urged that I give the facts to the public for the sake of suffering humanity, so, although I dislike publicity, you can publish this letter if you like."

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Men who travel on their nerve are apt to become nervous wrecks.

Sweet Eighteen.

A professor of the class in English history was telling his young men of the impressionable age about the Elizabethan era, when suddenly turning to one of the young men who seemed to be in a dream, with a far-away gaze, he said:

"And how old was Elizabeth, Mr. Case?"

"Eighteen last birthday," came the instant reply.

Style's Freakishness.

"I want to be dressed in the height of fashion," said Mr. Suddenroll.

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"But that's what I'm in doubt about. Is it fashionable just now to have your clothes fit?"

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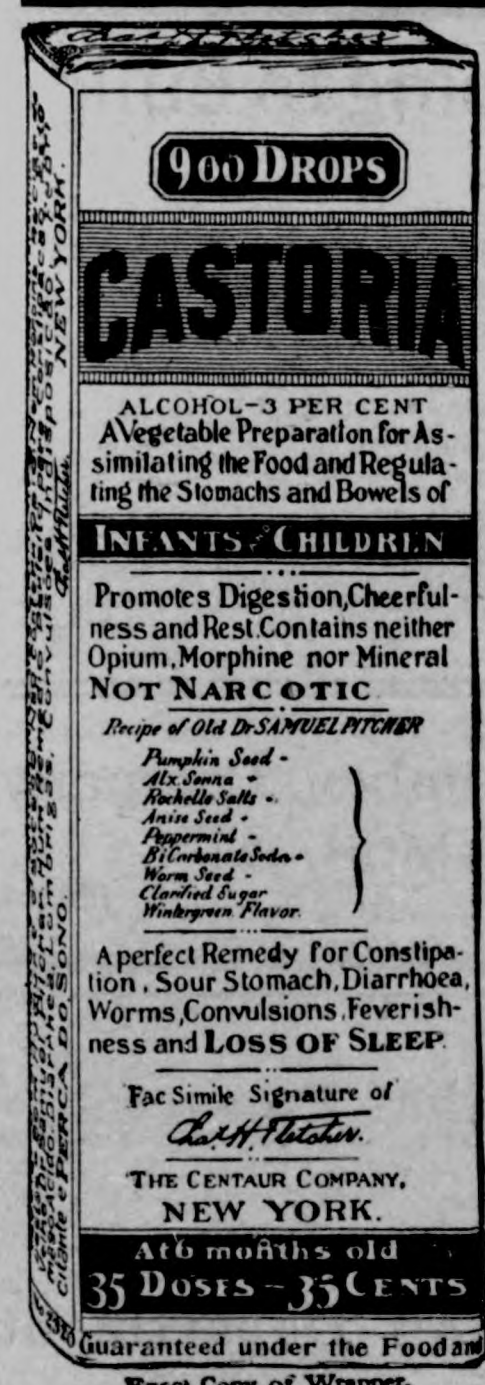

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An Editor Goes to Church

The editor of the Oskaloosa Globe went to church recently and in the next issue he said: "The Globe man went to church Sunday to listen to the class sermon, hear the music and all that. He didn't feel 'funny' when he went in for every one seemed to be in rather a serious mood. It doesn't take much to amuse you in church though, does it? Among the musical numbers was an anthem. Now, this is no slur on the choir; the anthem was beautiful and especially well rendered. But when you come to analyze an anthem the way it is sung, it is liable to appeal to your risibilities. The anthem was, 'O, That I Had the Wings of a Dove.' To start out with, just imagine the average choir members with the wings of a dove. What they want is a flying machine. But to the knitting. The first tenor ambled to the front and told how he wanted 'the wings of a dove' three times, just that way you see. Just about the same time he got done the fair soprano got in the game and also wanted the wings of a dove three times, but explained the reason by saying, 'that I might fly away and be at rest, be at rest, be at rest,' three more times. Then the alto got the fever and she said, 'I'd build me a nest,' three times. But she scarcely got through until the big bewhiskered bass also decided he'd build a nest in a tree in the wilderness, the wilderness, the wilderness. The first tenor, fair soprano, the alto, the bewhiskered bass were now calmly perched on a nest in a tree in the wilderness. This was too much for the rest of the choir and the whole doggoned chorus rushed in and declared in loud tones, that if they had wings of a dove they'd fly away and be at rest on a nest in a tree in the wilderness. Are we to be blamed if we thought it would look mighty funny to see that crowd sitting around on nests in some tree in the wilderness especially if a wind storm like Saturday night came on? We doubt after all if they really would be at rest. Now the song writer ought to have this choir wishing that they were whole doves instead of merely having wings. There's nothing indecorous about a dove sitting in a nest in the wilderness, but when it comes to a 200-pound basso, a 240-pound soprano, and then the whole choir wanting to squat down 'on a nest in the wilderness to be at rest,'—well, that's what seemed funny to us. Can you blame us?"

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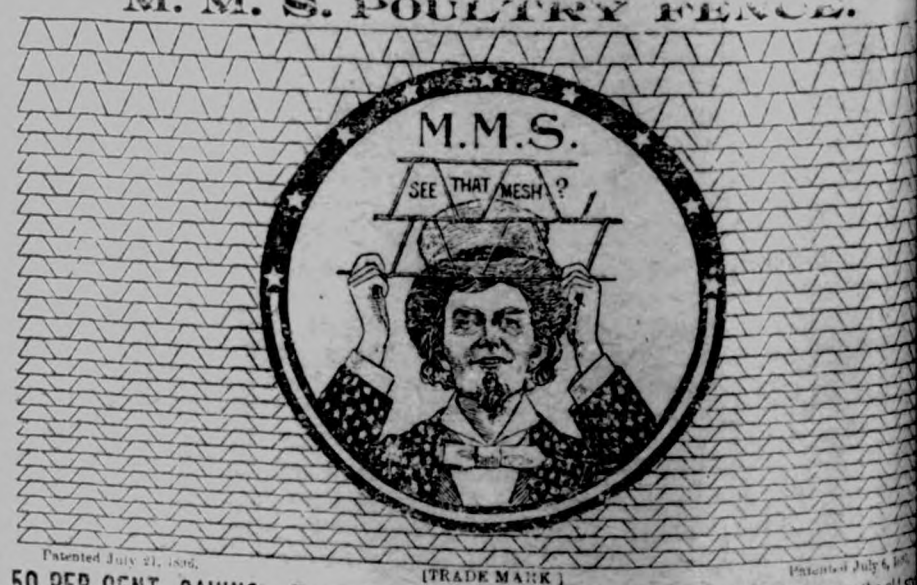

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His Question

"Now, in order to subtract," explained a teacher to the class in mathematics, "things have to be of the same denomination. For instance we couldn't take three apples from four years, nor six horses from nine dogs."

A hand went up in the back of the room.

"Well, Johnny," smiled the unsuspecting teacher.

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There's rejoicing in Fedora, Tenn. A man's life has been saved, and no Dr. King's New Discovery is the ta of the town for curing C. V. Pepp of deadly lung hemorrhages. "I co not work nor get about," he write "and the doctor did me no good, b after using Dr. King's New Discove three weeks I feel like a new man a can do good work again." For wea sore or diseased lungs, coughs a colds, hemorrhages, hay fever, grippe, asthma or any bronchial affe tion it stands unrivaled. Price and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Sold a guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co.

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OCAL NEWS

h fruits at Kluckhohn's.

or Zinn tests eyes and sses. 51tf

k Terhufen was a Clear isitor Monday.

. Bloom shipped a car of unday morning.

finest line of candies in t Kluckhohn's. 45tf

. Lew Lewis has been ser- sick the past week, but some better.

and see the new Robinson e Spreaders now on dis J. W. Scott's.

. Waterman has recently me cement walks built his residence.

just what you need when ed the thrashers—a new. at Wellemeyer's.

cr Kluckhohn and family, e Garner Signal, visited es in Klemme Sunday.

, Yahnke is at Buffalo this week helping his ed with his harvesting.

bing New—The latest ies' Belts and Collars just d at Mrs. John Josten's.

rence Larsen, M. I. Par- , A. Arnold and Fred went to Clear Lake and City Tuesday evening by obile.

E. Baumgartner was at Lake on Monday and ay John liked Bryan's all right, but didn't much of Carrie.

ry Yahnke, whose acci- e mentioned last week, en up and around since riday. On Saturday he d from another hen or- and also had a slight one day morning. It is hoped e will regain his former health.

Harlan and family arrived Cafey. Iowa, yesterday ill make Klemme their fu- home. Mr. Harlan has a position in F. Gruetz- r's shoe store and harness The Times extends wel- to this new family.

L. O. Turgason is pack- eir household goods and ove some time this week ir new home at Swea City, Mr. Turgason is agent e Rock Island. While re- ng their departure, their Klemme friends wish them ess and prosperity in ew home.

. G. Houghton now repre- te Mutual Life Insurance any of New York. the gest of Companies— one as the lowest proportion- penses and pays the high vidends (over 17 per cent ear.) See a policy that in- certain payment in case of and all your money re- with good interest. IF LIVE. 52 3

g obliged to take it for will sell it out cheap; Hess Stock Food. Hess Poultry Panacea. Hess Instant Louse Kill- Hess Hog Worm Powder. had at G. F. Schuler's r, Iowa.

Threshers Attention—W. R. Bloom has his threshing coal in, several varieties of the best qualities. Call and get prices. 51

Hot!

H. C. Lau has a change of ad. Read it.

P. M. Griesemer was at Garner the first of the week.

E. G. Ell and wife were at Clear Lake Monday to hear W. J. Bryan.

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

A new shipment of Tables has just been received at Wellemeyer's. Extension tables and dining tables.

H. C. Lau has raised his house and is fixing up the cellar and cistern. John Heuschen is doing the work.

Having sold out, I desire those owing me on account to please call and settle as soon as possible. Fred C. Griewe.

Lawrence Larsen is having the lumber hauled for a new barn on his farm. Work on the structure will be commenced soon.

J. F. Buss, of Holstein, Iowa, arrived in Klemme Tuesday for a visit with his brother, Elko Buss. He came here from Omaha.

C. C. Suckow and wife and F. J. Wenck, Dr. Missman and Chas. Yahnke went over to Clear Lake Tuesday evening to see Carrie Nation.

From what one is able to hear it would seem that the corn crop in Hancock county this year will be a good one. Oats this year is very thin but of good quality.

Harve Allen has completed the cement walk in front of the barber shop and the opera house. A concrete foundation is being placed under the barber shop building.

Chas. Albrecht returned home Tuesday evening. For the past six or seven weeks he has been traveling through the western states and seeing many sights of interest.

We notice that Al Koerner has been making some fine improvements around his place. He has put in some cement walks, a nice gravel driveway, and has greatly beautified his property.

A walk over our town will convince anyone that Klemme has some fine lawns and as well kept yards as any town in this part of the state. However, there are some places (just a few) where the weeds grow rank and unsightly and should be cut down.

The writer is in receipt of a card from P. C. Kossen, dated from Alkmaar, Netherlands, Europe, July 6th, in which he states that after August 15th he will again be in this country, at Grand Rapids, Michigan. Mr. Kossen is well known in Klemme having at one time been assistant cashier of the First National Bank.

A. O. Shoop and family left last Saturday with their household goods for Clear Lake, Ia., where Mrs. Shoop will visit for a few weeks, while A. O. goes on to Minneapolis where he has accepted a position and where the family will make their future home. Mr. Shoop has been employed here as harness maker for Frank Gruetzmacher and is a good workman. The friends of this family wish them prosperity in their new home.

A heavy rain fell last Friday evening.

A. Kirkwood & Son have a change of ad.

Mrs. C. P Ell and son are visiting at Thornton.

Read the new ad of the First National Bank in this issue.

Poultry wanted at the highest market price. H. Lau & Son. 2

Wm. F. Lau and family, of Garner, Sundayed in Klemme.

Fern Peck, of Garner was an over Sunday visitor with relatives here.

Britt is figuring on holding a base ball tournament the latter part of this month.

Ice cream sodas, sundaes, and all kinds of cool refreshing drinks at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

See our fine line of the best plows and corn binders before you buy. H. Lau & Son. 1-2

C. C. Suckow and family and Mrs. J. J. Suckow and children drove over to Clear Lake last Sunday.

W. R. Bloom and family drove over to Clear Lake Monday to hear W. J. Bryan speak at the Chautauqua.

All of the boys are wearing Carrie Nation hatchets and have joined the funnel gang since visiting Clear Lake this week.

This office printed bills this week announcing a public dance to be given in the Klemme opera house tomorrow evening, August 6th.

Mrs. W. E. Sage and little son Wilferd arrived last Saturday evening from Garner for a visit at the home of Mr, and Mrs. A. C. Flint.

Frank Kluckhohn was at Garner last Thursday and took in the Garner-Union ball game, which was won by the former by a score of 9 to 8.

M. A. Fell was down from Garner last Friday superintending the work of raising his building occupied by J. E. Baumgartner as a barber shop.

The customary fall picnic or carnival at Kanawha will be held this year on Tuesday, Aug. 17th. Some base ball teams, evenly matched, will be engaged; no admittance charge to games. Com. 2w

Harry Herberts and Miss Nellie Busick of Belmond, stole a march on their friends and were married at Garner, July 24th. They kept their marriage a secret until last Saturday. They are two of Belmond's most popular young people.

Dr. Geo. Zinn will soon have a force of carpenters at work on some fine new buildings on his farm east of town. He will erect a large barn, a corn crib and a hog house. Steve Day and his crew will do the work.

A. Kirkwood came up from Klemme Thursday evening for an over Sunday visit with his son, W. M. and wife, departing Monday for Gregory, South Dakota, for a visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mae Hubbard and family.—Ringsted Dispatch.

Today the Klemme Times has a birthday, if it didn't receive any gifts, this being the beginning of the fourteenth year of this paper's existence. We are going to try to make Volume XIV as good as we possibly can and at the same time we hope to do enough business to enable us to keep the wolf off our front porch. Now would be a dandy time to pay that subscription.

Lee Ell was at Garner Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. G. A. Pabst returned yesterday from a visit at Belmond.

Mrs. L Sampson and daughter Viola are visiting at Froelich, Iowa.

Mrs. Groh and daughter, Miss Stella Gruetzmacher, left yesterday for their home in Chicago after a few weeks' visit here.

We are not going to ask it it has been hot enough for you, because if it hasn't you are hard to please. The corn certainly has no excuse these days for not growing. Speaking of corn we might incidentally remark that we had roasting ears from our garden last Sunday.

Miss Vera Kimball, after a few weeks' visit here at the home of her aunt, Mrs. N. L. Palmer, left last Friday morning for Minneapolis where she will visit a week or two before returning to her home at Redfield, So. Dak. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer took her as far as Garner.

German M. E. Church Items

Klemme church is being thoroughly renovated.

Mrs. W. C. A. Gast is able to be out again after her sick spell.

Misses Hulda and Esther Gruetzmacher were at Garner last Friday.

We heard that a small crowd enjoyed a sherbert luncheon at Arthur Wellemeyer's Monday evening.

Mrs. Adolf Ridder and children arrived on Thursday. She expects to visit with her parents some time before departing for her new home at Watertown, So. Dak.

The Standard Bearers society will meet with Miss Wessel this week. All members are urgently requested to be present, as the election of officers is to be held.

The attendance at the quarterly meeting on Sunday was good in the morning and evening. Prof. Finke, though in ill health, preached three good sermons.

On Monday as Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Krause were driving towards town, their horses became frightened at seeing an automobile. The horses in turning quickly, broke the buggy tongue.

Poor Old Hisey

News has been received from Yale, South Dakota that Andrew Townsend Hisey, the erratic wheelbarrow candidate for president, known all over Iowa, was badly dealt with while there. He was making a speech when some of the "boys" grabbed the wheelbarrow and started to give him a free ride. He was thrown out and his arm was broken and he was badly jammed up otherwise.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

PERSONAL.

Leslie M. Shaw, former secretary of the treasury, in an address at Chautauqua, N. Y., said the people had made cowards of their congressmen and that Hearst would beat La Follette for the presidency if Roosevelt, Taft and Bryan should die.

Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota was the orator and central figure of "Swedish day" at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle. Thousands of Swedes from all parts of the country took part in the festivities.

John Galvin, vice-mayor of Cincinnati, took the oath as mayor, succeeding the late Col. Leopold Markbreidt.

President Reyes of Colombia resigned and his successor will be elected August 3.

Prof. Charles Zubelin, sociologist of Boston, in an address at Cahutaugua, N. Y., called E. H. Harriman a financial pest.

Representative Tawney of Minnesota, replying to a magazine article, assailed Dr. Charles Richard Van Hise, president of Wisconsin university.

A report was received in New York that Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the suffragist terror of England, is coming to this country to stir up the women.

GENERAL NEWS.

Incomplete reports from the district devastated by the earthquake in Mexico indicated that more than 100 persons lost their lives and several towns were nearly destroyed.

Noah R. Marker, the absconding assistant cashier of the First National bank, returned to his home in Tipton, Ind., was arrested, taken to Muncie and released on a $10,000 bond. He said he had been fishing in Missouri and returned to spend his birthday with his family.

Following the report that the rebels had surrendered in Barcelona and the Moors had retreated from Melilla, official announcements given out at Madrid said the situation in Spain was improving. It is said 400 were slain and 1,000 wounded in the Barcelona battle.

Orville Wright won the $30,000 prize offered by congress, surpassed the government's requirements and set a new speed record for aeroplanes, in the final test at Fort Myer.

Harry Thaw's belief that he is a person of extreme ability may be the bar that will keep him in the madhouse, judging from the pertinent questions asked by Justice Mills who is hearing the sanity probe case.

Phillip Swift, son of Edward F. Swift, the Chicago packer, was seriously injured when his automobile, running a mile a minute, struck a telephone pole at Lake Geneva, Wis.

A person seeking revenge turned off the ventlating apparatus in a coal mine at Pittsburg, Kan., and 40 miners were evercome by gas.

When his launch caught fire in midstream, Attorney Fred Dicke of Two Rivers, Wis., leaped into the water took a rope in his teeth and pulled the boat to shallow water where three girls who had been badly burned sprung into the stream and saved themselves.

Two couples were married by Rev. George Whitehead of New York late at night, while the pastor was garbed in his pajamas and was barefooted.

Roy Griswold, who was arrested at Georgetown, Col., on suspicion that he was the slayer of Peter Waeltz at Belleville, Ill., proved an alibi and was released.

Claude Brooks, a negro, was hanged at Kansas City, Mo., for the murder of Sidney Herndon, a well-to-do real-estate owner, formerly of Tyler, Tex., Jan. 13, 1908.

It is announced that the government is planning to expend $6,000,000 on fortifications at San Pedro, Cal.

The murdered body of an unidentified man bound hand and foot was found by children in the woods near Randall, O.

Night riders have warned the builders to cease work on a new schoolhouse near Bethpage, Tenn., close to the Kentucky state line, and they have demanded the resignation of a trustee.

Detective Frank Wagner, who told the senatorial investigating committee that he had seen Stephenson aids pay money to members of the Wisconsin legislature, was convicted of perjury at Madison.

Mrs. William Jennings Bryan announced that the family would not live in Texas except during the winter months, but would continue to make their home at Lincoln, Neb.

Joseph H. Leison of Indiana, Joseph P. Walker of Denver, Col., and J. J. Harrington of Hartsell, Col., have sued Benjamin Marks, Ernest E. Hart, Jr., John J. Spindler, James C. Maybray and the First National Bank of Council Bluffs, Ia., for the recovery of money alleged to have been lost in sporting transactions.

The plant of the Murray & Nickel Manufacturing Company, located at South Elgin, Ill., burned. Explosion of a large milling machine started the fire. The loss is said to be $100,000.

The tariff conferees signed the Aldrich-Payne bill and reported it to the house after President Taft had whipped several of the insurgents into line for downward revision.

A report from Washington says James Wilson of Iowa, secretary of agriculture, who has been a cabinet officer longer than any other man, will resign in January and probably will be succeeded by Representative Scott of Kansas.

Eleven persons died in Chicago from heat and injuries sustained in an electrical storm.

District Attorney Jerome, after two days of grueling examination of Harry Thaw, failed to make the slayer of Stanford White show any signs of insanity.

Harry C. Pulliam, president of the National League of Professional Baseball Clubs, died in New York from the wound he inflicted when he shot himself in the head.

A barber at Winthrop Harbor declares he shaved off the beard of a man answering the description of Judge Clarkson, who disappeared from Kenosha, Wis.

The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition company at Seattle has offered $25,000 for a race between either of the Wright brothers and Louis Bleriot, the French aviator who made the successful aeroplane flight across the English channel.

Harrison S. Green, a prominent Milwaukee lawyer, and five other passengers were hurt when a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul train was wrecked at Duplainville, Wis.

The Chicago grand jury, which has already indicted a police inspector, a detective and others, returned indictments against 20 keepers of illegal establishments.

Fire caused a loss of $10,000 to buildings in Philo, Ill.

Arthur Eulan, John Ament and Henry Zebotski, while raising sunken logs from the Wisconsin river, about two miles south of Merrill, Wis., were drowned.

William H. Marker, cashier of the First National bank, Tipton, Ind., whose brother fled after stealing more than $100,000, resigned.

Mrs. John Mullarkey shot and killed Edward Axline and then committed suicide at Bellevue, Ky.

Six hundred miners of District No. 11 in Indiana have been ordered to return to work pending a review of their strike difficulty by T. L. Lewis, the national president.

W. P. Kreis, a union pressman, was shot and seriously wounded at Atlanta, Ga., by G. W. Stovall, a non-union pressman, who was attacked by union sympathizers aroused by a strike.

Albert Reece, 78 years old, of Danvers, Ill., was sentenced to one year in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., for illegally drawing a war pension for 18 years. He drew a total of $2,000.

Harry Thaw showed no signs of insanity in his first day on the witness stand and more than held his own in a battle of wits with District Attorney Jerome.

With his kingdom facing civil war, King Alfonso declared martial law throughout his domain in an effort to check the riots which have already cost several hundreds of lives.

A dog is held prisoner in a Georgia jail and will be used as a witness against a negro who is charged with assaulting a woman. His mute testimony is expected to free the prisoner or send him to the gallows.

County officials at Peoria, Ill., decided to ask the next state legislature to pass a law providing whipping posts for men who abandon and beat their wives.

Roy Blake, a traveling photographer, arrested in Denver, Col., at the request of a former Belleville, Ill., woman who says he killed Peter Waltz, a Belleville photographer.

Police Magistrate Grannan of Baltimore acquitted Senator Stone of Missouri and said the senator was justified in slapping a negro, waiter on a Pennsylvania train, when the black was impudent to him.

William McCracken of Osage county, Okla., is under arrest in London, Ky., charged with feigning death to swindle an insurance company out of $5,000.

TO SPEND $150,000

Old Federal Building to Be Entirely Remodeled.

NEW POSTOFFICE READY NOV. 1

Col. West and His Aides Will Occupy First Floor—Cells to Be Added to Equipment of U. S. Marshal.

Des Moines, Aug. 2.—A sum of $150,000 will be spent by the United States government in remodeling the old federal building just as soon as the postoffice department moves into its new home on the river front about Nov. 1. Many changes will be made, the most important of which will be the removal of the officers' headquarters at Fort Des Moines to a new place on the first floor of the remodeled structure.

A representative of the treasury department at Washington will arrive in Des Moines in a few weeks to confer with the heads of the various departments as to how they wish to have their offices arranged. Plans and specifications will then be made and bids asked for. Work on the structure will commence about November 15.

The structure will be remodeled from the roof to the basement. Every particle of plaster will be taken off from the ground up so that everything can be rearranged.

Other big changes that will be made will include the removal of the customs office, collector of the revenue and the pension department from the second floor of the structure to the first floor.

Radical changes will be made on the third floor of the structure, which is now occupied by tthe office of the United States marshal, clerks of the circuit and district courts, civil service commission, federal court room, and Judge McPherson's private offices.

A set of prison cells will be placed in a room adjoining the marshal's office, where federal prisoners may be kept during trials, or to serve short sentences. The prisoners are kept in the Polk county jail at the present time. Sleeping quarters and a bath room will be provided for the deputy marshals, of whom there are three at the present time.

Changes will be made in the offices of the United States weather bureau, but just what they will be cannot be told at this time.

Must Own Permit or No Liquors.

Des Moines.—Efforts are being made to stop deliveries of liquor in the state except to the holders of permits. Decisions have been made in the district courts of the state holding that railroads and express companies have no right to deliver the goods except to those holding a permit to sell in the state and the present attempt is to shut off sending a waiter to the nearest saloon for a bottle of beer. It is said that Attorney General Byers holds that this is illegal, under the liquor laws of the state.

Visions of New Road.

Iowa City.—Is Iowa City to be on the line of an electric railway connecting Omaha and Chicago, is a question which many in this community are wondering about. Parties recently in this city engaged help to work on a surveying gang which is to map out such a line. The parties securing the help here have not approached any local capitalists, and it is believed here that the enterprise is being financed at one or the other of the great centers which it is proposed to connect.

Girl to Sanitarium.

Marshalltown.—Miss Gertrude Gregory, daughter of Councilman George Gregory of this city, and a student at the state university, left for Oakville, where she will become a patient in the state tuberculosis sanatorium. Miss Gregory was stricken with pneumonia while attending the university last spring and her illness affected her lungs.

Heads S. U. I. Nurses' School.

Iowa City.—Mrs. Anna C. Goodale, superintendent of Ellsworth's hospital at Cedar Falls, is to succeed Miss Margaret Earle as superintendent of the Homeopathic Training School for Nurses in this city. Miss Earle is now Mrs. Lloyd Canfield, having been secretly married a few weeks ago.

Boy Drowns in Fish Pond.

Knoxville.—Word was received here of the drowning of Martin Caffrey, aged 21, in a pond two miles from Caloma, in Franklin township, this county.

Assessments Changed by Council.

Des Moines.—Four counties will have an increase of 5 per cent over the farm land valuations reported by the county auditor, according to the order of the executive council in its work of assessment and equalization. The tax levy which will be 3.4 mills on the dollar, a reduction of one-tenth of a mill from last year.

Polk county is one of the counties to receive the 5 per cent increase. The others are Plymouth, Howard and Wapello. Dallas will receive a 4 per cent raise and other increases follow:

Three per cent—Fremont, Monona and Palo Alto.

Two per cent—Adams, Butler, Calhoun, Cass, Chickasaw, Clinton, Floyd, Lucas, Lyon, O'Brien, Union and Winnebago.

One per cent—Clay, Kossuth, Madison and Marion.

In Johnson county the council ordered a 3 per cent reduction over the figures presented by the county auditor.

Railroad assessed valuations were left practically unchanged for most of the roads in the state. The Des Moines Union figures were raised to a total of $120,750 owing to the increase in trackage from 4 to 5.16 miles.

A reduction of $80,250 was made in the assessed valuation of the Newton & Northwestern, now a part of the Des Moines, Fort Dorge & Southern.

Four interurban roads were valued at a higher figure, as follows: Fort Dodge, Des Moines & Southern, increase per mile from $2,000 to $2,050; Mason City & Clear Lake, from $1,000 to $1,500; Oskaloosa & Buxton, from $1,000 to $1,500; Waterloo, Cedar Falls & Northern, from $3,000 to $3,600 per mile. The new Albia interurban was valued for assessment at $2,000 per mile.

Assessed valuations of express companies were fixed at the same figures with one exception, the Pacific Express company, the assessed valuation of which was increased from $25 to $30 per mile.

Knoxville Pair Married 60 Years.

Knoxville.—Knoxville is rapidly acquiring the reputation of being the home of more venerable old married couples than any other place of like size in Iowa. On July 25, following close on the sixty-sixth anniversary of J. T. Gregory and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Lundy celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding day. In this case the most remarkable feature is noted in the fact that tthe old people were married in this county (Marion) and that the date of the wedding was July 25, 1849, at a time when the township in which they were married was a primeval wilderness without a name.

Kepford in Demonstration.

Storm Lake.—Following the lecture of Dr. A. E. Kepford, state lecturer on tuberculosis, at the Storm Lake Chautauqua, a demonstration was given on an infected animal which had been taken from the private dairy herd of a nearby farm. The animal was just fresh and the tubercular conditions were evident enough to make the demonstration of great practical benefit. Dr. Kepford states that this is the first time anything of the sort has been attempted by an Iowa Chautauqua and believes that such things will be of great practical benefit.

Nose Bleed May Kill Farmer.

Iowa City.—William Miller, a farmer of near Solon, is in a critical condition from a persistent hemorrhage from the nose. Miller was seized with a bleeding at the nose and at first thought little of it but upon its failing to yield to treatment his alarm was aroused and it required considerable medical aid to stop the flow of blood, which greatly weakened him.

Seeks a Parole.

Marshalltown.—After having been in the Anamosa state reformatory less than a year, Fred Tupper of Hartland, Wis., who was sentenced to five years for forgery last September, is now seeking a parole, and has written Rev. C. W. McCord of this city whom he victimized after McCord had befriended the young man, asking for his assistance.

Drainage Reduces Hay Crop.

Milford.—The redemption of so much land here by the use of drain tile and ditching will cause a loss in the hay crop and it is expected a shortage of at least 100,000 tons will result through this part of the state. Hundreds of acres of hitherto good hay land have been drained and put into crops.

Mrs. W. J. Teeters Dead.

Iowa City.—Mrs. W. J. Teeters, wife of Prof. Teeters, dean of the college of pharmacy of the university, died of convulsions. Her husband is in New Mexico. Their only child was killed in a runaway last year.

IOWA MAN KILL

W. H. Dahlquist is a Victim Spokane Wreck.

ELEVEN OTHERS MEET DE

Seventy-five Persons Injured w Electric Cars Collide at Cold water, Idaho—Spokane Hospital Filled.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 2.—T persons were killed and seventy were injured in a head-on collisio two electric cars on the Spokan Inland railway. The wreck occu at Coldwater, Wash., a station tween Coeur d'Alene, and Spok No. 20, westbount train, had left C d'Alene at 4:30 p. m., and had reached Coldwater when it met eastbound. Both trains were goi the rate of about fifteen miles an They crashed together without ing to the crews or passengers.

The heavily laden passenger c es were crushed. Men and wo were thrown from their seats, being hurled to the top of the coa while others were sent flying thr the windows. Several coaches the track and passengers were c under the pile of broken timber

Uninjured passengers at once ried to telephones to call aid. A ial train of physicians hurried Spokane. Others hurried from C d'Alene and other places. The C d'Alene hospital is now filled wit jured. Only one of the train cre reported injured.

The dead:

ORVILLE PUERBAUGH, El Ind.

W. J. HOUSE, Scotia, Wash.

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A. P. WHITLEY, Memphis, Te

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DOLLIE GOLDEN, Spokane, W

W. A. DAHLQUIST, Estherville

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A. D. M'DONALD, Drummond,

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ANDREW FASHION, Baker Ore.

Among the injured are.

Daniel Carmondy, 4619 Union nue, Chicago, fracture of leg an ternal injuries.

P. M. Waters, Pleasant Lake, I

Guy Tumbleson, Mullenville, K

Arthur Marvin, Victoria, Mont.

Charles Osburne, Freeport, bruises.

Mrs. Charles Osborne, Freepor scalp wounds and knee hurt.

C. P. Vansandt, Harrisonville, knee hurt.

E. L. Dixon, Norfolk, Neb., pound fracture of left leg

Arrangements for burying the are delayed pending word from tives in different parts of the U States.

TWELVE ARE HURT IN WR

John D. Lawrence, Mail Clerk, Very Critical Condition at t Methodist Hospital.

Des Moines, Aug. 2.—Twelve were injured and the passenge the entire train of the Overland ited of the Chicago, Milwaukee Paul railway miraculously es death in a wreck just east of crossing at Cambridge early Sat morning. The accident was c by a break a foot long in the rail of the track. The engine d leave the rails, but the six c were thrown into the ditch an mail and combined express cars splintered into kindling wood.

The list of the seriously injur as follows:

John D. Lawrence, Madrid, clerk; aged 46; married. Right and left shoulder fractured an jured internally.

Frank L. Eistonwaller, Cedar ids, mail clerk; aged 65. Cut on of head, left shoulder bruised.

E. A. Matkovick, Blysdale, laborer; aged 42. Cut on head.

Arthur Dodge, Toledo, O.; age Cut on forehead, ankle sprained

Ralph Santanatob, Chicago, I

W. E. Glenn, Springfield, S. D on forehead.

Andrew Gaydy, Chicago. Bruis head.

John McCarty, Chicago. Left sprained and bruised.

Charles H. Larabee, Ainsworth Side injured.

Charles F. Price, Chicago. C head, leg bruised.

Arthur Craig, colored, Kansas Cut on finger of right hand.

Jacob Gogo, East Cambridge, Cut and bruised over right eye.

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arily and as its etymology the verb to orient means to object in exact adjustment to st, thence by a natural corollary it true with all the cardinal of the compass. Then in the tive and topical signification it d to describe the attitude of a duly adjusted to any standard of edge, morals or life.

The Force of Habit.

of the campers had done some peculiarly idiotic, and the dean "Dick reminds me of Thomas'

hat about Thomas' colt?" asked cheerfully.

hy," the dean responded, readily, e I lived in Maine when I was an old man named Thomas horses. He once put out to e a colt, which had been fed its birth in a box stall and wa- at the trough in the yard. e pasture lay across a small and in the middle of the day the wam the stream to go up to the ard for a drink of water."— 's Companion.

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TARIFF MEASURE MAKES CUT IN MANY SCHEDULES

Fight for Lower Duties on Wood Pulp and Print Paper Is Won.

SLIGHT INCREASE IN RATES ON HOSIERY.

Metal Schedules Are Lower—Duty on Rough Lumber Changed from $2 to $1.25 per Thousand Feet—Sugar and Tobacco Schedules Remain Substantially as Under the Dingley Bill—Little Change in Wool Duties.

Washington.—Tariff rates under the new measure, on the most important articles of consumption, have been decided on as follows:

In the lumber schedule the only increases were those on shingles from 30 cents to 50 cents per 1,000, and on briar wood and laurel wood for the use of pipe makers from the free list to 15 per cent. ad valorem. The rate on sawed lumber was decreased from $2 per 1,000 to $1.25 per 1,000. There was also a diminution on timber from one cent. per cubic foot to one-half cent, and on sawed boards of white wood and kindred woods from $1 per 1,000 to 50 cents per 1,000. The reduction in the differential rates in favor of dressed lumber averaged about one-third of the Dingley rate. Paving posts, railroad ties and telephone poles are reduced from 20 to 10 per cent. ad valorem; clapboards from $1.50 per 1,000 to $1.25; laths from 25 cents to 20 cents per 1,000, while fence posts and kindling wood were taken from the dutiable list and placed on the free list.

The only change in the sugar schedule consisted of a reduction of five-hundredths of a cent in the differential on refined sugar.

In agricultural products broom corn was taken from the free list and made dutiable at three dollars per ton. Hops are increased from 12 to 16 cents per pound. There are also increases on lemons, figs, almonds, pineapples and chicory root. The reductions in the agricultural schedule covered bacon and hams from five to four cents per pound, lard from two to one and one-half cents, fresh meats from two to one and one-half cents, and starch from one and one-half to one cent per pound. Tallow, wool grease, dextrin, peas, sugar beets, cabbages and salt were also lowered.

The wine and liquor schedule was increased throughout to 15 per cent. over the Dingley rates.

The cotton schedule was reconstructed and readjusted to bring the duties up to those collected during the first four years of the operation of the Dingley law and to the rate then collected under that law. Since that time the rates have been lowered, in some cases from 60 to 6 per cent. by court decisions. These new rates are equivalent to an addition, on the whole, of three per cent. ad valorem increase over that collected under the present law for last year.

Cotton Hosiery.

Cotton hosiery, valued at not more than $1 per dozen is increased from 50 to 70 cents per dozen pairs; more than $1 and less than $1.50 per dozen pairs, from 60 cents to 85 cents per dozen pairs; more than $1.50 and not more than $2, from 70 cents to 90 cents per dozen pairs.

The remaining rates on stockings are the same as under the present law.

Hemp is increased from $20 to $22.50 per ton and hackle hemp from $40 to $45 per ton. The cheaper laces remain as in the present law, but there is an increase from 60 to 70 per cent. on some of the higher priced laces. In this schedule single coarse yarns are reduced from seven cents to six cents per pound and gill nettings from 25 to 20 per cent. ad valorem.

There was a general reduction in carpets and mats.

A reduction from 20 cents to 15 cents is made in hydraulic hose. Oil cloth, including linoleum, was reduced about one-third.

There was practically no change in the wool schedule from the rates of the Dingley law, but there was a readjustment between tops and yarns and a small decrease on cloths with a cotton warp.

Mechanically ground wood pulp was exempted from duty and placed on the free list with a provision for a countervailing duty against Canada. The lower grade of printing paper was reduced from $6 to $3.75 per ton and the higher grade from $8 to $3.75. There is an increase on surface coated paper and lithographing prints, including postcards and cigar labels.

Common window glass of the lower sizes, in which the imports are heavy, is given a reduction, and where changes were made in the chemical schedule there was a general decrease, except upon such articles as fancy soaps and perfumes, which were increased.

Probably the most marked reductions throughout any schedule in the bill as a result of the action of the two houses and of the conference committee are found in the metal schedule. Beginning with a decrease in the rate of iron ore from 40 to 15 cents per ton, there is a general reduction throughout that portion of the bill, pig iron going down from $4 to $2.50 per ton, and scrap iron from $4 to $1. The reduction on many of the items in this schedule amounts to about 50 per cent., and this reduction includes steel rails.

Other reductions in the metal schedule affect polished sheets, rolled sheets of iron, steel, copper, or nickel, steel ingots, cogged ingots, blooms and slabs; round iron or steel wire; steel bars or rods, co'd rolled, cold drawn, or cold hammered, or polished; anvils, axles; blacksmith's hammers and sledges, track tools, wedges and crowbars; bolts; cast iron pipes; cast hollow ware; chains; lap welded or jointed iron or steel boier tubes; cut nails and spikes; horseshoe nails; wire nails; spikes, nuts and washers; cut tacks; steel plates engraved; rivets; cross-cut saws, mill-saws, circular saws, pit and drag saws, steel band saws and all other saws; screws; wheels for railway purposes; aluminum; momazite sand and thorite.

Bituminous coal goes down from 67 cents to 45 cents per ton, and there are reductions on gunpowder, matches and cartridges. Agricultural implements are cut from 20 to 15 per cent. ad valorem.

Hides were placed on the free list, while the rate on band and sole leather is reduced from 20 per cent. to five per cent. ad valorem, on dressed leather from 20 per cent. to 10 per cent.; boots and shoes from 25 per cent. to 10 per cent.

Fireworks are increased from 20 per cent. advalorem to 12 cents per pound; wearing apparel made of fur from 35 to 50 per cent, and the higher class jewerly from 60 per cent. to 85 per cent. ad valorem; pencil lead is given specific rates instead of ad valorem rates with a slight increase. For the first time moving picture films are named specifically in a tariff law. The bill gives them a positive rate of 1½ cents per foot.

Petroleum, crude and refined, including kerosene, gasoline, naphtha, benzine and similar petroleum products are made free of duty and are left even without a countervailing duty.

The Dingley rates on women's and children's gloves are allowed to stand. The only change is a reduction on "schmaschen" gloves not over 14 inches in length on which the rate is made $1.25 a dozen pairs instead of $1.75.

Miscellaneous Provisions.

A provision is included in the bill which levies on all articles upon which any foreign country pays a bounty or grant upon its exportation, an additional duty equal to the amount of such bounty.

It is required that all imported articles capable of being marked without impairment of their value shall be stamped with the name of the manufacturer and the country of origin.

A very elaborate provision for the administration of the customs laws was adopted by the conferees. It is practically the same as that adopted by the senate. It is intended to prevent undervaluation of articles on which there is no foreign market by which true values may be ascertained.

Provision is made for the establishment of a customs court of appeals, with headquarters in Washington. It will comprise a presiding judge and four associate judges, at salaries of $10,000 a year. There are to be appointed to conduct government cases before this court a special assistant attorney general at $10,000, a deputy assistant attorney general at $7,500, and four attorneys at $5,000 each.

The internal revenue tax on tobacco is amended, making the rates on chewing and smoking tobacco eight cents a pound. No change was made in the tax on cigars, except those weighing under three pounds per 1,000, which were increased from 54 to 75 cents per 1,000. The rates on cigarettes were increased to $1.25 per 1,000. A prohibition against the use of coupons or special gift pledges is incorporated in the new law.

The provision granting farmers the free sale of leaf tobacco places a restriction on the retail dealer which requires him to record every sale amounting to two pounds or more to one person in one day. A number of other ironclad requirements are included in the redraft of this section adopted by the conference committee, by which it was intended to prevent any frauds upon the internal revenues, and at the same time give as much of a local market as possible to the tobacco grower. The grower had contended for unrestricted sale of amounts up to ten pounds.

Foreign-built yachts are subject to an excise tax of seven dollars per gross ton, which is to be collected annually on the first day of September. In lieu of the excise tax the owner of a foreign built yacht or pleasure boat may pay a duty of 35 per cent. ad valorem on his yacht. This will entitle him to American registry. The excise tax provision was adopted because of the fact that some question has been raised about the ability of the government to enforce collection of import duties.

Corporation Tax.

Every corporation, joint stock company or association organized for profit, and every insurance company is required to pay annually an excise tax of one per cent. upon its entire net income over and above $5,000. This feature was put into the bill to raise additional revenues to apply on the treasury deficit. The section was prepared by Attorney General Wickersham, assisted by other able lawyers in the administrative circle, and great care was taken to guard against double taxation. It provides a form of publicity which will enable the government to exercise supervision over corporations. The form of returns which must be made by corporations, and other features of the corporation tax law were made public in detail during its consideration in the senate. It is estimated that from $20,000,000 to $30,000,000 a year will be collected under this form of federal taxation.

The secretary of the treasury is authorized to issue Panama canal bonds to the amount of $290,569,000, which sum, together with that already expended, equals the estimated cost of the Panama canal. It is not intended that the bonds shall be issued except as needed to provide money to carry on the work of canal construction. The bonds are to be payable 50 years from the date of issue, and will bear interest at a rate not exceeding three per cent. When the bonds are sold the secretary of the treasury will restore to the working balance the $50,000,000 paid originally for the canal property and the canal zone.

The re-enactment of the provision authorizing the issuance of treasury certificates for money borrowed to meet public expenditures, increases the amount of the authorization from $100,000,000 to $200,000,000. A large number of other provisions that are in force under the existing tariff law are included in the conference bill, with a few changes in phraseology in several cases.

The drawback provision of the Dingley law is incorporated in the conference bill in lieu of the drawback of the house bill which intended to permit the substitution of domestic material in the manufactured article for export to the same quantity that the imported material, upon which a drawback was obtainable, was used in the manufacture of similar articles for domestic consumption. An additional provision was adopted entitling users of domestic alcohol in the manufacture of perfumery and cosmetics to secure a drawback of internal revenue tax to the amount of alcohol used in an exported article.

Senate Ideas Accepted.

Practically all the administrative features of the bill which were adopted in the senate were accepted by the conferees. They include a new maximum and minimum feature, a corporation tax law instead of the inheritance tax adopted by the house, authorization for a bond issue to raise money to build the Panama canal, as well as numerous other features.

The maximum and minimum provision prescribes duties in accordance with the rates named in the dutiable list until March 31, 1910, when 25 per cent. ad valorem is to be added automatically as the maximum duty. The president is authorized to apply the minimum rates, however, to imports from a country which gives its best rates to the products of the United States and is made the judge as to whether a foreign country accords to the United States treatment which is reciprocal and equivalent. When he finds that this condition exists he is to issue a proclamation putting in effect the minimum rates and until the time of the proclamation the maximum rates will apply.

The president is empowered to employ such persons as may be required to secure information to assist the president in the discharge of the duties imposed upon him and information which will be useful to the officers of the government in the administration of the customs laws. The reciprocity treaty with Cuba is not affected by the maximum and minimum provision.

The president is empowered also to abrogate those reciprocity treaties which can be terminated by diplomatic action. It is made his duty to give 10 days' notice after the bill becomes a law of his intention to bring those treaties to an end. All other treaties which contain no stipulation in regard to their termination by diplomatic action shall be abrogated by a notice of six months from the president to those countries, the notice dating from April 30, 1909, on which date Secretary Knox notified foreign governments that the United States would soon ask them to enter into new tariff relations.

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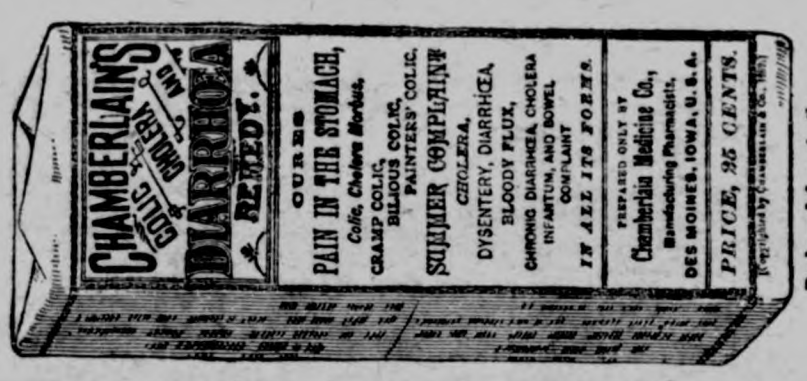

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From the Globe:

Miss Avis Gartin is visiting at the home of E. J. Bauman in St. Paul this week.

C. J Knott has sold his farm to Mr. Watermiller and will move to Washington about the first of the year.

Fred Nolte and Dave Friedman left Tuesday for the Alaska-Yukon exposition at Seattle. They will also register for land

A. D. White and daughters, Miss Mamie White and Mrs. Gittie Sweigard, left last Monday to take in the Alaska-Yukon exposition at Seattle and other points of interest. Mrs. Sweigard expects to register for land.

The Hall girls came out from Chicago Wednesday and are visiting at the home of their uncle, James Trumbell.

Mrs. D. E. Eldred and daughter Vera.. of Sheldon, Iowa, came last Friday and are the guests of relatives and friends.

The base ball game on last Tuesday between the married men and single men resulted in the score of 13 to 15 in favor of the single men.

Woman's Generous Act.

"I give and bequeath my real estate for the use of my husband during his life, and at his death, I direct that it be divided share and share alike between my children and any children that my husband may have with another wife after I am dead." This unusual generosity of a wife toward the children of her probable successor in the affections of her husband is an extract from the will of Mrs. Dorothy Creveling, late of Scott township, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Creveling died in 1877, leaving a fine farm and other valuable real estate. Her husband, Benson Creveling, and three children survived her. Later he married another and five children were born. Recently all of the eight children joined in a petition to the court for permission to sell the real estate at private sale and divide the proceeds.

Where Families Are Large.

Although the population of France is declining, there are parts where large families are not the exception, but the rule. The little village of Verrieres, near Pontalier on the Swiss frontier, where Gen. Bourbaki met with disaster in 1871, is a case in point. It is a picturesque spot. Families of ten or a dozen are common. Last week M. Simon, a farmer, celebrated his golden wedding in the presence of 42 children and grandchildren. Mme. L. Botte, a farmer's wife, has had 26 children. M. Crelier, the receiver of taxes, is the happy father of 25 children. M. Hamard, a farmer, is father to 20, and M. Lon[illegible]hamps' wife has borne him 19.—London Globe.

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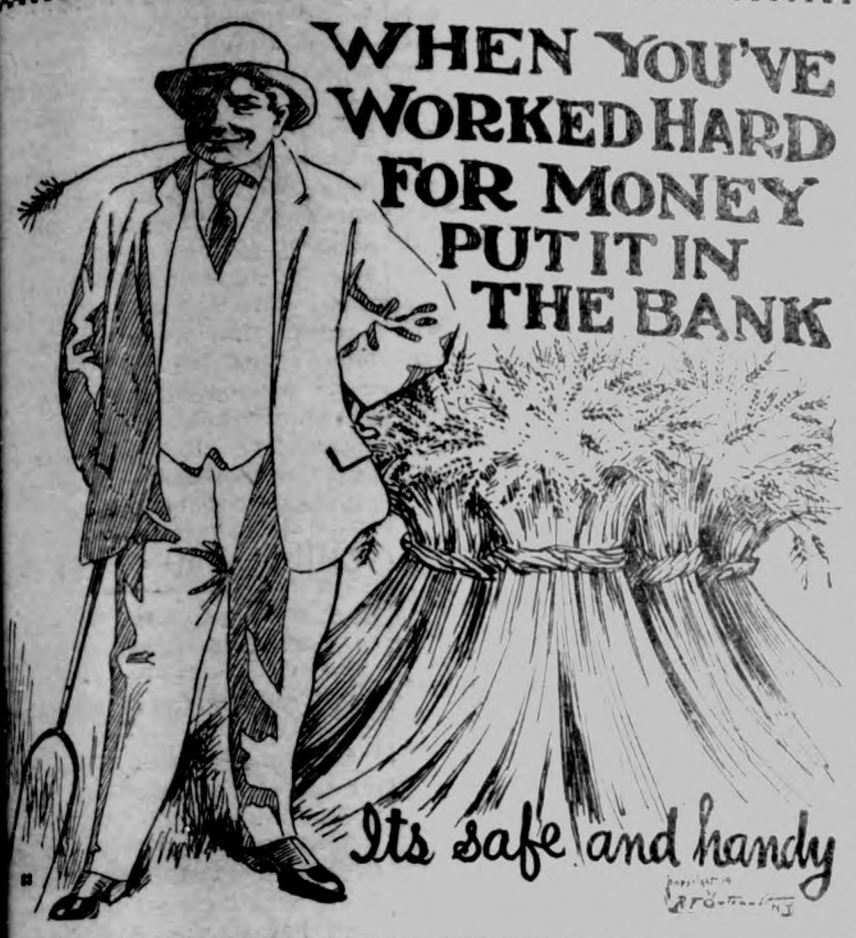

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Farm Furrows

From the Homestead:

I painted my barns and sheds recently and I imagined that the cattle, pigs and horses were filled with pride over the neatness of their surroundings. The hogs scratch themselves on the corner of the shed before going into the mud, whereas formerly, this order was reversed.

One of the old sows broke through a crib door the other day and helped herself to half a bushel of corn. I wonder if she made enough gain so that I'll get my money back this winter when I market her, counting corn at seventy cents per bushel.

There is something about the rust problem that I don't understand. This year in our locality when oats had just headed out we had four or five very hot, sultry days, and every one expected that the crop would be ruined with rust. We are happily disappointed, however, as the straw is as clean and bright as any that I have seen.

It is related that a great business man of Chicago has the one word "Act" on a motto card at his desk. He claims that the motto has played no small part in helping him to success.

We don't do much dairying at our home, but I notice that the cows with good udders are the ones that raise the big, lusty calves that you can sell at an early age. A cow that will not give enough milk to make a good calf is a losing proposition regardless of the percentage of aristocratic blood she has in her veins.

I visited a farmer recently who lived twelve miles from the depot. I wanted to make a certain train and he knew it, and at one hour previous to train time he hadn't yet come in from the field to get ready for town. Fifteen minutes later, however, we were off in his auto and I made my train comfortably. We would have been pegging away at this distance for about two hours if we had depended upon the average old Dobbin.

The Crime of Idleness

Idleness means trouble for anyone. Its the same with a lazy liver. It causes constipation, headache, jaundice, sallow complexion, pimples and blotches, loss of appetite, nausea, but Dr. King's New Life Pills soon banish liver troubles and build up your health. 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

The Draft Horse

The horse breeder who is looking for profits should turn to the draft horse, says an exchange. It is almost as easy to raise a big salable draft horse as it is to raise a good steer. Look up the prices of the big drafters and compare them with the prices of the good driving horses. A good horse is sure to command $200, and show draft horses have been negotiated in the Chicago market up to $660 for a single drafter and $1,300 for matched draft pairs. Many of the best draft pairs sold at the Chicago market the current year have reached the very satisfactory figures of $750 to $850, and single offerings clear every week at $300 to $400 for industrial use and show purposes. There appears to be absolutely no danger of over production of good draft horses, as the industrial development of the country is on a greater scale of increase than horse breeding is asserted by a live stock writer of repute. There is no longer any apprehension that the automobile will herald a horseless age.

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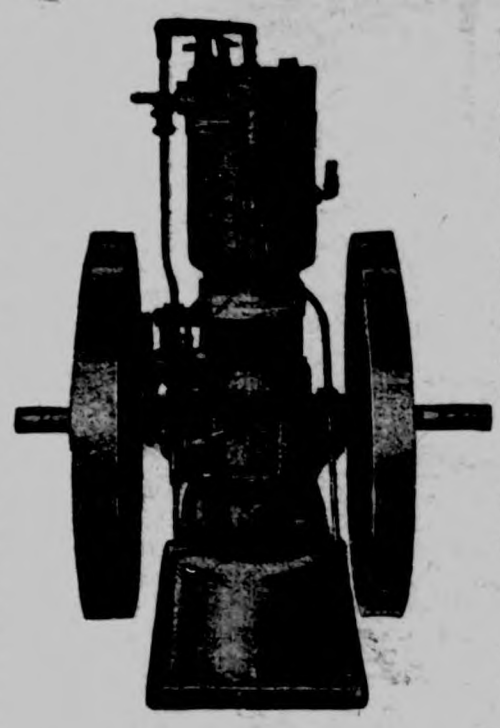

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Clarion Ladies Drown

Mrs. C. L. Bennett and Misses Eva Porter and Hazel Huddleson were drowned in Elm lake, four miles east of Clarion. There was a party of fourteen young ladies spending a few days at one of the cottages at the lake, and they were returning from bathing. The launch and the row boat in tow were both capsized. Mr. C. L. Bennett, who was with the party, and Robt. Humphrey and Hugh Hartshorn, who were on the opposite side of the lake, worked heroically or the entire party would have perished.

An Auto Accident

Frank McCorkle, of Sexton, was seriously injured in an automobile accident at Algona last week. There were six in the auto, it run off a bank at a turn in the road and turned turtle. Three were seriously injured, hip and leg broken and injured internally. Miss Syred Nelson was pinned under the auto for an hour and a half before she could be released. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Fuller and two daughters were badly cut and bruised. Frank was raised in southern Hancock county but has lived for several years in Algona and Sexton.—Britt Tribune.

Washington's Plague Spots

lie in the low, marshy bottoms of the Potomac, the breeding ground of malaria germs. These germs cause chills, fever and ague, billiousness, jaundice, lassitude, weakness and general debility and bring suffering or death to thousands yearly. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malaria troubles. "They are the best all-round tonic and cure for malaria I ever used," writes R. M. James of Louellen, S. C. They cure stomach, liver, kidney and blood troubles and will prevent typhoid. Try them, 50c. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co.

Do Men Read Beauty Columns?

Your husband, madam, will deny it strenuously if you charge him openly across the breakfast cups with reading the columns in the morning paper devoted to the secrets of feminine beauty. But don't be too trustful. If you take the Chicago Record-Herald, as every well-regulated family should, you know all about Mme. Qui Vive's spicy column devoted to "The Woman Beautiful." Well, just watch the good man's eye and see it wander carelessly over to that quarter of the page. Then, if he disappears entirely behind the paper and comes forth with a smile as innocent as that of the cat after swallowing the canary, you may come to your own conclusion. Of course, if caught in the act, he may declare that he only reads the witty epigram with which Mme. Qui Vive heads her column every day. But be not deceived. You know very well that Mme. Qui Vive's whole department is as good as the cream at the top. Will a cat that steals a sip from the cream pitcher suddenly become honest after removing the top layer? No, there is a growing suspicion that a large number of highly respectable men —not all of them married, either—are in the daily habit of reading the beauty columns in the Record-Herald. We are naming no names at present but the suspected parties are being watched.

Scared With a Hot Iron

or scalded by overturned kettle—cut with a knife—bruised by slammed door—injured by gun or in any other way—the thing needed at once is Bucklen's Arnica Salve to subdue inflamation and kill the pain. It's earth's supreme Healer, infallible for boils, ulcers, fever sores, eczema and piles. 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

Don't forget the ice cream social on the lawn at Chas. Yahnke's next Saturday evening, August 14.

VETERANS MARCH IN GREAT REVIEW

PARADE OF THE GRAND ARMY IN SALT LAKE CITY

CLIMAX OF ENCAMPMENT

Old Soldiers Are Greeted with Cheers and Tears—Gathering in the Utah Capital Well Managed.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Aug. 11.—Forty-four departments of the Grand Army of the Republic, escorted by the Fifteenth United States infantry and the National Guard of Utah and followed by the Naval Veterans, the Ex-Union Prisoners of War, the Army Nurses in carriages, the Sons of Veterans and the women's organizations allied to the Grand Army, marched to-day in the parade that was the culminating feature of the forty-third national encampment. Many military bands and fife and drum corps made the music to which the old warriors kept step. The procession formed at Eagle Gate, which is one of Salt Lake City's many picturesque features.

Commander-in-Chief Nevius.

At the word of command the parade marched west on Main street and turned south down that thoroughfare, proceeding seven blocks between solid walls of cheering men, women and children. As the grizzled veterans passed the enthusiasm was tremendous and many a spectator wept unashamed as he realized that this was undoubtedly the last grand review for scores of the feeble heroes who trudged along with eyes on the flag for which they had given some of the best years of their lives.

When Seventh South street was reached the paraders themselves broke out in mighty cheering, for there they turned in front of the most beautiful feature of the day, the "Living Flag." On an immense stand were 2,600 children dressed in the national colors and so arranged that they made a perfect representation of a waving American flag.

The little ones had been drilled for many weeks, and while the old soldiers passed they sang patriotic airs.

Reviewed by Notables.

Countermarching, the parade now moved north on Main street back to South Temple street. Here, just to the left of the Brigham Young pioneer monument and close to Temple square, the reviewing stand had been erected. It was occupied by Commander-in-Chief Henry M. Nevius, Gov. William Spry of Utah, the chief executives of other states and a large number of other officials and distinguished guests. The parading bodies all passed in review, saluting those in the stand, and at once disbanded. All the bands as they arrived here were massed close to the stand and as the culmination of the parade, 4,000 school children marched by, the united bands playing and the children singing "Onward, Christian Soldiers."

Salt Lake City has thrown open her arms to the old soldiers, and never has the Grand Army been more enthusiastically received or more generously entertained than at this encampment.

The old soldiers have been very carefully looked after by the local committee on public comfort and private accommodations, and at the 24 information bureaus at the various railway stations and convenient places about the city. During the entire time of the encampment these committees have had the services of 300 high school cadets, whose duties have been to render every possible assistance to the visitors.

Henry M. Nevius, the commander-in-chief, arrived here Saturday with his staff and inspected the arrangements. On Sunday the city's guests began arriving by the thousand, and on Monday they came in so fast that the committee had to work like sailors to get them all housed in such a manner as to avoid congestion in any part of the city.

Big "Greetings" Meeting.

Monday evening came the first public event on the program—a great camp-fire in the assembly hall in the Temple grounds. All that night and throughout Tuesday the stream of arrivals continued, but by Tuesday evening practically all the visitors had been received and distributed. That night the greatest function of the encampment took place. This was the "Greetings" meeting in the Mormon Tabernacle. The immense building easily seats 10,000 persons, and it was filled to its capacity.

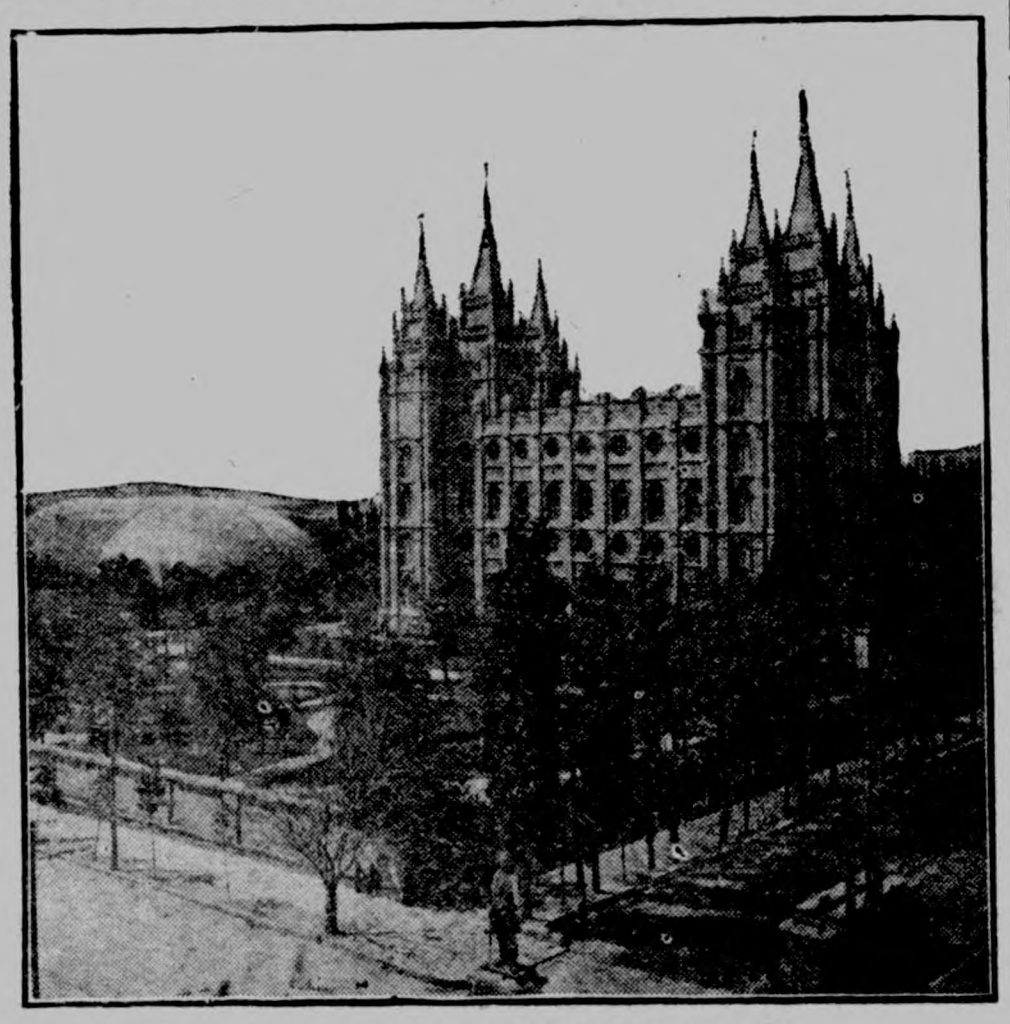
Col. Frank M. Starrett, the executive director of the encampment, called the vast assemblage to order and introduced William H. King of Salt Lake City, who acted as temporary chairman. He made a brief address and was followed by Gov William Spry of Utah, Mayor John S. Bradford of Salt Lake City, and L. H. Smythe, commander of the department of Utah, all of whom told in eloquent words how proud they were to welcome to the state and city the Grand Army and their friends.

Mr. King then introduced Commander-in-Chief Nevius, who was received with wild cheering and the waving of hats and handkerchiefs. As soon as the tumult had subsided, Commander Nevius delivered a graceful response to the welcoming speches and took the chair.

Then came the turn of the allied organizations and greetings to the veterans were uttered by President Genevieve Hagar Longfield Lane of the Ladies of the G. A. R., President Mary E. Gilman of the Woman's Relief Corps, President Clara E. Hoover of the Daughters of Veterans, Commander-in-Chief Edgar Allen of the Sons of Veterans, and President Rebecca Smith of the Army Nurses. The speechmaking was varied by the playing of patriotic airs by a band.

The exercises were brought to a close by the presentation of a handsome testimonial to Charles G. Burton, past commander-in-chief of the Grand Army.

The last three days of the encampment are, as usual, given up mainly to business sessions of the various organizations and election of officers.



The Temple and Tabernacle.

FOR PERFECT JELLY

FLAVOR, TRANSPARENCY AND CONSISTENCY THE CHIEF POINTS.

Expert Tells How Best Results May Be Achieved and Explains Some of the Reasons Why Product Is a Failure.

Now that the jelly-making season is here it reminds us that so many people who are recognized cooks have so poor an idea of good jelly. What is perfect jelly as we know it to-day? Some of us must learn to change our ideas in that regard. As judge of foods at the state fair and county institutes where women are supposed to bring their best we infer that jelly making is comparatively an undiscovered art. Flavor, transparency and consistency are the points to be considered. Hundreds of women have their jellies (good to them) passed by and cannot understand the reason. One great fault is that the judging is often done by incompetent people; an otherwise fine cook may be an extremely poor judge of jelly, and the standard of good jelly is what the judge has made it from year to year. Secure a judge who has had training and is recognized as authority, then follow her advice and the prize may be yours next year. If every person who enters an exhibit understands the score card and is not satisfied until she understands the standard of good jelly and knows why she did or did not receive the blue or red ribbon jelly making in that community will be improved. So much has been said of exhibits, as they are a great incentive in the rivalry which they create.

Now, then, how are we to tell perfect jelly when we see it? First, it must be well flavored, clear and of just the consistency to stand and keep the form of the mold when turned out. A quivering mass of transparent color.

A few reasons why some people cannot have good jelly. The fruit may be over-ripe, or picked after heavy rains, it may be cooked too long, or squeezed through the jelly bag or not well skimmed while cooking.

Jelly that seems very thin may, by standing in the sunlight for a day or two, be well thickened. When cold, pour over melted paraffin to preserve from germs and mold.

Some fruits are hard to jelly, as they lack the pectin, which is the gelatine of the fruit. To such fruits as strawberries and peaches, which lack this principle, currant and apple will supply the lack.

NELLIE MAXWELL.

The Home.

Do not put milk into cut-glass goblets. Milk clouds glass so that its original brilliancy cannot be restored.

A small broom made of stiff wire is convenient for use in cleaning skillets. Such a brush is easily kept clean.

When mosquitoes get into the house heat a shovel, pour a teaspoonful of carbolic acid on it and burn It kills or drives them out.

To kill fleas on a pet dog, if the animal is small, place him in a small bathtub of water and comb the hair with a fine comb. Water drowns these pests.

Butter Dumplings.

Take half a pound of butter and stir until it is all nice and soft; then take four well beaten eggs and mix it all well; a little salt; then thicken it with flour; be sure and make it good and stiff; strain your soup; have it boiling good; then drop into it by the spoonful. Boil 15 to 20 minutes. Can use boiling water, but then there is no waste by dropping them in the soup. This is a very rich dish.

Tomatoes Stuffed with Corn.

Hollow out a number of firm tomatoes which have been carefully peeled. Cut from the cobs enough boiled corn to fill the tomatoes, first mixing the corn with mayonaise dressing. Let the stuffed tomatoes stay on ice until ready to be served.

Nutmeg Shake.

Almost fill the shaker with milk, adding a teaspoonful of sugar, one egg and a little crushed ice. Then shake vigorously, pour into a tall glass and add a little grated nutmeg.

Italian Potatoes.

Cut six cold boiled potatoes into dice. Make a thick cream sauce by melting in a sauce-pan a tablespoonful of flour and one of butter, and stirring in half a pint of milk. When the sauce is ready put a layer of potatoes in a buttered baking dish. Then a layer of sauce, next a layer of cheese cut in dice and so on until the dish is full. Bake in a moderate oven until the potatoes are brown on top.

Many bristle brushes, if merely dusty, can be cleaned in cornmeal.

AN EASY WAY.

How to Cure Kidney Troubles Easily and Quickly.

It is needless to suffer the tortures of an aching back, the misery of backaches, rheumatic pains, urinary disorders, or risk the danger of diabetes or Bright's disease. The cure is easy. Treat the cause—the kidneys—with Doan's Kidney Pills. H. Mayne, Market St., Paris, Tenn., says: "Weak kidneys made my back stiff and lame. The urine was cloudy and irregular and I had to get up many times at night. I lost energy, became weak and could not work. Doan's Kidney Pills removed all the trouble and restored my health and strength."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Like an Earthquake.

Former High Sheriff Chesterfield C. Middlebrooks, whose bungalow at Highland lake stands partly over the lake on stone and cement foundations, was awakened at four o'clock the other morning by loud noises which he says shook his bungalow like an earth tremor.

He says that after the household had been shaken out of a sound sleep, he, not waiting to dress, went outside to ascertain the cause of the noise. He found, he says, that a monster frog had its bed directly under the bungalow. The frog weighed fully six pounds, he says, and every time it croaked the bungalow cracked and shook.

Mr. Middlebrooks bought an anchor, strong rope and enough red flannel to bait 100 hooks, and will try to save his property by capturing the bullfrog.—Winsted (Conn.) dispatch to New York World.

Valuable Knowledge Spreading.

Every day sees hundreds of new recruits in the war against tuberculosis, and every day brings new methods for the fighting of the plague. The National association predicts that if the present degree of interest is maintained, within five years everybody in the United States will have been informed on the way to prevent and cure tuberculosis, and concerning the infectious nature of the disease. Two things in particular are needed, and for these the National association is working in every way. They are, a more complete registration of tuberculosis cases, and the further isolation of dangerous advanced cases of consumption.

Tea Possibilities.

"I have just had an invitation to an electrical tea to be given by a woman doctor," said the bachelor girl. "I'm looking forward to it and wondering what is going to happen to us—whether she will give us a little battery and let us entertain ourselves, make the tea on an electric stove, or just electrocute the bunch of us."

What Did He Mean?

The Major—I saved that rose you gave me last week, Miss Antique; for though it is withered it still reminds me of you!

Miss Antique—Sir!

ON FOOD

The Right Foundation of Health.

Proper food is the foundation of health. People can eat improper food for a time until there is a sudden collapse of the digestive organs, then all kinds of trouble follows.

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"Then a friend finally, after much argument, induced me to quit my former diet and try Grape-Nuts.

"Although I had but litttle faith I commenced to use it, and great was my surprise to find that I could eat it without the usual pain and distress in my stomach.

"So I kept on using Grape-Nuts and soon a marked improvement was shown, for my stomach was performing its regular work in a normal way without pain or distress.

"Very soon the yellow coating disappeared from my tongue, the dull, heavy feeling in my head disappeared, and my mind felt light and clear; the languid, tired feeling left, and altogether I felt as if I had been rebuilt. Strength and weight came back rapidly and I went back to my work with renewed ambition.

"To-day I am a new woman in mind as well as body, and I owe it all to this natural food, Grape-Nuts." "There's a Reason."

Look in pkgs. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

AS STRAIGHT MEN SEE H

The Dead-Beat Is Probably the Despised Creature That Walk the Earth.

No man is wholly free from sin, so many lesser evils are tolerated a man should hesitate long before coming a dead-beat. Criminals ar spised and abhorred, but to the beat all that is coming, as well a contempt of his fellow men. The something at once so mean and s tle in taking advantage of the c dence which comes with friend that the hand of every man is t against a dead-beat as soon a reputation is well established. dead-beat may fondly imagine h living easy and making money out work, and, of course, he take account of the confidence he vio and the hardships he inflicts on ers. But, that aside, he really h harder time than the man wh honest and fair. He is compell move a good deal, and peace of he knows not. Like other typ crooks, he doesn't prosper, and finish is more unpleasant than th ginning.—Atchison Globe.

CHILD HAD SIXTY BOI

And Suffered Annually with a Scald-Like Humor on Her He

Troubles Cured by Cuticura.

"When my little Vivian was six months old her head broke o boils. She had about sixty in all I used Cuticura Soap and Cu Ointment which cured her ent Some time later a humor broke o hind her ears and spread up o her head until it was nearly half ered. The humor looked like a very red with a sticky, clear fluid ing from it. This occurred spring. I always used Cuticura and Ointment which never fail heal it up. The last time it out it became so bad that I wa couraged. But I continued the Cuticura Soap, Ointment and vent until she was well and has been troubled in the last two y Mrs. M. A. Schwerin, 674 Spring Ave., Detroit, Mich., Feb. 24, 1 Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props.

Evening Things Up.

There is much rivalry bet Judges Rosalsky and O'Sullivan general sessions in New York an week it looked as if O'Sullivan the laugh on his rival for all tim had a man before him whose was Rosalsky, but who swore th was an Irishman. But Friday t were evened up when a man n Flynn was brought before Judg salsky and swore that he was a

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A Trying Time.

Judge — Why did you strike man?

Prisoner — What would you judge, if you kept a grocery and a man came in and asked could take a moving picture of cheese?—Harper's Weekly.

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Reprehensible to Allow It.

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Wife (awaking from a doze)- don't they enforce the speed better?

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"She keeps the poodle."

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If thy friend is honey do n him up altogether.

Nothing so good as the new BLUE. Delights the laundress. Imitations.

A malicious truth may do harm than an innocent lie.

...S BETTER RAILROADS."

... Writer Pays Tribute to ...oad Magnate as Builder-Up of the Country.

...dward H. Harriman is on a ... Europe. Ordinarily there ...eed be nothing added to this ...ement beyond an exhortation ...eror William to chain dow... his ...s and to other monarchs to ...ir crowns and other valuables ...afe at night. But Mr. Harri... going off on a pleasure trip, many mean things have been ...out him that it will not hurt change the tune a moment ...e is out of the country and ...le to take any advantage of ...e from the cold attitude of se... that is usually used in men... the name of Harriman.

...l the great railroad men de... in this generation, E. H. Har... is easily the biggest and the ...ys a writer in the Hutchinson Daily News. The head of a ... company, under the rules of ...me, must work for his stock... whether it is for the advan... politicians, shippers or con... It is his job to do the best for the interests entrusted to ...re. Harriman is not only a ...er, but he is a builder and an ...or. Lucky is the town, city ...mmunity that has a Harriman He insists on a good roadbed, ...rack, safe track and the con...ce and comfort of the traveler ...e shipper. The Harriman roads ...ted as the best in the coun... When Harriman gets hold of a ...se or played-out track and ...f way he proceeds to put it in ...lass condition. He does not ...he rates of fares, although he ...ss charges "a plenty," but he that enough of the funds go ...eal improvements to make a ...d. And that is where he stands of a good many others and why ...anism is not such a bad thing ...e people have been led to think. ...kes better railroads, and there ...e need for improvement that ...han there is in some others are being discussed. So far can see, he believes in giving interest along his road a fair

...s a public benefactor from that ...oint. He uses his power fairly. a great man, and as good or than the ordinary citizen who ...upon him as the personification ...e money power, seeking whom ...devour. He is a strong man financial world, but that should ...e against him, when the finan... ...orld is the object which most want to reach. He is a good ...can and he spends his money ...erican railroads, not on foreign race horses, old editions or bad habits. If he is not per... ...and we don't think he is—he is ...ception to the rule and is worthy praise of his fellow citizens for ...od he does and has done.

...Laughter a Series of Barks.

...ghing is barking, say the sci... ...s. The neck and head are ...n back while a series of short are emitted from the throat. ...ver musical the barks may be, ...are barks. The laugh begins ...a sudden and violent contraction ...e muscles of the chest and ab... ...n. But instead of opening to let ...r pass out of the lungs, the vocal approach each other and hold it But they are not strong enough ...ercise such opposition for more ...an instant, and the air, which is ... pressure, promptly escapes. As ...s so it makes the vocal cords vi... producing the bark. ...s obstruction and liberation of ...r expelled from the lungs repeats again and again at intervals of a ...er of a second. There are thus ...hearty laugh four barks a second, ...f continued, they go on at that ...as long as the air reserve in the holds out. The empty lungs then fill themselves, and this in... ...l is marked by a quick gasp for ...h, after which the barks are re... ...d. The barks occur in series gasps for breath at intervals. ...en laughter is violent, the entire participates. The upper part of ...trunk bends and straightens itself ...nately or sways to right and left. feet stamp on the floor, while the ...s are pressed upon the loins to ...erate the painful spasm.

Interviewing the Professor.

...o you don't think Mars would re... ...even if we did send signals?" ...am aimost convinced that there ...d be no response," answered Prof. ...ktum, adjusting his glasses. ...hen you don't believe that Mars ...habited?" ...n the contrary, I think it ex...ely probable that life similar to ...own exists on the sister planet." ...ut you don't give those people ...lt for intelligence equal to ours?" ...es. I am inclined to credit them even greater intelligence than display. There are many indica... ...s that they have a civilization old... ...han ours, in which case they ...ld have too much sense to fool ...y their time on any such imprac... proposition."

STATE HAS MONEY

Treasury Holds $200,000 More than Same Time Year Ago

ALL FUNDS IN GOOD SHAPE

Increased Levy, Increased Valuation of Property, and Larger Receipts from Inheritance Taxes Main Causes for Improvement.

Des Moines, Aug. 7.—The state of Iowa is worth nearly $200,000 more than it was this time last year. On Aug. 4, 1908, the general revenue on hand amounted to $345,240, while at the same time this year it was $531,912.

The increased levy, increased valuation of property and larger receipts from collateral inheritance taxes are the principal causes for the improvement in the state's financial condition, according to Treasurer Morrow.

Deputy Willis said that it is not likely that the state's resources will reach such a low ebb for years as they did during the fall of 1907. The hard times of that year caused everybody who had money coming from the state to draw it, and as a result the last quarter of 1907 shows the largest disbursements of any similar period in the history of the state. A total of $1,093,000 was paid out during these three months. During the last quarter of 1908 the disbursements reached $980,000 and in 1906 they amounted to $982,000.

Veteran Mail Man Expects to Quit.

"Jack" Heffelfinger, veteran postmaster in the capitol building, threatens to resign because the law passed by the last general assembly makes the duties of the office too arduous for an old soldier. Friends of Heffelfinger state that he will tender his resignation to the executive council within a few days. It has been practically decided that Owen Byrne, who is acting postmaster, will succeed Heffelfinger. The last legislature passed a law making one man responsible for the carrying of the mail to and from the state house and for its delivery to the offices in the building. Under the old law two men had done this work. The solons, however, raised the salary of the postmaster from $1,000 to $1,400. Heffelfinger has been dissatisfied for several weeks with the arrangement and has finally decided to return to his home in Guthrie Center. He is a candidate for a deputy fish commissionership.

Admen Hold Banquet.

The Des Moines Admen's club held a banquet supper at Haines Park, near Altoona. This was the first of a series of several trips planned by the club and was a success in every way. Delegates to the national convention to be held at Louisville, August 25, 26 and 27, were elected as follows: George W. Todd, Paul B. Lessing, A. M. Dahl and J. B. Runyan.

Dies as Result of a Fall.

Breaking her right hip in a fall two weeks ago, Mrs. Mary J. Kempton died at Mercy hospital. She was 81 years of age and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. James Webb of Des Moines, and three sons, H. W. Kempton of Des Moines, E. G. Kempton of Topeka, Kans., and A. S. Kempton of Seattle, Wash.

Nizert Is After His Parole Now.

Earl Nizert, the negro sent to the penitentiary for a criminal assault upon Miss Lizzie Agea, has applied for a parole. Sheriff Ness received a letter from the parole board asking about Nizert. Bill Gifford, sent down for larceny, is also after his release, and the parole board has asked Sheriff Ness about Gifford also.

Miller is Made Trustee.

Homer A. Miller was elected a trustee of the Northwestern Life Insurance company of Milwaukee. Other trustees elected were Edward B. Butler of Chicago and Murray Careton of St. Louis. George C. Markham was re-elected president, J. W. Skinner vice president and A. S. Hathaway secretary.

Van Duyn Is Commended.

In a letter received by State Labor Commissioner E. W. Van Duyn, he is warmly commended for his outspoken defense of the Iowa child labor law by Owen R. Lovejoy of New York, general secretary of the National Child Labor committee, and one of the leading workers for child labor reform.

Y. M. C. A. Quarters Enlarged.

Hereafter the Y. M. C. A. will use the whole association building instead of only the three lower floors. This will be an addition of two floors.

Missed One Drill in Six Years.

Captain Charles Tillotson Jr., the new commanding officer of company F, Fifty-fifth regiment, Iowa National guard, will march away with his company to the annual tour of field duty of his regiment at Chariton with a remarkable record in the Iowa National guard. He has been enlisted man, non-commission and officer for six years, regular and special, parades and encampments, he has only missed one drill. No wonder he is a company commander. Captain Tillotson was born August 14, 1875, and enlisted in the guard November 4, 1903. He was made a corporal February 13, 1904; quarter-master sergeant January 1, 1905; first sergeant, April 15, 1905; first lieutenant, November 4, 1905, and captain, June 16, 1909. He succeeds Captain Amos Brandt, who has had command of the company for several years, but resigned

Blind Folks Picnic.

Although they could not see the green grass and trees, a number of the blind in Des Moines made merry at a picnic in Grand View park. This is an annual occasion of the blind organization in Des Moines. Reports of the national meeting at Columbus, Ohio, were given by Miss Delia Hoyt and Mrs. Fessenmyer. Other business matters were attended to among which was the decision to have an exhibition of their handiwork at the state fair.

Bleakly Lets In Fraternal Company.

Admission to write insurance in Iowa has been granted to the National Protective Legion of Waverly, N. Y., by the state insurance department. This is the first fraternal order of the lodge system admitted to this state since the passage of a law two years ago. This prevented foreign companies from writing insurance unless they observed the National Fraternal congress table. The New York company observes this table.

Press Club Benefit.

The Press club of Des Moines has secured Ingersoll park for Monday night, August 23, when a benefit program will be given in connection with the regular vaudeville program. It will be fair week and the Press club expects good receipts from the theatre that night. The proceeds will be used to buy additional furniture for the club, which will be better furnished than any other club of its kind west of Chicago.

Ran Half Mile to Get Train.

That the morning Northwestern train had not stopped at Missouri Valley for a week was the allegation contained in a complaint filed before the state railroad commission by T. V. Collins. In his letter Mr. Collins described running a half mile to a junction near Missouri Valley where he succeeded in catching the train as it slowed down for orders from the operator.

Will Review the Fifty-fifth.

Governor B. F. Carroll and his staff will review the Fifty-fifth regiment of the Iowa National guard at Chariton on August 12. This will be the second appearance of the chief executive as commander in chief of the state's militia. A few days ago he and his staff made their first appearance at a review of the Fifty-third regiment held at Independence.

Railroads Will Appeal.

Following a conference in Chicago of representatives of the various railroads between Des Moines and Chicago, the railroads will appeal from the recent ruling of the interstate commerce commission lowering freight rates from the Mississippi river to this city. While the Rock Island is the only road directely effected all of them intend to put up a fight.

Solons Will Visit Fair.

Both Iowa senators and many congressmen have already assured Secretary J. C. Simpson that they will attend the state day exercises on Sept. 1 at the Iowa state fair and take part in the informal reception in honor of the distinguished public servants of the state to be held in the spacious corridor of the new administration building.

Would Locate Mother.

Chief of Police Miller received a letter from Mrs. N. E. Harper of Woolsey, S. D., desiring information of the whereabouts of the mother of Robert Stewart, a young man 27 years of age, killed there recently. He had been residing there about two years. She is believed to be in Des Moines.

Resume Work on Drake Girl's Gym.

Work on the girls' gymnasium has been resumed at Drake. New lights are being installed, steel ceilings will be put in place and the locker rooms improved. The money for the improvement was donated at commencement time by Miss Jennie Robinson a student some years ago.

Praises American Woman.

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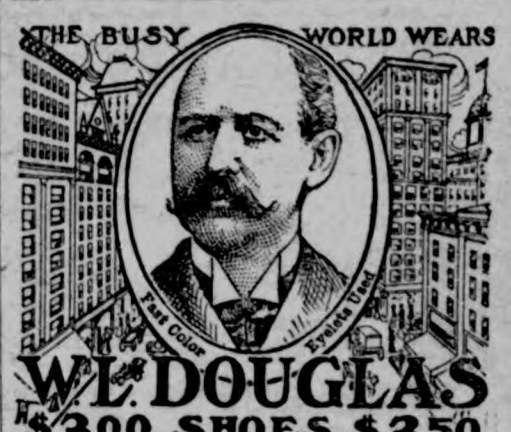

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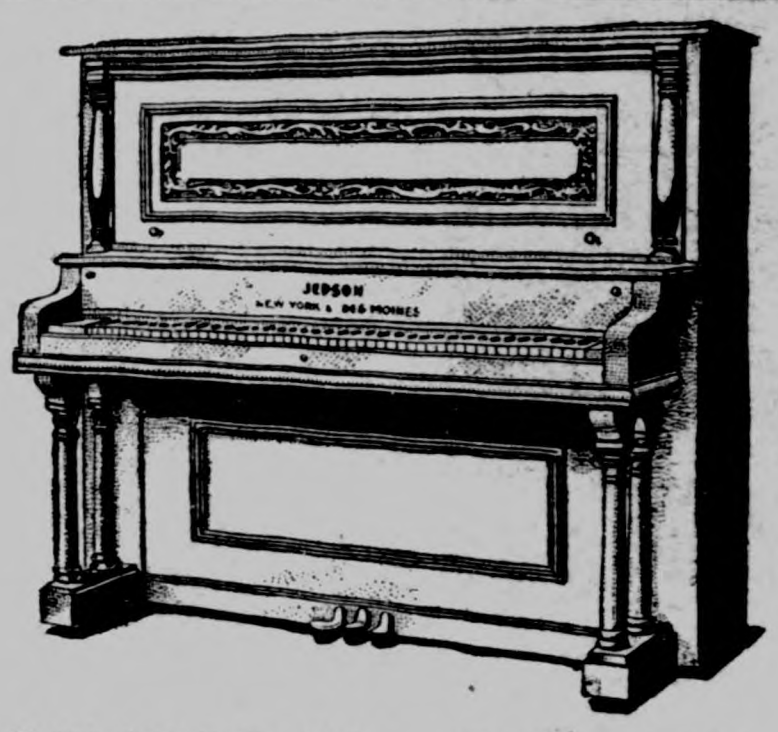

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MESERVEY

From the Messenger:

H. K. Pals has begun the construction of a cement walk around his premises.

Miss Alma Willer has severed her connection with Niagara hotel and is now staying at home. Miss Schaefer of Klemme succeeds Miss Willer in the hotel.

Frank Nissen experienced a runaway with a binder Tuesday that was a narrow escape from a serious affair. The machine was broken but the horses and Frank came out of the excitement unharmed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lemke experienced a very exciting runaway at their home just north west from town Tuesday. Mr. Lemke had a team of colts hitched to a wagon and one extra horse traveling beside the team. He and Mrs. Lemke were driving from the yard when he left the wagon to open a gate. The team being somewhat spirited he got back into the wagon to do the driving, when they became unmanageable, throwing them both to the ground, Mrs. Lemke receiving very painful injuries. Dr. Agler was called and an examination showed no bones broken. It was a severe shaking and she will be confined to her bed for several days. Mr. Lemke escaped injury.

GOODELL

From the Globe:

E P. Hubbard was a business visitor at Klemme on Tuesday.

F. G. Church is attending a camp meeting at Clinton, Iowa, this week.

John McCorkle and wife were visitors at the J. D. Bachman home last Sunday.

Matt Smith lost a horse valued at about $300 on Monday—caused from eating clover.

Wm Langlitz has quit his dray business and is now working in the elevator for Wm. Beiers.

Miss Francis Parker returned Monday from Minnesota, and will visit relatives here for a few weeks.

The "Kid" base ball nines of Belmond and Goodell crossed bats here last Saturday—score 21 to 15 in favor of the Goodell boys.

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mething New—The latest dies' Belts and Collars just ved at Mrs. John Josten's.

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s. Shafer and daughter returned last Friday ev- from a visit with the fam- Dr. Spooner at LuVerne,

e ladies of the English M. urch will serve ice cream cake on the lawn of Mrs. Yahnke next Saturday g, August 14. All are ed.

ward Africa, at one time a ositor on the Times and known in Klemme and ock County generally, is editor of the Herald at ea. South Dakota, and has tly been appointed post- er of that hustling little Howard is an old-time d of the writer and we are d glad to hear that he is well and making good.

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On last Monday afternoon, at Garner, Iowa, occurred the marriage of Ralph Blank to Alma M. Poskae, Rev. Loemker officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Blank came on down to Klemme that same evening and were greeted at the Tom Blank home by a large and noisy charivari party, who, after playing a few tunes on a lot of old tin pans and being treated by the groom, departed for their homes wishing the happy couple all the good things of life.

The contracting parties are well known in Klemme, the groom having grown to manhood here and now holding a good position with Gruetzmacher Bros. He is an industrious young man of good habits. The bride is a Minneapolis young lady and has been employed as trimmer in Mrs. Josten's millinery store the past season. She has made a host of friends during her residence here. This young couple expect to go to housekeeping in the Harr house soon. The Times extends congratulations and hopes their married life may ever be happy.

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Mrs. A. C. Flint and children and Mrs. W. E. Sage and son were Garner visitors between trains Tuesday.

Threshers Attention — W. R. Bloom has his threshing coal in, several varieties of the best qualities. Call and get prices. 51

Note the change in the Rock Island time card. The southbound passenger now leaves at 7:34 p. m and the south bound freight at 2:35 p. m. The way freight going north has changed from 9:35 to 9:55 a. m.

Misses Nellie, Esther and Dora Lau left last Saturday for Chicago for a week's visit with a cousin. From there they will go to South Haven, Michigan, to visit for a couple of weeks with their uncle, Henry Rausch. During their absence Martha Lau and Lydia Becker are clerking in Waterman's store.

We have before mentioned in these columns the beautiful cemetery which we have here in Klemme, thanks to the efforts of the township trustees and the sexton, Wm. Fuller. There is one thing, however, which we think would be a good thing in this connection—that is, a Cemetery Association to work in conjunction with the trustees to keep the cemetery in good shape the year round and to provide for the cutting of the grass in the cemetery and on the lots which are owned by private parties. Some of these lots are kept up in fine shape while others are allowed to grow to weeds. The cost would not be great to keep the cemetery looking nice all the time, and we believe an organization of some kind to help the trustees would be a good thing. Our town should take a pride in the cemetery where rest many loved ones. Other towns have these associations and they result in much good. Why can't Klemme have a Cemetery Association?

Read the news on the last page this week.

Born, this morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Ab Maitland, a son.

John Baumgartner Sr. was here from Garner Tuesday.

Poultry wanted at the highest market price. H. Lau & Son. 2

Rev Baker is spending the week with his parents at Britt.

Mrs. Kenefick of Belmond visited here Tuesday at the Fred Haupt home.

R. M. Day is at Salt Lake City attending the National G. A. R. Encampment.

M. I. Parker is enjoying a visit from his parents and a sister from Waterville, Kansas.

Clarence Kluckhohn, George Lau and John Henschen were Garner visitors Friday.

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We had a nice rain Monday and Tuesday which did much good to gardens and pastures.

Albert Yahnke came down from Buffalo Center Tuesday for a short visit, returning home yesterday.

G. A. Pabst & Co., Queal & Co. and Gruetzmacher Bros. all have new ads this week for your consideration.

It is reported that "Wooly" had a nightmare the other night and thought he heard horses trotting down the street.

Dr. Geo. Zinn and Charley Yahnke accompanied Henry Yahnke to Mason City Tuesday to cousult a specialist in regard to Henry's recent injury.

Otto Lemke's little eighteen-months-old boy got hold of some kerosene in some way Monday and drank a quantity of it. He was a very sick boy for a few days but is now on the mend.

The customary fall picnic or carnival at Kanawha will be held this year on Tuesday, Aug. 17th. Some base ball teams, evenly matched, will be engaged; no admittance charge to games. Com. 2w

Hans Nissen and family, of Lehigh, Iowa, are visiting relatives here. We are told that Hans has purchased the residence property occupied by his mother and he is building a new cement sidewalk. He will paint the house and otherwise improve the property.

The writer was a Garner business visitor last Friday, and while there took in the ball game between Garner and the Oklahoma Indians. The Injuns were completely outclassed, Garner winning, 10 to 0. Garner has got a fast bunch together. They were defeated Thursday by Charles City, 5 to 2.

Britt will hold a base ball tournament on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 25, 26 and 27. On Wednesday forenoon Garner and Charles City will play and in the afternoon Britt and Clear Lake. On Thursday forenoon the winners in the first day's games will play for a purse of $150, and in the afternoon the losers for a purse of $150. On Friday one game will be played between Humboldt and the winner in the Thursday forenoon game for a purse of $150.

AFTER THE CHICKEN THIEVES

Farmers Are Going to Try to Protect Their Poultry Flocks.—Many Losses Reported

On account of the heavy losses of chickens throughout this territory by theft, it might be interesting to know who the parties are who have lost a goodly share of their flocks. About three weeks ago E. A. Cline, of Goodell, notified Ell. Bros. that he had lost 75 head of full-blood Leghorns. Shortly after this Ed Schaefer announced the loss of about 50 head of Plymouth Rock spring chickens. Tuesday, Aug. 10, Mr. Cobbs came to town and announced that he had lost about 100 hens and about 150 spring chickens. Mr. Cobbs has notified all the poultry buyers in surrounding towns of his loss and requested them to take notice of the kind of poultry they buy and if they get any of his kind to hold them for identification. Will Brandt has also been a heavy loser, losing almost his entire flock. There are also numerous other thefts reported and there is strong talk now among the farmers of organizing a society for the prevention of chicken stealing, and also the apprehension of the thieves; to arrest, convict and land them in the penitentiary where they will have ample time to reflect over their misdeeds. The state authorities have been notified and there is liable to be something doing when it is least expected. A purse of $200 has been suggested as being ample funds wherewith to hire expert ferrets to track down these midnight marauders,

German M. E. Church Items

The Standard Bearers elected officers last week.

T. Blank has been troubled with sore eyes of late,

A Mrs. Gauger, of Rockford, Ia., was a Germantown visitor.

Mrs. Josten leaves this week to prepare for her fall millinery trade.

The Klemme missionary society will meet with Mrs. Wessel today.

A missionary program will be given in our Klemme church Sunday evening.

Ella Schlei visited at Fenton over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Weisbrod.

Chas. Gruetzmacher spent Sunday and part of Monday with his sick mother.

Aug. Wenz made Klemme a short call last week, returning to Charles City where he is at

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

PERSONAL.

Judge Joseph R. Clarkson of Kenosha, Wis., who disappeared July 14, was found working in a pearl button factory in Sabula, Ia.

President Taft arrived at Beverly, Minn., where the "summer White House" is to be located until September 15, when he starts on a trip of 13,000 miles through the country.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, her sister, Miss Carrow, and her daughter, Miss Ethel, and son, Archie, are now visiting in Paris.

It is believed that Whitelaw Reid will remain as ambassador to Great Britain for a year at least.

Lord Kitchener has been appointed inspector general of the English Mediterranean forces with rank of field marshal.

The International Typographical union met in annual convention at St. Joseph, Mo., with President John M. Lynch in the chair.

Alton B. Parker, candidate for the presidency in 1904, said the new tariff law does not keep the pledges of the Republican party.

Capt. Rowland V. Webster, who was appointed by the Royal Geographical society to lead an expedition in search of the south pole, left Los Angeles, Cal., for New York, whence he will embark for London to prepare for the antarctic trip, to begin next August.

Dr. Calos F. MacDonald, a noted alienist, testified that Harry Thaw is insane and a dangerous man to be at large.

James A. Flaherty of Philadelphia was elected supreme knight of the Knights of Columbia at Mobile, Ala. M. H. Carmody of Grand Rapids, Mich., was elected deputy supreme knight.

Mark Twain has been ordered by his doctor to cut down his smoking to four smokes a day. He is suffering from "tobacco heart."

Charles H. Moyer was unanimously re-elected president of the Western Federation of Miners at Denver.

Emperor William has returned to Swinmunde, Germany, on the imperial yacht Hohenzollern from his regular summer cruise in northern waters.

H. Clay Pierce, an oil magnate of St. Louis, and Mrs. Virginia Prickett Burrows of Edwardsville, Ill., were married in London.

William Dean Howells, the author, is reported ill at his summer home at Eliot, Me. He will sail for Carlsbad next week with his daughter.

Caleb Powers, recently pardoned after a long term in a Kentucky prison for alleged complicity in the murder of Gov. Goebel, is said to be a candidate for congress in the Eleventh Kentucky district. It is also said he will soon wed Miss Eleanor Robson of York, Pa.

GENERAL NEWS.

"I'm sure that I'll be free," said Harry Thaw as his hearing to test his sanity came to a close before Justice Mills.

Thirty thousand men at Barcelona have prepared to carry on a guerrilla warfare against Spain and use bombs as weapons, unless certain prisoners are released.

The officials of the Pressed Steel Car Company at McKees Rocks, Pa., will ignore the demands of the 3,500 strikers and further trouble is feared there.

A St. Bernard dog saved the lives of a woman and three children when the husband and father in committing suicide with gas filled their house in New York with the deadly fumes.

Justice Samuel Doty and Constable Oscar Welty of Kokomo, Ind., had a desperate fight, the justice using his official seal with which to batter the officer's head while Welty pounded the court's cranium with a revolver.

Circuit Judge John T. Debolt of Honolulu received a letter threatening him with death if the Japanese on trial for rioting in connection with the plantation strike are convicted.

Cather Ahern of Laurel Hill, L. I., awoke to find a dream that her father had killed her mother with an ax was true.

John Dugan, when chased by a posse after killing John Jagans, near Danville, Ill., committed suicide.

Several thousand Illinoisans celebrated Illinois day at the Alaska-Yukon exposition.

Frank Nicolai, assistant cashier of the City National bank, Auburn, Ind., is missing and the bank's books show a shortage of $5,000 in cash.

Following the finding of a four-month-old dead baby with its skull crushed, James Pullman and May Williams of Mount Carmel, Ill., were arrested. It is charged that the man jumped off a train with the infant after an attempt to have it adopted in East St. Louis.

Alaska is being inspected by Norwegian experts with a view to a settlement of Norwegians in that district.

Higher diamond prices are shown in figures from southwest Africa. Americans, being more prosperous, are said to be willing to pay the advance.

The Payne tariff bill was passed by the senate by a vote of 47 to 31, President Taft signed the measure and the extraordinary session of congress, which began March 15, was adjourned.

The great National Irrigation congress opened at Seattle, Wash., with about 4,000 accredited delegates present besides thousands of others who are interested in the reclamation of desert lands. Among those in attendance are men from England, Germany, France, the Latin republics, China and Japan.

Prominent churchmen and laymen from all parts of the country gathered in Pittsburg, Pa., where the American Federation of Catholic Societies began its yearly convention.

Street car employes of Chicago by a large majority voted to strike unless the companies grant their demands for higher wages.

One man was killed and 60 hurt in a collision of a Pennsylvania railroad train and a car on the East Chicago and Whiting electric line at One Hundred and Fourth street and Indianapolis avenue, Chicago.

Abram C. Eby, mayor of Burkeville, Va., was arrested on a charge of theatening to dynamite property of the Pennsylvania railroad unless paid $45,000.

A letter written by Stanford White to Mae McKenzie, an actress, was used by the defense in the effort to have Harry Thaw, slayer of the architect, released from the insane asylum.

Robert Pohl, the thief, and Edward Larken, one of a posse, were killed and four others wounded following a bold robbery in the State bank of White Bear, Minn.

The second appeal in the famous Snell will case was filed in the Illinois supreme court.

Joseph Hensler killed his wife with a razor and then ended his own life at Houghton, Mich.

John W. Cravens, a banker of Spring Lake, Ia., and his wife were killed when a trolley car struck their auto at Alexandria, Ind.

The steamships Umbria and Etruria of the Cunard line are for sale, because their engines are regarded as out of date and burn too much coal. The vessels were Atlantic record-breakers about twenty years ago, being the first ships to cut the ocean trip to about six days.

French and American capital will establish a $50,000,000 steel plant in the City of Mexico within 12 months.

An earthquake has been reported from Brest, France, and the vicinity of that city. A number of buildings were rocked by the quake, and the people thrown into a state of panic.

Three trunks shipped by members of the "Black Hand," who stole two children in St. Louis, were traced to Chicago, but the bodies of the victims were not in them as had been feared.

Several persons were hurt at Battle Creek, Mich., when a storm blew down a circus tent and caused a panic as the animals set up a roar.

King Gustave of Sweden summoned members of parliament to Stockholm when the country was threatened with civil war as a result of a strike involving 250,000 persons.

For the first time in 15 years a murderer was beheaded in public in Paris, a large crowd witnessing the fall of the knife.

Laws governing Sunday closing, which have been in effect in Connecticut since 1722, were repealed by the state legislature.

The Alabama house passed a resolution for election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.

The deposed shah of Persia has been offered a pension of $75,000 a year if he will reveal the hiding place of the crown jewels and leave the country.

The strike of Italian quarrymen at Marblehead, Wis., came to an end after the Italian consul at Milwaukee had addressed the men and urged them to return to work.

Vessels of the United States navy in all parts of the world observed the one hundred and nineteenth anniversary of the navy organization on August 4.

While searching for Will Hendrix, an escaped murderer under life sentence, James Russell and Joseph Boren, deputy sheriffs of Oklahoma City, shot and wounded each other in the darkness by mistake.

LIVE STOCK SHOW

Entries for State Fair Exceed All Past Figures.

TEST CAPACITY OF NEW BARNS

Percherons Lead in Horse Classes, the Total for All Being 828—Shorthorns Lead in Cattle Entries, Totaling 866.

Des Moines, Aug. 9.—Horse and cattle entries for the Iowa State fair surpass previous records. The figures given out by Secretary John C. Simpson showed a marked increase in comparison to last year.

The new cattle barn will make possible the accommodation of all the entries, though the capacity of the stables will be strained by the many live stock exhibits.

The entry list closed last night, but the entries mailed on Monday were accepted. The figures follow: Standard bred drivers and saddlers 135, Shetland ponies 77, other ponies 12, Morgans 30, French and German coach 10, hackneys 13, Clydesdale 44, shires 76, Percheron 275, Belgians 95, draft animals 42, mules, 19, total 828. Shorthorns 262, Hereford 201, Angus 81, Galloway 39, Polled Durhams 28, Red Polled 52, Holstein 45, Jerseys 56, Ayrshire 28, Guernseys 75, total 866.

Organizes Hospital Corps.

Iowa City.—Maj. C. S. Grant, surgeon, has announced the personnel of the field hospital detachment which he was instructed to organize by Adjutant General Logan. It includes the following: First class sergeant, M. F. Joynt, Emmetsburg; sergeants, C. F. Brooks, Pierson; J. U. Smith, Iowa City. Privates, Fred Moore, Harlan; Merle B. Call, Iowa City; Paul McManus, Iowa City; Charles M. Hazard, Iowa City; R. C. Sherman, Fort Dodge. The officers of this detachment were transferred from the regimental hospital detachment of which Major Grant is in charge. The privates were recruited. The regimental detachment was cut down from seventeen to twelve men by the adjutant general, so there will have to be no recruiting to fill up its ranks.

Four Hurt in Auto Wreck.

West Union.—While a skilled demonstrator from La Crosse was running a new automobile a small pin broke i nthe steering device and the machine ran into a steep bank on one of the principal streets of West Union and overturned. James Blunt, who had just bought the car, his wife Miss Maud Blunt, his daughter, and Clyde Blunt, his son, were all caught under the car. The young lady received a broken arm and an injured spine. All the others were badly injured except the son, who escaped uninjured. The demonstrator was also bruised and burned. The machine was running only eight or ten miles an hour when the accident occurred.

Finds a $3,000 Pearl.

Davenport.—"Unlucky Jim," a clam dredger, who bore that name because he had a wife and nine children, and had never made a good "find," discovered a pearl in a clam he opened near Lansing that has changed his luck and name. W. L. Gardner of Le Clair and I. E. Anthony of Camanche have bought the pearl for $3,000 cash said to be the largest price ever actually paid for a fresh-water pearl, although larger figures have been reported in the past. The pearl weighs 50 grains, is flesh-colored, of fine luster and without a speck, and an almost perfect sphere.

Fails in a Race with Death.

Ames.—The funeral of Mrs. John Born of Ames was held at the Cottage Grove church. Mrs. Born died on the train at Ogden, Ia. Mr. and Mrs. Born had been west seeking a more beneficial climate for Mrs. Born's health. Upon being unsuccessful the invalid requested that she be brought home. The journey was too great and she died before reaching Ames.

Nashua Man Finds Fine Pearl.

Nashua.—Cedar river has given up in the past few years some very valuable pearls, but one of the best finds yet made was by James Hamm. He picked up a beautiful white pearl which he immediately sold to G. T. Greeley of Chicago, who, with his family, is camping here, for $250.

Polk Farm Land Cut Million.

Des Moines.—Iowa's executive council sitting as a board of equalization raised the value of Polk county land 5 per cent thus increasing it $1,000,000. Later, a meeting was called in the state house and the action was rescinded by reducing the valuation that amount.

Half Corn Crop Is Morrow's Dope.

Des Moines.—"The corn crop will not exceed half a crop," said State Treasurer W. W. Morrow in speaking of the conditions in Union, Adair, Clark, Decatur, Taylor and Ringgold counties. "However, throughout the state I believe we will have a good average crop this year. The hay and the oats are fine down our way," continued Mr. Morrow, who has just returned from his home near Afton. "They are pretty well through the harvest, though at no time has there been enough farm hands. The prospects are unusually fine, taking everything into consideration, for in June we had 14 inches of rain, and in the first eight days of July the rainfall was 6 inches. It can easily be seen that the outlook is splendid, considering the amount of water which fell in those thirty-eight days."

Boat Capsizes—Three Drown.

Clarion, Ia.—In a triple drowning here Mrs. C. S. Bennett, Hazel Hudelson and Eva Porter lost their lives on Elm Lake.

A party of a dozen girls went to the lake to spend two or three days. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett chaperoned the company.

The party had crossed the lake in a gasoline launch and a row boat. They enjoyed the bathing and were returning when the row boat began to sink. The girls crowded on the launch, which went down with all on board. People across the lake heard their cries of distress and heroically rescued all but three. The bodies have been recovered and brought to this city.

Fix Iowa Day at Oklahoma Fair.

Des Moines.—October 8 has been set apart as Iowa Day at the Oklahoma state fair and between 7,000 and 10,000 former Iowans are expected to gather on the fair grounds that day. This information was received at the office of Governor Carroll along with the notice that the governor, former Governor Larrabee and Senators Dolliver and Cummins have been elected honorary members of the Oklahoma State fair association.

Cedar Falls Woman Hurt.

Cedar Falls.—Mrs. G. W. Clark sustained most painful injuries, from which it will take a long time to recover, through a fall down the stairs of her daughter's residence. She is 71 years of age and the shock to her system, as well as her suffering, adds to the complications of the accident. She suffered a deep gash in the head, a fractured wrist and shoulder, besides bruises and sprains in every part of her body.

Myriads of Sand Flies.

Muscatine.—The fiercest storm of sand flies in years occurred here. Countless billions of flies brought to life by the excessive heat were blown to the city from the islands near here. All street lights were extinguished by them and people were forced to remain off the downtown streets to escape from being pounced upon by the maddened insects.

$10,000 Iowa City Farm Fire.

Iowa City.—Fire destroyed $10,000 worth of outbuildings, machinery, hay and grain on the John Meade farm, two miles west of the city. The fire was due to spontaneous combustion in the hay barn. The buildings were of the finest in the county. The loss is fully covered by insurance. A draft stallion worth $1,000 was also burned.

Father David Ill at Dubuque.

Dubuque.—Father David, for the past forty years a member of the Trappist monks here, is seriously ill at Mercy hospital and it is feared death is imminent. Father David has been for many years business manager of the Trappist monastery and is the best known priest monk in the order.

Earlham Calls For Bids.

Earlham.—The town council opened bids on August 2 for the erection of the water works and electric lighting system for which the town voted $17,000. Work will be rushed to the limit with the intention to install the lighting plant at once and the water plant as soon thereafter as possible.

Waverly Gets Gas Works.

Waverly.—The city of Waverly voted on the question of granting to James J. Donelon the right to erect and maintain gas works in the city. There was a light vote, scarcely any opposition having developed. There were 365 votes cast of which 358 were for and only 7 against the proposition.

Wreck Victim Recovered.

Des Moines.—Arthur Dodge of Toledo, O., who was injured in the wreck of the Milwaukee flyer at Cambridge several days ago, was discharged from the Methodist hospital. John Lawrence, the mail clerk who was severely hurt, is progressing rapidly toward recovery.

TO GREET CUMMINS

Senator Will Be Welcomed Home by Thousands Tonight.

700 CARPENTERS TO MARCH

Committee Has 2,000 Flags for Distribution, and Big Red Automobile Will Be Covered With Roses and Carnations.

Des Moines, Aug. 9.—When Senator Cummins steps off the train at the Rock Island station this evening he will be greeted by a welcoming cheer from thousands of throats and a patriotic salue from a sea of 2,000 flags which will be distributed among the throng at the passenger depot before the senator's arrival.

One of the main features of the big demonstration will be the march of the union carpenters. Seven hundred strong, local union No. 106, of which Senator Cummins is a member in good standing, will march in military order, four abreast, immediately following the six automobiles bearing the members of the reception committee.

A. Friedlich, who has had charge of making arrangements with the business houses for decorations, has announced that the entire line of march of the parade, from the Rock Island depot up Fourth street to Walnut, along Walnut to Ninth and south on Ninth to the Lincoln school, where the speeches will be made, will be draped with flags from every window.

The committee in charge has been beset with inquiries from women asking if they will be allowed to march in the parade. While no special arrangements have been made along this line, the women will be given a place if a large delegation turns out.

Harvey Ingham will be chairman of the meeting and speeches will be made by A. L. Urick, Mayor Mathis, Geis Botsford, Lucius Wilson and L. A. Jester. It is announced that Senator Cummins will also make a brief address.

YOUNG GIRL KILLS HERSELF

Mother Tries to Commit Suicide, But Is Prevented—Harvey Aroused by the Deed.

Knoxville, Ia., Aug. 9.—Following a bitter quarrel between her father and mother at their home in Harvey, Helen Mattox, a 15-year-old girl, committed suicide in a highly spectacular manner. The girl locked herself in her bed room and arraying herself in a white gown she knelt down in front of a mirror and pulled the trigger of a rifle she had secured. The bullet penetrated her heart.

Her step-father, who is W. A. Montgomery, is accused of having abused his wife so that she left home and walked ten miles to this place. When she reached here she was apprised of her daughter's suicide and became a raving maniac, attempting to destroy herself with a razor. She was placed in the county jail.

There is much excitement in Harvey over the deed. Mrs. Montgomery was taken back to Harvey. She will probably be placed in a sanitarium.

PROBE CHARLES CITY TRAGEDY

Sister of Boyer Causes Arrest and Arraignment of Lafe Phillips.

Charles City, Ia., Aug. 9.—On information sworn out by Mrs. Perrington sister of Charles Boyer, supposed to have met with foul play, Lafayette Phillips was arrested and arraigned before Justice Bradley, charged with murder. County Attorney Lockwood appeared for the state and Attorney J. P. Lloyd for the defendant. Phillips has been boarding with the Boyers. Sunday, August 1, Boyer disappeared; no trace can be found of him. Mrs. Boyer and Phillips were preparing to leave and Boyer's sister caused the warrant to be issued. Boyer is an employe of the gasoline engine factory. Phillips is a retired engineer and is well known as having been the engineer that made test runs of speed on the Northwestern and also on the Burlington between Chicago and Council Bluffs.

Dolliver Reception Tuesday Evening.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—Senator Dolliver expects to reach Fort Dodge Tuesday noon. It is expected that the reception in his honor will be Tuesday evening. He departed at noon Saturday, but stopped over in Chicago, where his sister's child is very sick.

SYNOPSIS.

Carrington loved Kate Cavenaugh, daughter of Multi-Millionaire Henry Cavenaugh. The latter liked Carrington, but refused him as a son-in-law. Young Carrington, a lawyer, held evidence of criminal financial operations, of which Cavenaugh was guilty. It was Carrington's duty to prosecute the rich man, but he decided to lay the whole matter before Kate. He did so the next day. The young woman decided that to drop the case would be cowardly even though the accused was her father. Cavenaugh offered Carrington a position at $17,000 a year. He refused it. He hid his evidence in the Cavenaugh safe, after being introduced to the millionaire's father.

CHAPTER II.—Continued.

"We seldom use this," said the girl, reading the vague unspoken question in his eyes. "The jewel safe is upstairs in my room."

"It doesn't matter in the least," he replied, smiling, "so long as I may safely rid myself of these obnoxious papers. And if you do not mind, I'll leave them there till Monday morning. I've thought it all out, Kate. A man's only human, after all. I could never prosecute the case myself; I'd be thinking of you and the bread I have eaten. I'll turn the matter over to Challoner, and let him do as he thinks best. Of course, I shall be called as a witness when the case comes up in court, if it ever does."

She did not reply, but shut the door of the safe and rose from her knees.

The south side of the dining room was made up of long colonial windows that opened directly upon the lawn. They were more like doors than windows. She locked each one carefully and drew the curtain.

"Norah is probably growing impatient for us," she said.

With an indescribable impulse he suddenly drew her into his arms and kissed her. It might be the last he could ever claim.

"John!" she murmured, gently disengaging herself.

"I love you," he said, "and I could not help it. Everything looks so dark."

The clock in the hall chimed the quarter hour after 11. Cavenaugh was in his den. His desk was littered with sheets of paper, upon which were formidable columns of figures and dollar signs. He sat back in his chair and listened. He thought he heard a door or window close; he wasn't certain. It was probably one of the servants. He bit off the end of a fresh cigar and resumed his work. Let the young people play golf, if they wanted to, and dance and frivol away the precious hours; they would never know the joy of seeing one become two, two become four, and so on, till the adding grew into the ransoms of many kings. Ay, this was to live. Oh, the beautiful numerals! Brigade after brigade, corps after corps, they marched at a sign from him; an army greater than that of kings. To sit in a little room, as in a puppet booth, and juggle the policies of the nations! Yes, Kate should have a duke and Norah a prince; he would show them all some day. Recollecting Carrington, he frowned. Did the fellow know anything, that he felt the power to refuse an offer such as he had made at the dinner table? Bah! It would be like crushing some insect. He determined that this should be Carrington's last visit. His pen moved once more, and presently he became lost in his dreams of calculation.

But Cavenaugh's ears had not deceived him, however, for he had heard the sound of a closing window. A window had been closed, but none of the servants had been at hand.

At precisely 11 a man came swiftly but cautiously across the lawn. When he reached the long windows of the dining room he paused, but not irresolutely. There was a sharp rasping sound, followed by the uncertain glare that makes the light of a dark-lantern separate and individual, and a window swung noiselessly inward. The room was in total darkness. The man wore a short mask, a soft felt hat well down over his eyes. He cupped his hand to his ear and strained to catch any sound. Silence. Then he dropped behind the screen, consulted a slip of paper by the light of his lantern, and with a few quick turns of the combination knob opened the door of the safe. He extracted the envelope and thrust it into his pocket, without so much as a glance at its contents. In making his exit, the window struck on the sill. In pressing it the lock snapped loudly. This was the sound Cavenaugh heard. The burglar ran lightly across the lawn and disappeared beyond the hedges. And none too soon.

The Cavenaugh drag rolled over the hill and went clattering up to the porte-cochere.

On the way home Carrington, his mind still wavering between this expedient and that, decided that, after all, he would take charge of the papers himself. It didn't seem quite fair that Cavenaugh's safe should protect his ultimate disgrace. So, upon entering the house, he confided his desire to Kate, who threw aside her wraps and led him into the dining room. She had her own reasons for wishing the papers out of the safe. She turned on the lights and swirled the combination knob. At this moment Norah came in.

"What are you doing?" she asked.

"Mr. Carrington left some valuable papers in the safe, and he wants them."

Carrington wondered why Norah stared at Kate, then at Norah. If ever there was written on a face unfeigned dismay and astonishment, it was on the millionaire's. A moment before Carrington would have sworn that he was guilty; now he knew not what to believe. He grew bewildered. There had certainly been a burglar, but who was he?

"Mr. Carrington," said Cavenaugh, pulling himself together with an effort, "you need have no worry whatever. I will undertake to restore your documents. I offer you no explanations." He left them abruptly.

The young lawyer concluded to grope no longer. Somebody else would have to lead him out of this labyrinthine maze. All at once there came to him a sense of infinite relief. Providence had kindly taken the matter out of his hands.

"Never mind, Kate," he said. "For my part, I should be entirely satisfied if I never saw the miserable thing again."

"Father will find it for you." Her eyes were dim with tears of shame.

"What is it, girl?"

"Nothing that I can explain to you, John. Good night."

When he had gone to his room, Norah turned to her sister and sobbed on her breast.

"Oh, Kate!"

"What is the matter, child?"

"I told grandpa the combination!"

CHAPTER III.

Carrington tumbled out of bed at six and threw out the old-fashioned green blinds. A warm, golden summer morning greeted his eyes, and the peaceful calm of Sunday lay upon the

It Had Been Opened by Some One Who Knew the Combination.

gazed from him to her sister with so wild an expression.

"Papers?" she murmured.

Kate opened the door. She sprang to her feet in terror and dismay.

"What is it?" cried Carrington, who saw by her expression that something extraordinary had happened.

"They—it is not there!"

Norah sat down and hid her face on her arms.

Carrington rushed over to the safe, stooped and made a hasty examination. It had been opened by some one who knew the combination! He stood up, a cold chill wrinkling his spine. He saw it all distinctly. Cavenaugh knew. He had known all along. Cavenaugh had overheard him speak to Kate and had opened the safe after their departure for the club. It was all very cleverly done. He knew that Kate was utterly blameless. Then it dawned upon him that they appeared as though they accepted the catastrophe as not wholly unexpected! To what did this labyrinth lead?

A rattle of the curtain rings wheeled them about. They beheld Cavenaugh himself standing in the doorway.

"What's the trouble?" he asked, eyeing Carrington suspiciously.

Carrington answered him icily. "I left some legal documents of great value in this safe; they are no longer there."

Cavenaugh's jaw dropped. He

land. A robin piped in an apple tree, an oriole flashed across the flower beds, and a bee buzzed just outside the sill. A brave day! He stepped into his tub, bathed, and dressed in his riding clothes, for there was to be a canter down to the sea and return before breakfast. From the window he could see the groom walking the beautiful thoroughbreds up and down the driveway. There were only two this morning; evidently Norah was not going.

The Cavenaugh girls had created almost a scandal and a revolution when they first appeared at Glenwood. People had read and talked about women riding like men, they had even seen pictures of them, but to find them close at hand was something of a shock. Yet, when they saw with what ease the Cavenaugh girls took the hedges, ditches and fences, how their mounts never suffered from saddle-galls, and, above all, how the two always kept even pace with the best men riders, opinion veered; and several ladies changed their habits.

Norah, who saw the droll side of things, once said that the accepted riding habit for women reminded her of a kimono for a harp.

Carrington stole gently down to the horses. He had great affection for the sleek thoroughbreds. Their ears went forward when they saw him, and they whinnied softly. He rubbed their velvet noses and in turn they nozzled him for sugar loaves. Had it not been for the night and the attendant mysteries, his happiness would have been complete. People waste many precious moments in useless retrospection; so Carrington resolutely forced the subject from his mind. One thing was certain, the Cavenaughs knew who the burglar was; and there was something strange in the idea of an empty safe in a millionaire's home. Pshaw! He took out the expected sugar loaves and extended them on both palms. The pair lipped his hand and crunched the sweets with evident relish.

"How are they to-day, James?"

"Fit for 20 miles, straight away or 'cross lots, sir. Your mount is feeling his oats this morning; he hasn't been out for a run since Thursday, sir. I've put the curb on him in case he takes it into his head to cut up shines. Here comes Miss Kate, sir."

Carrington's pulse rose. Kate was approaching them. She was pale but serene. She smiled a good morning, which took in the gentleman and the groom.

"I hope I haven't kept you waiting."

"Not a moment; I only just got down myself," said Carrington.

She mounted without assistance and adjusted her skirts. The filly began to waltz, impatient to be off.

"To the beach?" Carrington asked, swinging into his saddle.

She nodded and they started off toward the highway at a smart trot. Once there, the animals broke into an easy canter, which they maintained for a mile or more. Then Kate drew down to a walk.

"What a day!" said he, waving his hand toward the sea line.

There was color a-plenty on her cheeks now, and her eyes shone like precious stones. There is no exhilaration quite like it. She flicked the elders with her crop, and once or twice reached up for a ripening apple. In the air there was the strange sea smell, mingled with the warm scent of clover.

"I'll race you to the beach!" she cried, suddenly.

"Done! I'll give you to the sixth tree," He laughed. There was really nothing at all in the world but this beautiful girl, the horses, and the white road that wound in and out to the sea.

She trotted her mount to the sixth tree, turned, and then gave the signal. Away they went, the horses every bit as eager as their riders. With their ears laid back, their nostrils wide, their feet drumming, they thundered down the road. Carrington gained, but slowly, and he had to hold his right arm as a shield for his eyes, as the filly's heels threw back a steady rain of sand and gravel. Faster and faster; a milk wagon veered out just in time; foolish chickens scampered to the wrong side of the road, and the stray pigs in the orchards squealed and bolted inland. It was all very fine. And when they struck deep tawny sand the animals were neck and neck. It was now no easy task to bring them to a stop. Carrington's hunter had made up his mind to win, and the lithe filly was equally determined. As an expedient, they finally guided the animals toward the hull of an ancient wreck; nothing else would have stopped them.

"How I love it!" said Kate, breathlessly, as she slid from the saddle. "Beauty, you beat him, didn't you!" patting the dripping neck of her favorite.

They tethered the horses presently and sat down in the shade of the hull.

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A Wrong Attitude.

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The dangers to which the modern eye is exposed fall into two great classes—disease and overuse from near work. Here another great consoling fact faces us, and that is that while overwork and consequent eye strain are by far the commonest troubles that befall the modern eye, discomfort and inefficiency are as far as they go in 99 cases out of 100. It is a fact that 99 9-10 per cent. of all blindness is due to disease and not to overwork.

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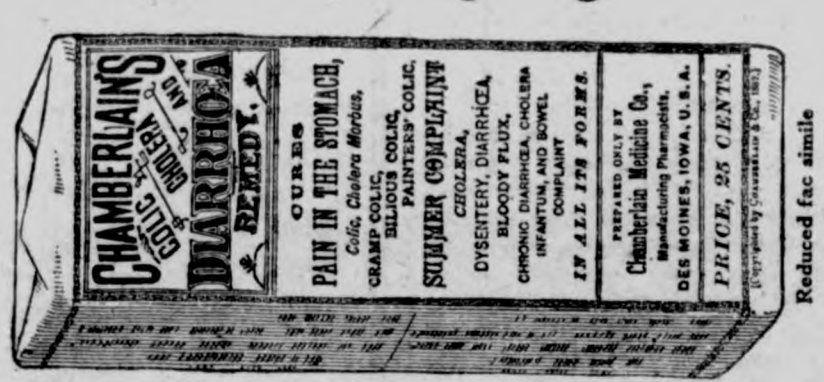

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tending the Chautauqua and taking medical treatment.

The missionary offering will be taken next Sunday in both churches.

Our genial editor did us a neat little job of printing, in German, last week.

Thirteen young people were taken into the church last Sunday, as full members. and one by letter.

In every direction the humming of the thrashing machine may be heard these days. The quality of grain is good but the quantity is very light.

Clarence Arnold has returned from his extended trip to the west coast, Yellowstone Park and many places of interest. He is highly pleased with his trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Holz, of Columbus, Wis., parents of Mrs. Chas. Schoenwetter, arrived last Friday to spend a week with their relatives, and especially to see Grandma Gruetzmacher, who is a sister to Mr. Holz.

The fourth and last quarterly conference was held in Klemme Monday morning, conducted by District Superintendent W. H. Rolfing. Most of the old officers were re elected. We will try and publish the full list next week.

The Northwest German Conference will hold its annual session in Klemme, Sept. 1-5. This will bring some 50 to 60 clergymen to our little city, besides some of the dignitaries of the church. Besides the business sessions each forenoon and committee work in the afternson of each day, the following is the program thus far arranged:

Wednesday evening. Conference Claimants Anniversary—Sermon by Rev. F. C. Steffler.

Thursday evening—Dr. J. H. Fitzwater on Home Mission and Church Extension.

Friday evening—Educational Anniversary Addresses by Dr. F. Schaub and Rev. J. W. Feller.

Saturday afternoon—Dr. O. S. Baketel on Sunday School Work.

Saturday evening—Missionary sermon by Rev. H. E. Hilmer.

Sunday forenoon-Sermon by Bishop J. L. Nuelsen.

Sunday afternoon—Sermon by Dr. F. Munz.

Sunday evening—Dr. Geo. B. Smyth on Foreign Missions.

ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Elmer Yohn, Bert Auchampach, Hod and Charley Lawhorn drove to Garner Friday to the ball game.

Mr Haupt, of Twin Lake, has been putting up hay on the J. N. Sprole farm.

Mrs. Haskell and daughter, of Klemme, made several calls here one day last week.

Mrs. Charley Lawhorn spent Sunday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Hod Lawhorn.

Mrs. Webner has been entertaining her grand-children from Klemme for a few days.

Hazel Lawhorn called on Hazel Groesbeck Friday afternoon

Elmer Yohn visited over Sunday at Forest City.

Messers Adwell, Nelson and Lawhorn accompanied by their wives, attended the dance at Ventura Saturday evening.

Charley Schneider and Mr. Hyde of Garner were in this vicinity Sunday evening with Schneider's auto.

The Garner ball team was defeated by Clear Lake Monday, score 4 to 1.

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ASSETS

Amount of Bills, Bonds and other evidences of debt discounted or purchased actually owned by the Bank (carried out)		$107,573 02
Amount of cash on hand described as follows:		
Gold coin,	455 00	
Silver coin and bullion	455 15	
Legal tender and national bank notes and subsidary coin	1085 00	
Drafts and checks on other solvent banks and other cash items not dishonored on hand and belonging to the bank	2,316 96 / 1231 96	$3,227 11
Amount subject to be drawn at sight on deposit with solvent banks or bankers (specifying names and locations of the banks):		
Continental Nat'l Bk. Chicago, Ill.	1,168 80	
Merchants Nat'l Bk. Cedar Rapids, Iowa	2,292 62	
Drovers Deposit National B Chicago, Ill	791 21	
Farmers Nat'l Bk. Garner, Iowa	4,125 10	
Century Savings Bk. Des Moines, Iowa	2,137 36	10,515 09
Overdrafts secured	1,743 27	
Expense account		1,743 27
Value of real property (owned by the Bank)	9,949 34	
Value of personal property [owned by the bank]	1,784 92	11,734 26
Total Assets		134,792 75

LIABILITIES

Amount of capial stock actually paid up in cash		15.000 00
Total amount due depositors, as follows:		
Amount sight deposits	29.319.47	
Amount time deposits	79,579.02	108,898.49
Indebtedness of every kind, due banks, bankers, or persons other than regular depositors:		
Surplus fund	10,500 00	
Other profits on hand (after deducting taxes and expenses)	394 26	10,894 26
Total Liabilities		134.792.75
Amount of all liabilities to the Bank on par of its directors:		
as borrowers	5,085 74	
as endorsers	3,632 82	8,718.56

STATE OF IOWA, HANCOCK COUNTY. } ss.

We, W. R. Bloom, President and P. M. Griesemer, Cashier, of the Bank above named, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is full, true and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief, that the assets therein set forth are bona fide the propery of said Bank in its corporate capacity and that no part of the same has been loaned or advanced to said Bank for the purpose of being exhibited as a portion of its assets.

W. R. BLOOM, President.
P. M. GRIESEMER, Cashier.

SEAL — Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence by W. R. Bloom and P. M. Griesemer, this 16th day of August, A. D. 1909.

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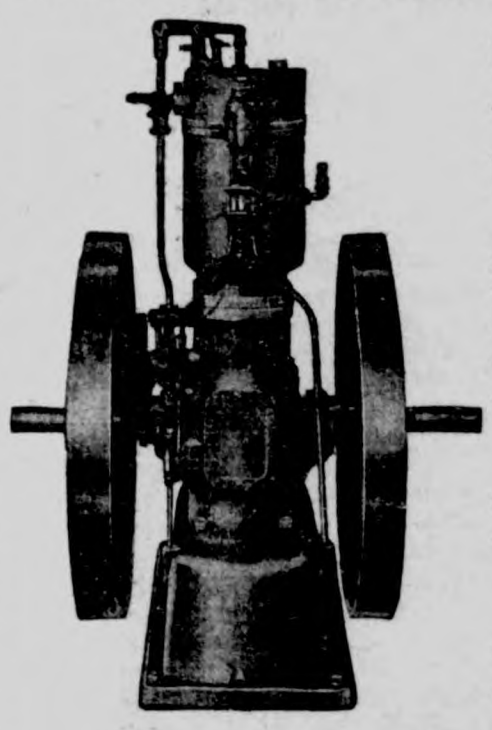

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The New Tariff Law

(From Wallaces' Farmer.)

The tariff bill is now a law. Some changes were made in the bill after it reached the conference committee, the most important being the elimination of the duty on hides, putting them on the free list. Some minor changes were made in the shoe and leather schedules, but nothing which affords the farmer and stockman adequate compensation for the reduction of $1.00 to $1.50 per head on the cattle he owns because of the removal of the hide duty.

A careful analysis of the bill will show that the interests of the consumers of the entire country, and of the producers of the west, received very little consideration. The tariff has been revised for the benefit of the highly protected interests; the consumer has not counted.

No matter how great the seeming victory of the protected interests, they cannot escape the after effects. The discussions in the senate in which the Iowa senators, Dolliver and Cummins, have taken conspicuous and honorable parts, have educated the people, and especially the western people, in a way nothing else would have done. The utter perfidy of both political parties in the matter of tariff revision must be apparent to everyone Heretofore western farmers have believed that when one of the great parties made pledges in its platform that it would do certain things if entrusted with power it would keep its pledges or at least make an honest effort to keep them. Neither party has done this. And President Taft, whose pledges for downward revision were most direct and specific, has permitted himself to be fooled, and placed in a position where he must assent to the bunco game. Had he taken a firm stand at the beginning and insisted on the redemption of the party pledges, he would have won easily. Failing to do this, had he kept entirely out of the discussion until the bill passed Congress, he would have been in a position to veto it if in his judgment it did not meet the needs of the situation. He waited until the measure went into the conference committee, when it was too late to bring about any real downward revision (except to take away the duty on hides) and thus committed himself to an endorsement of the bill when it finally passed. The president permitted the Aldrich crowd to bring discredit upon him as well as upon the republican party.

People from one end of the country to the other will now understand definitely that on the tariff question there is no difference between the parties. When the eloquent republican stump speakers advocate "protection to infant industries" and the democrats "tariff reform" the people will simply laugh in derision. They have seen democrats of the south and from Tammany working hand in glove with the republicans representing the protected industries.

Furthermore, they will see as never before that the tariff is really a local issue, involving no moral principle whatever, nor even a party principle. The sole question is how one section of the country can get an advantage over the others, and how these selfish interests can be combined for the aggrandizement of certain organizations of capitalists. Grave and dignified senators have been re-enacting

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OPTOMETRY BOARD

Many Applications Are Being Received for Certificates.

EXAMINATIONS IN SEPTEMBER

Will Raise the Standards of Practice, So Secretary L. A. Thomas Thinks—Many Ask to Take Examinations.

Des Moines, Aug. 14.—Many applications for optometry certificates are being received by Dr. L. A. Thomas, secretary of the state board of health. The new law passed by the last general assembly states that opticians who have practiced for five years or more may receive what is called a "renewal certificate," thus exempting them from taking the examinations given by the new optometry board in September.

Already forty-five letters have been received by Dr. Thomas asking for the certificates and as fast as possible the cases are being investigated and the permits forwarded.

The proposed issuing of these certificates caused considerable discussion at the time of the passage of the law. According to decisions of the supreme court the doctors fitting glasses, etc., were regarded in the same light as medical practitioners. Thus a bill allowing a certificate on condition of five years' alleged violation of the law was claimed to be against public policy and contradictory to laws already enacted. But the supporters of the reform pushed it through, claiming that the change in the requirements could not be made all at once.

"The new board of optometry will raise the standards, I believe," said Dr. L. A. Thomas. "The first examinations come the latter part of September and already many of the applicants are preparing themselves for the exams at a special school started at Still college."

Postal Gain is 18 Per Cent.

That the business of Des Moines is increasing at a remarkable rate is evidenced by the report of postal receipts made public by George B. Garton, treasurer of the postoffice. It showed a gain of 18 per cent in the business done during the month of July, 1909, over the same period during 1908 and an increase of nearly twice that amount over that done during the month of July, 1907. Following are his figures:

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Test Iowa Coal in Brick Kilns.

If the Shackelford Brick company's $75,000 continuous kiln is a success, $2,000,000 will be spent in two years by brick and tile manufacturers in and around Des Moines for the construction of similar kilns. Iowa's brick industry will be revolutionized and a mammoth glass factory will be established in Des Moines. The Shackelford company is spending almost $100,000 for an experiment to determine whether Iowa coal is gas producing. If it is the cost of fuel to manufacturers will be reduced 60 per cent, or less than the cost of natural gas.

4,000 Corporations Answer.

Four thousand Iowa corporations have complied with the provisions of the new law by sending to Secretary of State W. C. Hayward the required information and fee. Eleven thousand notices were sent out from the secretary's office. Letters have been returned and notices received accounting for 3,500 corporations which have gone out of business. This leaves 3,500 more corporations which must respond to the notification of the state before the time limit is reached.

Do Not Work Too Hard.

To oppose Roosevelt's "strenuous life" and to prevent people from overworking, Dr. A. E. Kepford, state tuberculosis expert, wrote President George E. MacLean of the State University of Iowa advocating the installation at Iowa City of a laboratory to study overstrain and fatigue, and prevent them wherever possible.

Merchants Bankrupt.

A first dividend of 40 per cent was declared on the bankrupt stock of Longnecker Bros., Farrar, Ia., merchants, adjudged bankrupt a month ago by W. H. Cathcart, the trustee. The total liabilities of the firm were $4,500.

Lodges to Hold Annual Picnic.

Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors of Des Moines and Valley Junction will hold their annual picnic at Union park Wednesday, Aug. 25.

Sort Old State Warrants.

J. F. Kelley, head of the state department of archives, is just finishing the laborious task of sorting and classifying 150,000 warrants issued by the state of Iowa. The warrants date back to No. 1, which was issued on March 12, 1840. No warrant blanks had been printed at that time, and the first one was written on a sheet of paper by T. Williams, territorial auditor of public acounts. It was for the sum of $28 and was made payable to Henry King. A blank form had been printed before it became necessary to issue No. 2. This was issued on June 3, 1840, to John F. Rague & Co., who built the capitol building at Iowa City. The warrant was for $10,000, and constituted the first payment on the new capitol.

Takes Place of Miss Garrison.

The Rev. Agnes Brookmiller, president of the woman's missionary board of the United Brethren church, has been elected superintendent of the Benedict home at Fort Dodge, to succeed Miss Hattie Garrison who was appointed matron of the reform school for girls at Mitchellville. Mrs. Emily Dodge of Algona has been elected matron of the Benedict home. Mrs. Dodge is district superintendent for the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Ida Wise of Des Moines, vice president of the W. C. T. U., is in temporary charge of the home.

Will Claim Excess on Freight.

Des Moines, Iowa.—Having received official notice from the Rock Island railroad company that it will contest in the courts the recent decision of the interstate commerce commission, Freight Commissioner E. G. Wylie announced at the meeting of the Greater Des Moines committee that Des Moines shippers should retaliate by filing claims against the railways for the return of excess freight charges paid during the last two years.

Government Road Agens.

Secretary James Wilson of the department of agriculture will furnish expert lecturers on corn and good roads at the corn exposition to be held in Des Moines this fall, according to a letter received by the Commercial club. With the lecturers will come a great amount of information and pictures of good roads. Moving pictures of various kinds of roads built in this country will be shown at the exposition.

Iowa Florists Meet In Des Moines.

Iowa florists will gather in Des Moines September 1 for their annual meeting. The date of the yearly session of the Society of Iowa Florists has been set in state fair week and the gathereing will be held in the rooms of the State Horticultural society in the capitol building at 8 o'clock on the Wednesday evening of fair week.

Made It Hot for Game Wardens.

Mrs. Nettie La See, fat, fair and forty, armed with a vocabulary the envy of an army teamster, nearly put to route Deputy Game Wardens Brees and Hall at the mouth of Beaver Creek, when the game wardens swooped down upon the alleged illegal lines and nets of her husband, Louis, and his brother, Ed, and confiscated them.

Mrs. Cutler Secures Divorce.

Anna M. Cutler was divorced in the district court from Edwin M. Cutler. Judge McHenry signed the decree. Mrs. Cutler gets property valued at $35,000 in settlement of her alimony claims. She also receives the care and custody of their minor child. The alimony is the largest in Polk county courts in many years.

Van Duyn Defends Child Labor Law.

Complaints by the probation officers that as a result of the state child labor law many children under 14 years of age get into juvenile court because they have no work to keep them out of mischief have brought out a defense of the law from State Labor Commissioner Van Duyn.

To Teach Drake Students.

John J. Halloran of the firm of Halloran & Starkey and Casper Schenk of the law firm of Schenk & Berryhill, were elected to the law faculty of Drake university. Mr. Halloran succeeds H. F. Dale, who resigned. Mr. Schenk will give instruction in corporation law.

New Alligator at Menagerie.

A baby alligator has been added to the menagerie at Union Park. The little amphibian was presented to Councilman Ash by Sergent Tom Denholm, of the police, and was sent out to the park at once as company for the one already there.

Board Purchases Detention Home.

The Polk county board of supervisors by a vote of three to two decided to purchase the Nelson property on Hull avenue for a juvenile detention home at a price of $8,000, which is $1,000 in excess of the limit allowed by law.

HEAD-ON COLLISION

Rio Grande Passenger Trains in Deadly Crash.

TEN KILLED AND MANY HURT

Disaster Near Husted, Colo., Between Colorado Springs and Palmer Lake, Caused by Failure to Obey Orders.

Two Iowans were injured in the wreck near Colorado Springs—E. C. Tannehill of Des Moines had his arm broken, and John Reinhart of Carson had a leg broken.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Aug. 16.—Nine persons are dead and others are expected to die, between forty and fifty are injured, three engines are in the ditch, two baggage cars, including the contents ,are smashed to kindling wood, and several passenger coaches are badly damaged as the result of a head-on collision between eastbound passenger train No. 8 and westbound passenger No. 1 on the Denver & Rio Grande near Husted, thirteen miles north of this city, Saturday night.

The wreck was due to a misunderstanding of orders, it is said. As No. 8 drew into Husted at about forty miles an hour, the crew of the engine saw a light engine standing on the switch north of the station. Mistaking the engine for the second section of No. 1, the crew did not stop and went through the station as fast as the two engines could draw the thirteen heavily laden coaches.

As soon as the train got out of the station, the engineer of the first engine of No. 8 saw another train coming slowly down the incline. He slammed on the air brakes and the emergency brakes and then shouted to the other members of the two crews to jump. Before they had time to jump No. 8 had rammed No. 1 so hard that all three engines lay in the ditch.

A relief train bearing physicians, surgeons and nurses was hurried to the rescue from this city; a wrecking crew was sent up from Pueblo. The dead and injured were brought to this city on the special and on No. 1.

Heroic work in helping the injured was done by a party of women tourists.

The dead: James Roseporka, Chicago; C. M. Larkin, Colorado Springs; C. S. Brown, Jerico Springs, Mo.; J. A. Gossage, fireman on engine No. 8, Colorado Springs; T. E. Murphy, traveling car agent, Denver; A. A. Davison, McPherson, Kas.; Attorney F. G. Frederick, St. Louis; F. W. Beless, Colorado Springs. James J. Parker, Chicago; Peter Nelson, Monroe, Neb..

An engineer was killed while beating his way to Denver, riding in the lead engine of the double-header. A portion of a body is reported to have been found at the scene of the wreck, but this is not confirmed.

The injured: Andrew Jacobson, Oldham, S. D., internal injuries; Elmer Jokisch, Virginia Falls, Ill., leg broken; J. I. Frank, McPherson, Kans., leg and head cut; F. J. Sedlacik, St. Louis, head cut, legs broken; Mrs. T. M. Randolph, Okmulgee, Okla., internal injuries; Fay Steck, Kansas City, slightly injured; John W. Roberts, Cambria, Mo., head cut, legs broken; E. C. Whitsidd, Jerico Springs, Mo., back injured; Henry C. Shipman, 1572 Kimball avenue, Chicago, ribs and leg broken; J. W. Leafgren, Axtell, Neb., legs cut; O. C. Skinner, Topeka, Kans., ribs broken; E. C. Tannehill, Des Moines, arm broken; John Reinhart, Carson, Ia., leg broken; Mrs. D. K. Seaton, Harrisburg, Ill., taken to the Acacia hotel, is suffering from a broken back. Her death is expected; G. H. McCreary of Dallas, Tex., severely injured; Eugene H. Harlacher, Eau Claire, Wis., slightly bruised; D. C. Hogan, Glouster, O., cut on back of head, slightly injured; Emil Kauther, 215 John street, Chicago, severely injured; Mrs. D. K. Heton, Harrisburg, Ill., sprained back, slightly injured; W. L. Ball, Decatur, Ill., sprained ankle.

Census Enumerators Named.

Washington, Aug. 16—President Taft has named the following census enumerators for Iowa:

First District—John W. Rowley of Keosouqua.

Second District—Asa A. Hall.

Seventh District—Sam Culbertson of Knoxville.

Burdette Not So Well.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 16.—The condition of Rev. Robert J. Burdette, the noted humorist and preacher, is not so favorable as it has been according to the report of his physicians. He is suffering intensely from sciatic rheumatism.

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Father—But think of all the new ailments!

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"About eight months."

"Only eight months? Don't you think she was in a good deal of a hurry?"

"Oh, I don't know. We had been engaged for nearly two years."

Severe.

Samuel Gompers was talking in the smkoeroom of the Baltic about a recent newspaper attack on a rich corporation.

"It was a cruel attack," Mr. Gompers chuckled. "It was as cruel as the Jonesville Clarion's paragraph about old Deacon Hiram Ludlow.

"This paragraph header the Clarion's obituary column. It said:

"'Deacon Hiram Ludlow of Frisble township, aged 82, passed peacefully away on Thursday last from single blessedness to matrimonial bliss after a short but severe attack by Maria Higgins, a blooming widow of 37 summers.'"—Detroit Journal.

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"Well, he's a barber."

A Green One.

"Do you look for news of Howe's hunting trip in the sporting column?"

"No, in the obituaries."—Life.

An Argive Cowherd.

Argus was boasting of his 100 eyes.

"Think of putting on 50 pairs of goggles when you want to motor," he cried.

Never Satisfied.

Her—Oh, oh! Something's creeping down my back!

Him—Well, you'd make just as much fuss if it was crawling up your back. Let it alone.—Cleveland Leader.

Well, What?

"Pa!"

"Johnny, leave me alone and don't ask me another question!"

"Aw, jest one more an' then I'll keep still."

"Well, what is it?"

"What relation is a cousin german to a Dutch uncle?"—Cleveland Leader.

Fitted for the Job.

The general consulted the topographical chart. "You understand, colonel," he said, "that this charge on the enemy's fortification necessitates the most reckless disregard for human life?" "I understand, general," the colonel replied. "The forlorn hope that leads the movement will be composed exclusively of amateur chauffeurs."

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ROBERT FULTON—The Man Who Beat Bad Luck.

day in 1806 a pale, thin man, shock of dark hair, landed in York. He was a failure. Nine- ears earlier, full of high hopes rtistic talent, he had sailed for nd to complete his education as rait painter. News had reached tive land that the young artist oolishly abandoned his chosen gion and had set to work on crazy mechanical contrivance could only prove useless. And reports showed the truth of fears, for young Robert Fulton eturning to his native land poor nsuccessful.

was the sort of man who literal- udes ideas. All of them were mechanical nature. While in nd he helped support himself by inventing apparatus for making ropes. Then he

ght to Help eon's Navy.

d the first marine torpedo and it a submarine boat for naval re. He went to France, which hen at war with England, and to interest Napoleon in these. o far succeeded that he was al- to test them before a commis- Though the submarine boat remain under water for hours ould be guided at will, its speed low and it could made no prog- against the current. So the h government rejected it. Next as ordered to launch his torpe- at the British fleet off Brest. The ctiles failed to do any damage.

e laughing stock of all Europe, disappointed American returned w York. His friend, Robert Liv- on, lent him enough money to one more trial at the steamship. nt to England for one of Watt's es and, profiting by his own for- mistakes, started work on his and improved steamer. It was in an East river shipyard. It me customary for crowds to go nd watch the course of the boat's truction. Fulton christened it the mont. But it was popularly known Fulton's Folly." Fulton himself d to this ridicule by prophesying in a few years a steamboat would ble to cross the Atlantic. Such a forecast was derided as sheer insanity.

At last, on August 11, 1807, the Clermont was launched and started on her maiden trip to Albany. All New York turned out to make fun of the weird boat. And in looks the Clermont was worthy the derision she excited. She had a 140-foot keel and was 16½ feet wide. A single smoke-stack, fully 50 feet high, rose from her deck and her twin paddle wheels looked like the sails of a windmill. As she moved through the water an avalanche of sparks, fire and black smoke poured from the stack and the roar of the machinery and paddle wheels could be heard for miles.

She was a success. Fulton was vindicated. And now the inventor, who had heretofore been looked on as a harmless crank, was the nation's hero. He built other and faster steamboats in rapid succession. In 1812 he constructed the first steam ferry boat. Two years later he made the first steam warship, a 44-gun frigate, named "Fulton the First." Wealth and honors began to pour in on him. But just as he was about to reap the reward of his years of toil and misfortune he found his patents disputed and became involved in a maze of lawsuits. Most of these latter he lost.

Became in a Day the Nation's Hero.

His mind and nature embittered and his purse depleted by litigation; his health undermined by exposure from working out of doors in his shipyard during bad weather, Robert Fulton died in 1815, when only 49 years old.

He was buried in Trinity churchyard, New York, where a large monument has since been erected over his grave. There he lies, midway between the two rivers, every one of whose thousands of steam craft is a more sublime monument to his memory than any mausoleum which mortal hands could raise above the grave of the man who did so much for Progress and whom his fellow countrymen rewarded with ridicule and injustice.

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AMUEL MORSE --- The Man Who Abolished Time and Space

American artist, coming home 832 after a successful career as ter and sculptor in Europe, sed his fellow passengers during voyage by explaining to them a r theory he was working out. The t was Samuel B. F. Morse, a New lander, who had been graduated Yale at 18 and had, like Robert on, gone to England to study art r Benjamin West. In his spare ents he dabbled, for recreation, electrical experiments. On the e-bound ship he had met a Dr. son, who had interested him still er in this subject. The theory which Morse entertained the oth- assengers was as follows:

has been proved that an elec- l current will pass instantaneous- long a wire of any length. If this ent is interrupted at any point a k will appear. Why not let such ark or succession of sparks repre- some part of speech—a letter, ber or other sound-symbol?

hen he petitioned congress for an ropriation in order that he might up an experimental line from Bal- re to Washington. The request was refused. Then he went to England and tried atent his invention. He failed. would other European countries st him. Every one seemed to on the telegraph as a useless, racticable fantasy.

ack to America came Morse, and e more went to Washington, where moved heaven and earth to get gress to appropriate $30,000 for telegraph. His efforts seemed in , and on the last evening congress in session in 1843 he went to his ings heartbroken and without e. This was the lowest ebb of his une. Without prospects, penni- , more than 50 years old, his in- tion everywhere rejected, he med to be one of the century's t abject failures.

arly next morning a young girl ed to see him. She was the ghter of the commissioner of pat- , and she brought the discouraged entor glorious news. At midnight, ost on the minute of adjournment, gress had voted Morse the $30,000 ropriation.

ng Struggle Congress.

he work of building the line from shington to Baltimore was begun once. In a year it was complete. May, 1844, the first message was . It was dictated by the girl who had brought Morse news of the appropriation, and it read: "What hath God wrought!" Now that the scheme was so triumphant a success it was at once adopted all over the world. But Dr. Jackson, who had talked over the subject with Morse on shipboard so many years before, now brought suit, claiming credit for all the latter had accomplished. The suit (unlike so many in which progress makers have been engaged) was decided in Morse's favor. Henceforth his way was smooth. European countries raised for him a testimonial of $80,000, and wealth and honors poured in from all sides.

Now that it was found easy to telegraph across limitless stretches of land, the next step was to attempt the laying of telegraph wires under water. It was found that by insulating these wires a cable could be laid under the English channel from England to France. Then came the idea of the Atlantic cable. That also originated with Morse. But here began a new series of setbacks and disappointments that dragged on for many years. Two

Cyrus W. Field, who was the chief promoter of the scheme, would not give up, even in the face of these repeated disappointments. Through his efforts a third cable was attempted and this time was carried safely across the ocean. Electric communication was established. A monster ovation was planned in Field's honor. But on the very day it was to occur the cable again collapsed. For seven years nothing more was done. The project was abandoned as useless. Yet Field did not despair. At last, in 1860, the first permanent and practicable line was laid.

An Atlantic Cable at Last.

But to Morse above all others praise for telegraphy is due. He made no original electrical discoveries. In fact, various other men, while he was perfecting his machine, made more or less futile experiments along the same line. But it remained for Morse to combine all previous electric inventions and discoveries and put them to their first great practical uses. He lived to see that little strand of wire which in 1843 he stretched between two nearby cities extend until it had knit the whole civilized world in one mighty bond that revolutionized commerce, news and history itself; and forever annihilated time and space.

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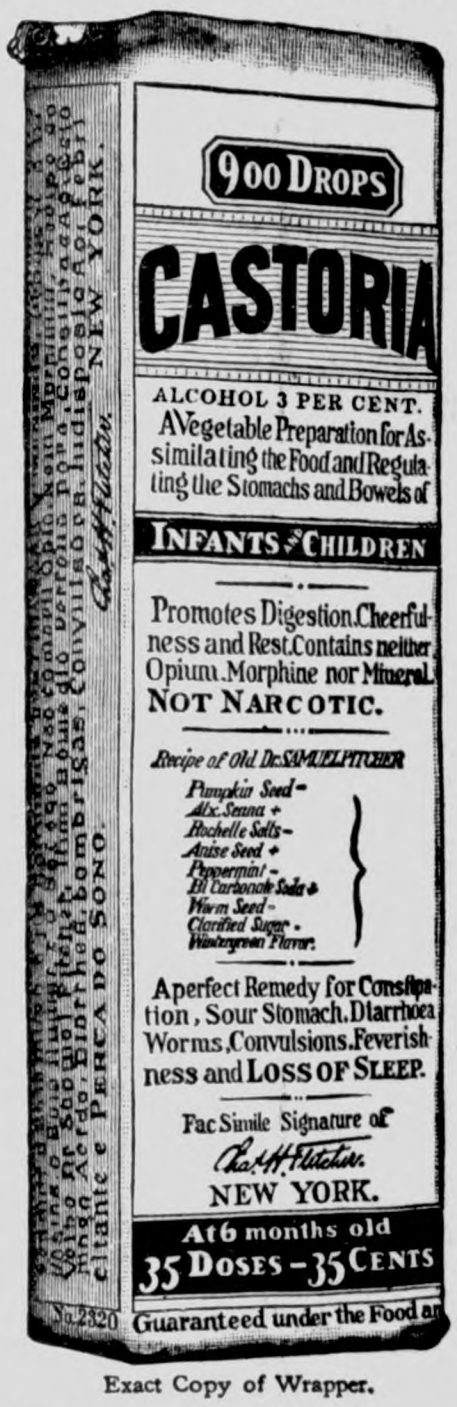

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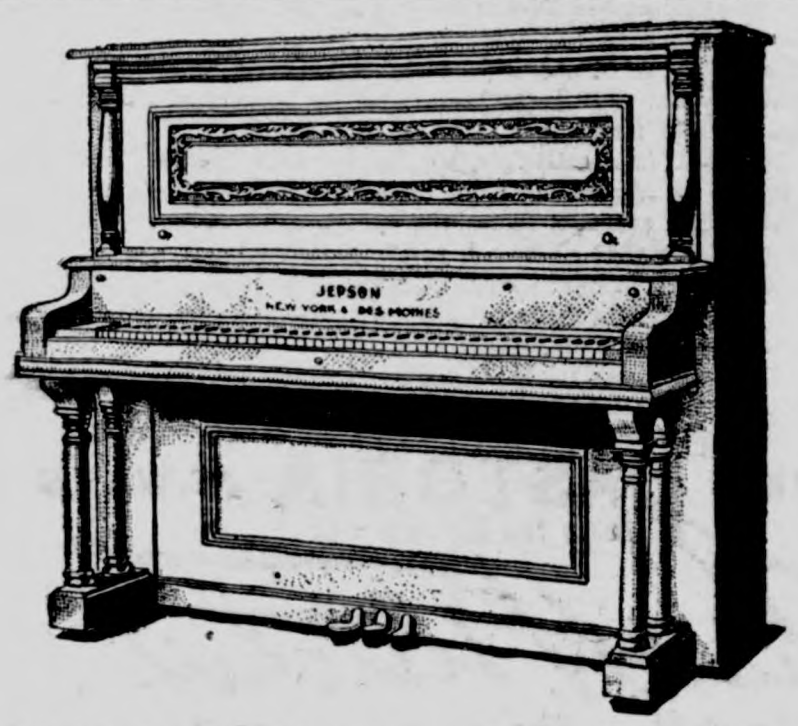

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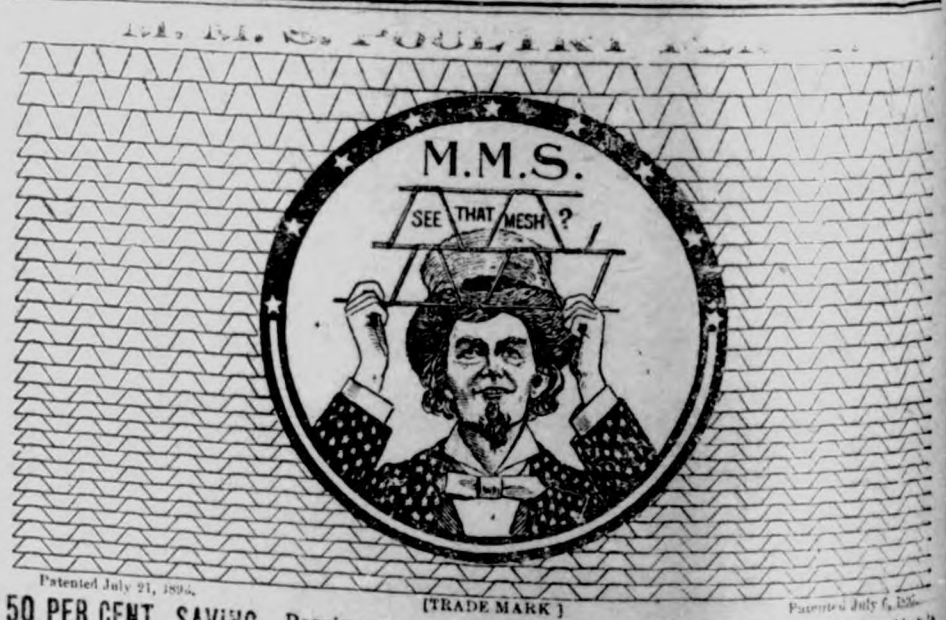

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John Hartfelder was at Meservey Saturday.

Roy Clark was here from Goodell Saturday.

Phillip Ell and wife were Garner callers Friday.

W. R. Bloom shipped a car of hogs Sunday morning.

Mrs. John Josten returned yesterday from St. Paul.

Fred Ralston shelled about 1200 bushels of corn last Saturday.

F. A Arnold was transacting business at the county seat yesterday.

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Miner are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine new baby boy at their home yesterday.

Threshers Attention — W. R. Bloom has his threshing coal in, several varieties of the best qualities. Call and get prices. 51

The Times family is figuring on eating apples the coming winter. We were presented with some nice Duchess apples by Mrs. T. Blank.

See that your subscription to the Times is kept paid up. We do not like to dun anyone for a dollar, but Uncle Sam says we must keep our list paid up. How about your account with this paper?

Fred Haupt, one of our good farmer friends, drove up to our door and unloaded some fine roasting ears and a bushel of apples the other day. Fred is a capital, good fellow and he don't like to see a hungry editor.

That was certainly a hot ball game at Garner Monday. They do say that each one of the Clear Lake fellows carried a rabbit's foot and it is also rumored that the umpire favored the Lake boys. Score—Garner 4, Clear Lake 5, ten innings.

On looking over the new tariff bill, we were greatly relieved to find that the every-day household necessity, radium, is placed on the free list. Such consideration for the pocket-books of the "common peepul" is surely to be commended.

On Friday and Saturday of last week H C. Lau paid out $2,342.55 for 155 head of hogs which he took in on above two days. L. A. Dexter, from near Britt, received $884 45 for 49 hogs, and Messers Hopkey and Hoselton of near Meservey, also brought in 28 head. Klemme is pulling hard from a large surrounding territory, on account of the fine prices paid by our dealers for grain, stock, poultry, cream and all kinds of produce. When it comes to a matter of market, Klemme is always to be found right on the front seat.

Klemme will soon be entertaining the Northwest annual conference of the German Methodist Episcopal Church. For a small town this comes as quite an honor, and it behoves our people to see to it that their guests are well entertained and that our town puts on its very best appearance. This meeting will bring to Klemme some fifty or sixty clergymen and probably many influential members, as well as some of the high dignitaries of the church. The dates of the meeting are September 1st to 5th. You have plenty of lime to cut the weeds, clean up the streets and premises, and give these strangers a good impression of our big, little town Every citizen should take a pride in this and do his part.

Chas. Stiehl was a business visitor at Garner Monday.

Ice cream sodas, sundaes, and all kinds of cool refreshing drinks at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

I. E. Missman, of Garner, visited here last Sunday with his brother, Dr. W. F. Missman.

Mesdames G. W. Kluckhohn and John Gruetzmacher and Lola Kluckhohn were Garner visitors Monday.

Rev. McConnell, pastor of the Garner U. P. church, will fill the pulpit in the Klemme English M. E. church next Sunday morning and evening.

Miss Edna Boughton, of Belmond, visited here last week with Miss Fern Suckow. On Tuesday they went to Garner to visit with Neva Schuldt.

Mrs. Mary Suckow and two daughters, LaRue and Lucile, left Monday evening for their home at Unionville, Iowa, after a few weeks very pleasantly spent in visiting relatives and friends in and around Klemme.

We publish this week a statement of the condition of the State Savings Bank of Klemme at close of business on August 10th. By looking this over you will notice that this popular institution is enjoying a healthy and flourishing business, especially in the line of deposits

The past week has been a hot one, with numerous showers. The corn has been maturing rapidly and the rains have done an untold amount of good to gardens and pastures. The Hancock county corn crop this year gives promise of being a good one. Thrashing of small grain is being pushed rapidly.

Laura Stilson has filed notice of a suit for $5,000 damages against P. R. Gilligan on account of injuries received at the hands of defendant. It will be remembered that Miss Stilson was a domestic working in the Gilligan restaurant; in company with Mrs. Gilligan they were removing some furniture from the private rooms of Mr. Gilligan, when Mr. Gilligan shot and wounded each of them. The wife's suit for divorce is also on the docket for the coming term of court.—Kanawha Record.

German M. E. Church Items

Mrs. Hans Josten of Garner was in our burg Tuesday.

Geo. Gruetzmacher and wife called at the Geo. Ulrich place Sunday afternoon.

A number of our people are planning to go to the Des Moines State Fair next week.

John Gruetzmacher and family expect to move to their new home the last of this week.

Mrs. Louis Sampson and children returned Wednesday from their visit in Clayton county.

Ernest Wellemeyer returned Tuesday to assist his brother in the store, during the absence of Aug. Wenz.

Mrs Fritz, of Waterloo, was an over Sunday visitor with her brother, Geo. Ulrich of Germantown.

Raymond Gruetzmacher, of Charles City, arrived Tuesday evening to spend a few days with his kin folks.

A letter from Aug. Wenz informs us that his health is improving steadily and that he will be back in a week or ten days.

The subject of the sermon Sunday morning will be—Antinomianism, or Imputed vs. Imparted Righteousness.

Edw. Schaefer and family visited with C. C. Suckow and family in Klemme Sunday.

John Josten and son Earl have been enjoying the pleasures of country life this week, during the absence of Mrs. Josten.

Quite a number of our people spent a day or so under the weather, possibly caused by the weather, usually called summer complaint.

Grandma Gruetzmacher's condition has been about the same for several weeks. She suffers a great deal at times, but her vitality is remarkable.

Klemme is undergoing a general cleaning up this year. More cement walks are put in than ever before. Trees are being trimmed and lawns kept clean and a general improvement has been going on. We think next in order ought to be a moral cleaning up.

The woman's missionary society of Klemme elected the following officers last week: President, Mrs. F. Arnold, 1st Vice President, Mrs. E. H. Lenz, 2nd Vice President, Mrs. G. H. Wessel, Secretary, Mrs. H. Griewe; Treasurer, Mrs. Chas. Stiehl; Cor. Secretary, Mrs. F. Gruetzmacher.

The following church officers were elected at the quarterly conference last week for the coming conference year: Stewards, John Gruetzmacher, E. H. Lenz, Louis Sampson, Wm. Bredlow, H. C. Beier, W. F. Stille and E. G. Beier. Registering steward, John Gruetzmacher; District steward, H. C. Beier; Trustees, H. Lau, T. Blank, E. H. Bettin, C. Albright, F. Gruetzmacher, H. L. Suckow, Chas. Bredlow, W. H. Kraus, G. I. Schaper and Albert Riemer,

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

PERSONAL.

Prof. Barry Gilbert of the college of law, University of Illinois, will return to the faculty of the University of Iowa.

Edward G. Feeney of Brooklyn was elected president of the American Federation of Catholic societies at the convention in Pittsburg.

E. H. Harriman will occupy his new $1,000,000 stone mansion on the summit of Tower hill, near Arden, N. Y., upon his return from Europe.

Harry K. Thaw in a signed statement, issued on the eve of the decision to be rendered by Justice Mills as to his sanity, fired some hot shots at the experts who say he is crazy and District Attorney Jerome who has fought bitterly against his release from the asylum.

Speaker Cannon upon his return to Danville, Ill., declared he will again be a candidate for congress and, if the people will, intends to remain in public life.

Jane Addams, head of Hull house in Chicago is being boomed for president of the United States by suffragettes of Boston.

William D. Mahon, president of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Elevated Railway Employes, will go to New York in a few days to organize the car employes there.

Frederick C. Van Duser, an American resident of London, has arrived in New York bearing a jewel from the American lodge of Masons in England for President Taft, in celebration of the fact that the president has been made an honorary member of that lodge.

GENERAL NEWS.

The United States will call a halt if Japan attempts to close the doors of China to American trade.

The First National bank at Tipton, Ind., which closed when the assistant cashier, Noah Marker, fled, was reopened.

King Alfonso has ordered all of Spain's warships to Melilla to save the army of 38,000 men from defeat by the Moors.

Friday the thirteenth was marked all over the country by an unusual number of murders and suicides.

According to a report in New York the Standard Oil Company is planning to erect a factory to make butter out of petroleum. Do you think you will relish such butter?

Marguerite Haley, 12 years old, mysteriously disappeared from a summer school at Lake Geneva, Wis. Her home is in Chicago.

The fisheries question which has agitated the Americans and Newfoundlers for years is to be settled by the Hague tribunal.

Food preservatives will be a subject for discussion at the annual convention of the Association of National and State Dairy and Food departments, which will begin at Denver, Aug. 24.

Charles Van Studdiford, husband of Grace Van Studdiford, the singer, received what may be a fracture of the skull when he was overcome by the heat and fell from a tallyho at Decatur, Ill.

The British battleship Swiftsure has left Malta for Crete and ships of other nations will follow, the intention being to impress the people of the island with the fact that respect for the rights of Turkey is demanded.

Regular troops, each armed with 300 rounds of ammunition, are keeping the strike sympathizers at Fort William, Ont., from repeating rioting. Fifteen persons were wounded in clashes.

Milton, Del., was swept by flames which destroyed the business district. When the fire company responded to the first alarm it found its apparatus burning.

The body of Albert Burt, who was so "economical" that his wife left him, was found hanging in the garret of his home at Mineola, L. I., and hidden near it in the rafters was $2,119.

The steamer Daniel J. Morrill was damaged $20,000 by collision with the steamer Henry Phipps in Whitefish bay.

Theodore Harris, who died recently in Louisville, by his will left his children $150 a month each and left over $1,000,000 to a baptist institution of Kentucky.

Mexican revolutionists have appealed to the Political Refuge and Defense league, whose headquarters is said to be in Chicago, for Jose G Raniel and Tromas Sarabia, arrested in San Antonio, Tex.

James K. Hackett, the actor through his attorney in New York denied that he had made a reconciliation with his wife, Mary Mannering.

Howard Quick and Percy Barron were killed by lightning while descending into a coal mine at Idaho Springs, Col. Quick's father was operating the machinery that runs the cage.

A plan for the settlement of the hatters' strike in Newark, N. J., and the Oranges, was agreed on at a conference held in Gov. Fort's cottage at Sea Girt. The agreement is to be signed by both parties within five days.

About 400 delegates attended the Christian Missionary Alliance convention in Cleveland.

Announcement is made by the department of agriculture at Washington of the discovery of a mixture to combat black rot, which has ravaged eastern vineyards.

Alfred and Leonardo Spino, brothers, who married sisters at St. Louis on the same day last October, have become fathers on the same day. One man possesses a boy and the other a girl.

Former Senator Wilson of Washington and John Farson, banker of Chicago, replied to attacks on Secretary Ballinger of the interior department before the National Irrigation congress at Spokane.

When the company refused to lend aid in removing the goods, the sheriff of Allegheny county declined to evict the families of any more of the strikers from houses of the Pressed Steel Car Company at McKees Rocks, Pa.

The investigation of the death of Lieut. James Sutton came to a close at Annapolis, Md., and the board of inquiry sent its verdict to Washington, where it will be made public by the secretary of the navy.

Prof. William Bernhardt of Washington was killed by a train at Burlington, Vt., where he was spending his vacation. He was deaf and did not hear the engine's warning whistle.

With only 142 miles of its line from Salt Lake City, Utah, to Oakland, Cal., to be constructed, the Western Pacific Company expects to have trains in operation between the two cities within 90 days.

Delight Weston, daughter of E. B. Weston, president of the Terre Haute (Ind.) Paper Company, received a balloon as a gift from her father on the occasion of her graduation from Smith college.

Gen. Frederick D. Grant, in an address in Pittsburg, predicted that airships will be the deciding factors in future warfare.

The council of Waterville, Kan., has passed an ordinance making it a misdemeanor to swear. "By chowder" was exempted as not being swearing.

George De Weese, 17 years old, son of William De Weese of Chicago, was drowned while bathing in the Kokosing river at Mount Vernon, O.

Daughters of the American Revolution are to take a conspicuous part in the Hudson-Fulton celebration at New York in October. They have established headquarters in Fifth avenue, where they will hold receptions, and have arranged for a large grandstand in Riverside park for members.

Priceless heirlooms and works of art were consumed in the fire which destroyed the home of Mrs. C. B. Alexander on Castle Point, Hoboken, N. J. A painting by Tonyea, of a Dutch farm scene, more than 400 years old, was lost. One of the valuable papers burned was the original deed by Queen Anne to Gov. Carteret, first English executive of that state, of the northern half of New Jersey.

Minneapolis was selected by the International Typographical union convention at St. Joseph, Mo., as its meeting place next year.

Former Gov. Pardee of California assailed Secretary of the Interior Ballinger before the National Irrigation congress at Spokane, saying the Taft cabinet officer favors a trust. A resolution was introduced in the congress favoring a $5,000,000,000 bond issue for irrigation, waterways and good roads.

Following the crusade at Ellis Island, N. Y., against societies which have been taking charge of immigrants, charges were made that immigrant girls have been sold for from $1 to $5 each.

Human skulls were introduced in evidence by a gunshot expert before the board of inquiry to prove that Lieut. James Sutton could not have committed suicide as claimed by fellow officers of the marine corps.

Belgrade, the capital of Servia, was startled by an explosion at the king's palace and rumors of a bomb murder spread quickly. It was found that Prince George had caused all the noise in experimenting with a new explosive.

WANT FRANCHISES

Lively Interurban Campaign Under Way at Marshalltown.

TWO COMPANIES ARE IN FIELD

One Plans to Take Over all Public Utilities—Interurban to Des Moines via Waterloo and Grundy Center.

Marshalltown, Ia., Aug. 16.—This city at the present time threatens to become overridden with interurban promoters, all clamoring for franchises, not only for right of way, but for a franchise controlling the public utilities of gas, electricity and street cars.

For several weeks J. H. McBride of Philadelphia and Henry S. Osborne and Andrew Stevenson of Chicago, representing the Iowa railroad project, have been here seeking to secure a hearing in the council. Mayor Ingledue has not looked upon their proposition with favor, and their proposed franchise ordinances have not been before the council.

Now H. W. Darling of Chicago has appeared, claiming to represent President Otis of the Western Trust & Savings bank, Chicago, with a contract to buy the Jones & Hovey local interests, investment in the street car system, electric light plant and gas works. Darling has posted a $10,000 forfeit to carry out his deal, providing the franchise is granted him for a period of twenty-five years.

Mayor Ingledue says that whoever gets the local franchise will have to sign a contract to furnish dollar gas within a few years' time, to give lower rates for both electric lights and power, and provide extensions to the street car system. McBride and his crowd promise to connect Marshalltown with Des Moines and Waterloo, via Eldora and Grundy Center, also with Boone and Perry. Darling says he will build an interurban to Grundy Center. Both sides promise lower rates for gas and electricity.

The Maddy Family Reunion

Knoxville.—The thirty-eighth regular annual reunion of the numerous branches of the Maddy family was held at the home of Thos. Maddy, on the Lone Lane, in Indiana township. Upwards of 200 persons were present, of whom 98 were Maddys or had married Maddys. The function was the thirty-eighth annual gathering of the family, the first reunion having been held June 4, 1871. The founder of the family, Thomas Maddy, Sr., came to this county fifty years ago. At present there are only three members of the original family alive. They are James, aged 85, Jacob, 77, and Thomas, 71. All three of the old gentlemen and their wives were present, with their scores of grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren.

Waterloo Girl Drowns.

Waterloo.—Miss Frances Allbee, aged 19 years, drowned in the Cedar river. One hundred people watched the death struggles of the girl before she went down after losing the water wings with which she was learning to swim. Vernon Allbee, her brother, seeing her plight, made desperate but unsuccessful efforts to reach her.

To Appeal Whitbeck Case.

West Union.—An appeal will be taken to the supreme court in the Whitbeck murder case. In this case Walter Whitbeck, a young man of Auburn township, was convicted last September of murder in the first degree for beating his father to death on March 18, 1908. He was sent up for life.

Wedded 50 Years.

Wapello.—Mr. and Mrs. John Otto, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home by inviting in a few old-time friends and relatives, who, together with the children of this venerable couple, spent a very happy day together. Mr. and Mrs. Otto were united in marriage Aug. 11, 1849.

Two Hundred Hogs Sell for $4,235.84.

Grundy Center.—A new record has just been made in the sale of hogs by one farmer from his own raising. Brown Brothers, who reside in Grundy county and who, a few years ago, paid $125, for their farm, turned off two hundred and fifty hogs which netted them a neat check of $4,235.48.

Two Farmers Lose Lives.

Cedar Rapids—Henry Donnelly, a wealthy farmer living near Walker, had a stroke of apoplexy and fell into the river while fishing. His body was not recovered for hours. George Ashlocka, a farmer living near Center Point, was fatally injured in a runaway accident.

Insane Man a "Sticker."

Creston—A sensation was caused here by one James A. Robinson, adjudged insane and who has been staying at the home of J. M. Jones of this city, a self invited guest, at least so far as Mr. Jones is concerned. Robinson claimed to be sent here by the Lord and could not be persuaded to leave by peaceable means and accordingly Mr. Jones ejected him, but he returned and when the police arrived they were attacked tooth and nail by several women who have been coming there to hold some sort of religious exercises. After a severe struggle in which it was necessary to deputize the cab driver Robinson was finally landed at the court house and later was adjudged insane and will be taken to Clarinda at once.

Woman Has Peculiar Disease.

Harlan.—A well known Harlan young woman is afflicted with a very rare and unusual affection of the eye. The ailment is hemorrhage of the iris, the blood being poured out at intervals into the interior portion of the eye, sometimes completely obscuring the pupil and causing temporary blindness. The blood usually remains in the anterior portion of the eye for about fifteen minutes but has sometimes lasted for half a day at a time. The case was submitted to a leading Omaha oculist who was exceedingly interested by the phenomenon. He reports that but one similar case is known to medical literature and that of a patient in Italy.

Killed in the Ogden Mine.

Boone.—One man killed, and five injured is the record of the Ogden mine in a few hours. H. K. Johlin was killed in a fall of slate. He was buried completely. When uncovered he was dead. Harry Coddington, terribly crushed in the same fall, may die. Jim Campbell, mule driver, was badly hurt by a mule. The animal's side touched an electric wire, and threw the animal on top of him. Charles Grant, Jim Mitchell and Lon Lumly, all drivers, were hurt in a serious manner in different ways about the mine.

Girl Calls on Lover—Dies Smiling.

Des Moines.—With a smile of perfect peace enlightening his features following the first visit from his sweetheart, Miss Della Berry, Guy Fisher, the 19-year-old boy who shot himself with suicidal intent, died at Mercy hospital. For the first time since the shooting, Miss Berry went to see the wounded boy at Mercy hospital. After she had bent over the narrow cot of the sufferer, a smile appeared upon his lips which never left, even after they were closed in death.

Cow Wrecks a Train.

Des Moines.—Reposing peacefully in the middle of the track, a mild mannered cow succeeded in ditching an entire freight train on the interurban railroad near Herrold. The train was pulled by the powerful electric locomotive, and the cow was not seen by the engineer until after the engine and several cars had been piled in the ditch. No one was injured.

Editor Furry Is Dead.

Alden.—The death of Mark J. Furry occurred at his home at Alden after an illness of more than two years of anaemia. Mr. Furry was born at Eldora in 1861, has always been a resident of Hardin county and has been prominent as a lawyer, politician and man of affairs in his section of the state for the past quarter century.

Editors Flay Parcels Post.

Mason City.—The Iowa Editorial association's last session resolved against the unlimited parcels post and other centralizing agencies of the postal department, and commended the postal department for its efforts to purge the mails of illegitimate second class matter. Resolutions approved the Greater Iowa movement.

Farmer Drowns in Turkey River.

Spillville. — Mathias Bena, 60, drowned himself in the Turkey river. He was at Conover the day prior and was making hay on his farm and was feeling well. His body was found in the river after it had been in water for several hours. He left no word of explanation. He leaves a wife and family.

Leg Is Cut Off at Ankle.

Council Bluffs.—C. A. Boone, 20 years old, assistant yard master of the Northwestern and a son of the assistant superintendent of this division was run over by a switch engine in the Northwestern yards and one of his feet was cut off at the ankle.

Insane Man Dying.

Knoxville—Jesse Collins, an insane man residing two miles north of Percy, Marion county, is said to be in a dying condition from the effects of a self-inflicted wound which severed his windpipe. He is a farmer 30 years old and married.

DISCOURAGED WOMEN.

A Word of Hope for Despairing Ones.

Kidney trouble makes weak, weary, worn women. Backache, hip pains, dizziness, headaches, nervousness, languor, urinary troubles make women suffer untold misery. Ailing kidneys are the cause. Cure them. Mrs. S. D. Ellison, N. Broadway, Lamar, Mo., says: "Kidney trouble wore me down till I had to take to bed. I had terrible pains in my body and limbs and the urine was annoying and full of sediment. I got worse and doctors failed to help. I was discouraged. Doan's Kidney Pills brought quick relief and a final cure and now I am in the best of health."

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Life's Unequal Combat.

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"Yes, we are certainly up against it!"

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Getting at the Root.

Fair Patient—Oh, doctor, I'm positively all run down and I'm so miserable, I have that tired feeling all the time.

Physician—No doubt. Let me see your tongue.—Cleveland Leader.

His Colors.

"What are your son's college colors?"

"Well," answered Farmer Corntossel, "Josh has figured so strong in hazing and football, I should say they must be black and blue."

Her Intentions.

"Do you think your sister will marry me?"

"If you keep comin'."

"Have you heard her say anything about it?"

"I heard her tell ma that if you didn't stop comin' here so often she'd make things unpleasant for you."

Tuberculosis Spread by Whites.

According to a report of the United States census it is stated that the mortality of the Indians from tuberculosis is undoubtedly far higher than that of either the whites or the negroes, although it is believed by careful investigators that the disease was entirely absent before the advent of the white race in America.

Could She?

"When women get to voting," said the man, "they will have a great many more calls than they now have to put their hands in their pockets and give money to further important causes."

The woman looked thoughtful.

"I'm always willing, of course," she said, "to give money for a good cause, but as for putting my hand in my pocket—"

BAD DREAMS Caused by Coffee.

"I have been a coffee drinker, more or less, ever since I can remember, until a few months ago I became more and more nervous and irritable, and finally I could not sleep at night for I was horribly disturbed by dreams of all sorts and a species of distressing nightmare.

"Finally, after hearing the experience of numbers of friends who had quit coffee and were drinking Postum and learning of the great benefits they had derived, I concluded coffee must be the cause of my trouble, so I got some Postum and had it made strictly according to directions.

"I was astonished at the flavour and taste. It entirely took the place of coffee, and to my very great satisfaction I began to sleep peacefully and sweetly. My nerves improved, and I wish I could wean every man, woman and child from the unwholesome drug—ordinary coffee.

"People really do not appreciate or realize what a powerful drug it is and what terrible effect it has on the human system. If they did, hardly a pound of it would be sold. I would never think of going back to coffee again. I would almost as soon think of putting my hand in a fire after it had once been burned.

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

SYNOPSIS.

Carrington loved Kate Cavenaugh, daughter of Multi-Millionaire Henry Cavenaugh. The latter liked Carrington, but refused him as a son-in-law. Young Carrington, a lawyer, held evidence of criminal financial operations, of which Cavenaugh was guilty. It was Carrington's duty to prosecute the rich man, but he decided to lay the whole matter before Kate. He did so the next day. The young woman decided that to drop the case would be cowardly even though the accused was her father. Cavenaugh offered Carrington a position at $17,000 a year. He refused it. He hid his evidence in the Cavenaugh safe, after being introduced to the millionaire's father. The evidence was stolen that night. Kate's sister Norah confided that she had told her grandfather the combination to the safe. Carrington and Kate went riding.

CHAPTER III.—Continued.

"Not more than I," sadly.

"Nothing like, is there, girl?"

"I hate automobiles," she answered, irrelevantly.

The old, old sea quarreled murmurously at their feet, and the white gulls sailed hither and thither, sometimes breasting the rollers just as they were about to topple over into running creamy foam. The man and the girl seemed perfectly content to remain voiceless. There was no sound but the song of the sea; the girl dreamed, and the man wondered what her dream was. Presently he glanced at his watch. He stood up, brushing the sand from his clothes.

"Half an hour between us and breakfast, Kate. All aboard!"

The night before might have been only an idle dream.

So they took the road back. Only the sea and the gulls saw the tender kiss.

The pariah sauntered in at two o'clock that afternoon, just as the family were sitting down to luncheon. He was a revelation. There was nothing shabby about him now. He wore a new suit, spats, a new straw hat, and twirled a light bamboo. There was something jaunty and confident in his air, a bubbling in his eyes; altogether, he was in fine fettle about something. He cast aside his hat and cane with a flourish.

"Aha! just in time," he said. "Another chair, William."

The butler sent a dubious glance at his master; there was the usual curt nod and the frown. So grandpa sat down beside Norah, whose usual effervescence had strangely subsided; he pinched her cheek, and deliberated between the cold ham and chicken.

"A fine day! A beautiful day! A day of days!" he cried, surrendering to the appetitious lure of both meats.

Nobody replied to this outburst of exuberance; nobody had the power to. A strange calm settled over every one. This was altogether a new kind of grandpa. There was nothing timid or hesitant here, nothing meek and humble; neither was there that insufferable self-assurance and arrogance of a disagreeable man. Grandpa's attitude was simply that of an equal, of a man of the world, of one who is confident of the power he holds in reserve; that was all. But for all that, he was a sensation of some magnitude. Carrington was seized with a wild desire to laugh. The truth came to him like an illumination; but he wisely held his peace.

"There is something in the air today that renews youth in old age; eh, my son?" with a sly wink at Cavenaugh.

Cavenaugh's expression of wonder began to freeze and remained frozen to the end of the meal. So all the honors of conversation fell to grandpa, who seemed to relish this new privilege.

"Father," said Cavenaugh, holding back his accumulated wrath, "I want to see you in my study."

"Immediately, my son. I was just about to make that same request." Grandpa looked at Kate, then at Carrington. "I suppose you young persons will invite poor old grandpa to the wedding?"

"Father!" This was altogether too much for patrician blood. Cavenaugh's face reddened and his fists closed ominously. "You will do me the honor, father, not to meddle with my private affairs. Kate is my daughter, and she shall marry the man it pleases me to accept."

Carrington felt this cut dart over grandpa's shoulder. He stirred uneasily.

"Oh, if that's the way you look at it!" with a comical deprecatory shrug. Grandpa touched Carrington on the arm. "Young man, do you love this girl? No false modesty, now; the truth, and nothing but the truth. Do you love her?"

"With all my heart!" Carrington grandpa.

felt the impulse occult. Something whispered that his whole future depended upon his answer.

"And you, Kate?"

"I love him, grandpa," bravely.

"That's all I want to know," said Cavenaugh released one of his fists; it fell upon the table and rattled things generally.

"Am I in my own house?" he bawled.

"That depends," answered grandpa, suavely. "You've got to behave yourself. Now, then, let us repair to the secret chamber of finance. It is the day of settlement," grimly.

Mrs. Cavenaugh was gently weeping. The dread moment had come, come when she had been lulled into the belief that it would never come. Kate understood, and longed to go to her and comfort her; and she trembled for her father, who knew nothing of the pit that lay at his feet. Carrington dallied with his fork; he wished he were anywhere in the world but at the Cavenaugh table. The desire to laugh recurred to him but he realized that the inclination was only hysterical.

"Hand Them Over."

Cavenaugh was already heading for the study. He was in a fine rage. Grandpa was close on his heels. At the threshold he turned once more to Carrington.

"You know your 'Tempest,' young man, I'm sure," he said. "Well, this is the revolt of Caliban—Caliban uplifted, as it were."

The door closed behind them, and father and son faced each other.

"I'll trouble you for those papers you took from the safe last night," said the son, heavily.

"Ah, indeed!" said grandpa.

"At once; I have reached the limit of my patience."

"So have I," returned grandpa. "Perhaps you know what these papers are about?"

"I know nothing whatever, save that they belong to Mr. Carrington. Hand them over."

Grandpa helped himself to a cigar and sat down. He puffed two or three times, eyed the lighted end and sighed with satisfaction.

"If you but knew what they were about, these papers, you would pay a cool million for their possession. My word, it is a droll situation; reads like the fourth act in a play. If you have a duke picked out for Kate, forget him."

"She will never marry Carrington!" Cavenaugh's voice rose in spite of his effort to control it.

"My son, they will hear you," the pariah warned. He blew a cloud of smoke into the air and sniffed it. "You never offered me this particular brand," reproachfully.

"Enjoy it," snapped the other, "for it is the last you will ever smoke in any house of mine."

"You don't tell me!"

"Those papers, instantly!"

"'Be it known by these presents, et cetera, et cetera,'" said the old man. He rose suddenly, the banter leaving his lips and eyes, and his jaw setting hard. "You had better get your check book handy, my son, for when I'm through with you, you'll be only too glad to fill out a blank for fifty thousand. I consider myself quite moderate. This young Carrington is a mighty shrewd fellow; and I'd rather have him as a friend than an enemy. He has made out his case so strongly that it will cost you a pretty penny to escape with a whole skin."

"What are you talking about?"

"The case of the people versus Cavenaugh et al. It concerns the clever way in which you and your partners slid under the seven per cent. dividend due your investors; which caused a slump in the price of the shares, forcing thousands to sell their stock; which you bought back at a handsome profit. Moloch! The millions you have are not enough; you must have more. There are about twelve of you in all, not one of you worth less than three millions. What a beautiful chance for blackmail!"

Cavenaugh stepped back, and his legs, striking a chair, toppled him into it. His father had become Medusa's head!

"Aha! That jars you some," chuckled grandpa.

It took Cavenaugh some time to recover his voice, and when he did it was faint and unnatural.

"Is this true?" he gasped.

"It is so true that I'll trouble you for the check now."

"Come, father, this is no time for nonsense." Cavenaugh waved his hand impatiently. "Let me see the document."

"Hardly. But the moment you place the check in my hands I shall be pleased to do so. But there must be no reservation to have payment stopped."

"I will not give you a single penny!" The mere suggestion of giving up so large a sum without a struggle seemed preposterous. "Not a penny! And furthermore, I am through with you for good and all. Shift for yourself hereafter. Fifty thousand! You make me laugh!"

"I shall make you laugh, my son; but not on the humorous side." The old man reached out his hand and struck the bell.

"What do you want?" asked Cavenaugh, mystified.

"I want the author of the document. I propose to take the family skeleton out of the closet and dangle it up and down before the young man's eyes You will laugh, I dare say."

Cavenaugh fell back in his chair again. The door opened and William looked in.

"You rang, sir?" to Cavenaugh fils

"No, William," said Cavenaugh pere, affably, "I rang. Call Mr. Carrington." The butler disappeared. "It is my turn, Henry, and I have waited a long time, as you very well know. Ha! Sit down, Mr. Carrington, sit down."

Carrington, who had entered, obeyed readily.

"You left some papers in the dining room safe last night," began grandpa.

"I was about to ask you to return them," replied Carrington, with assumed pleasantry.

The two Cavenaughs looked at each other blankly. Finally grandpa laughed.

"I told you he was clever!"

"It is true, then," snarled the millionaire, "that you have been meddling with affairs that in no wise concern you. I warn you that your case in court will not have a leg to stand on."

"I prefer not to discuss the merits of the case," said Carrington, quietly.

"I have been your host, sir; you have eaten at my table." Cavenaugh, as he spoke, was not without a certain dignity.

"All of which, recognizing the present situation, I profoundly regret."

"Good!" said grandpa. "Henry, if you had been the general they give you credit for, you would have offered Mr. Carrington that seventeen thousand two or three years ago. There is nothing so menacing to dishonesty as the free lance. Now, listen to me for a space. We'll come to the documentary evidence all in good time. I spoke of Caliban uplifted," ironically. "For years I have been treated as a pariah, as a beast of burden, as a messenger boy, as a go-between to take tricks that might have soiled my son's delicate hands. Father and son, yes; but in name only. Blood is thicker than water only when riches and ambition are not touched in the quick. This dutiful son of mine could easily have elevated me along with himself; but he would not do so. He was afraid that people might learn something of my past which would greatly hinder his advancement. He prospered, he grew rich and arrogant; he put his heel on my neck, and I dared not revolt. You wouldn't believe it, would you, Mr. Carrington, that I was graduated with honors from Oxford university. I speak three tongues fluently, and have a smattering of a dozen others; am a doctor of philosophy, an Egyptologist. But I was indolent, and loved good times, and so, you see, it came about that I fell into evil ways. Formerly, I was a burglar by profession."

(TO BE CONCLUDED.)

Medical Fees in Old Times.

The remuneration of physicians originally consisted in presents, but at the time of Hippocrates payment in money was already customary. Physicians received also public praise, the "crown of honor," the freedom of the city, the privilege of eating at the king's table. Physicians employed by the state received a yearly salary, as high as $2,000 in some instances. Rich people would pay enormous sums for a successful treatment, and a case is recorded in which $200,000 was paid.—New York Medical Journal.

What It Reminded Him Of.

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"And what do you think of our great wax work exhibition?" asked a friend.

"Well," replied the general, "it struck me as being very like the ordinary English evening party."

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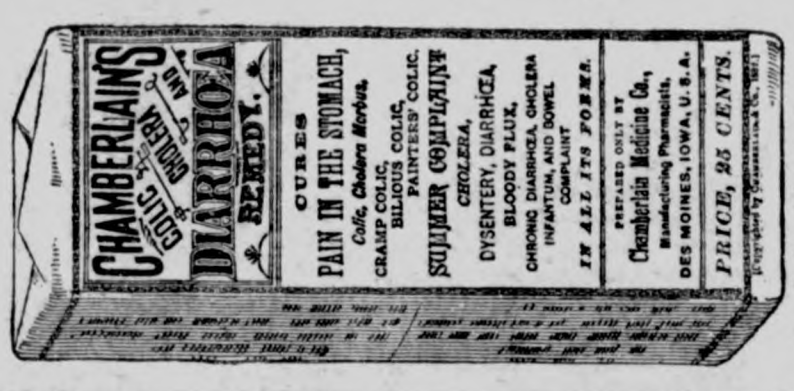

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the scene which takes place in the barnyard every morning, namely. which of the interests they represent can get its feet in the trough first and get the most of the swill. Thinking men who do not want office and seek only the public good will not soon forget this.

But this is not all. The exposures by western senators of the inherent rottenness of some of the schedules have shattered faith in the party leaders. No man hereafter will be justified in placing confidence in Aldrich, Payne. Cannon or McEnery even when they speak the truth and advocate righteousness. They have been convicted at the bar of public opinion of attempting to deceive the people. The people never trust a man who is convicted of deceiving them.

But this is not the worst of it. Men who up to this time have religiously believed in the principles of protection will begin to doubt, or whi e retaining hold of the principle will doubt its practibility. They will say: Protection was all right in the good old days when statesmen were decently honest and were satisfied with protection so long as competition was active. When protection becomes prohibition, as in the case of iron and steel, and where combination has stifled competition, they will say: These infant industries which we built up by paying higher prices for products for the time have so prospered that the children have taken their mother by the throat and are masters of the house. They now demand higher and higher tariffs; demand that the ultimate consumer at home shall pay higher prices in order that they may sell cheaper to the ultimate consumer abroad and thus keep their factories going.

No matter how firmly the ultimate consumer may be rooted and grounded in the faith of protection, that faith will be shaken when both political parties lie to him in their platforms, when he realizes that schedules are framed to deceive, that certain cliques of capitalists have combined to hold him up by demanding higher prices at home than they gladly accept abroad. The conviction will gradually creep over him that he has been fooled and deceived, and that designing men have trifled with his honest convictions and made him pay tribute. He will then begin to see that the senators who have demanded a reduction of the schedules are the true friends of the protective principle, and that only by supporting them will it be possible to prevent big, black trouble to the entire country and to restore and maintain industrial peace.

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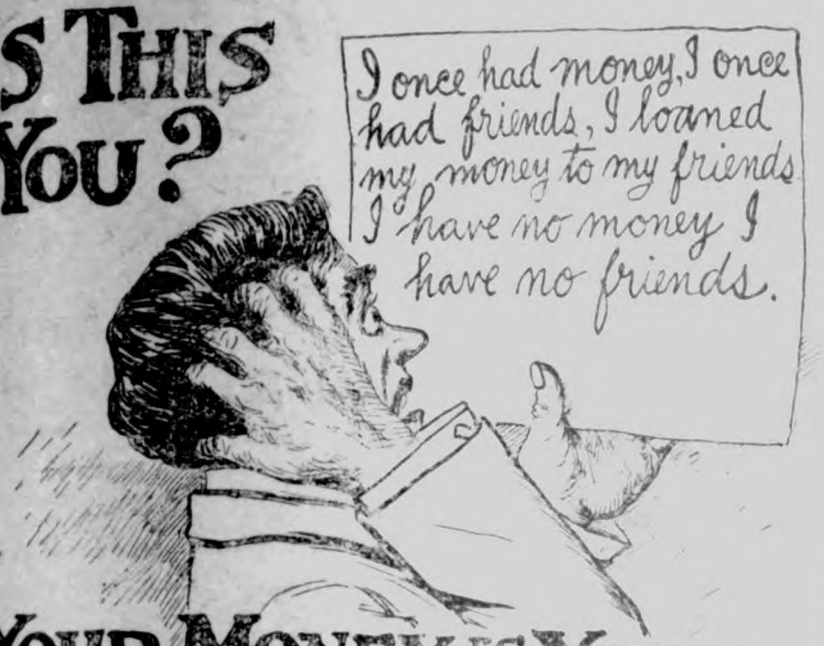

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Birds Not Afraid of Man.

Among southern African birds which manifest wonderful tameness is the Cape wagtail, which not only penetrates to the living room in search of flies, but will pick them from the old Boer's velschoons as he sits on his stoep, and perch about his chair.

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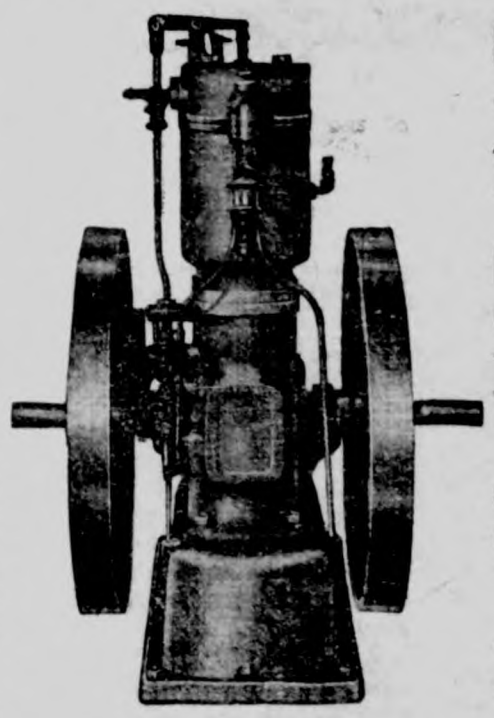

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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Secretary Nagel of the department of commerce and labor has returned to Washington to prepare for the next census so he can return to his summer home in Massachusetts next week. A considerable saving will be made, he has found, in the cost of taking the next census.

Edward H. Harriman, upon sailing for the United States from Cherbourg, said his health was improved and he would be glad to see the soil of America again.

GENERAL NEWS.

Twenty-five passengers, among them many women and children, and a crew of 15, had narrow escapes from death when the steamer Fred Swain burned to the water's edge on the Illinois river near Averyville.

When President Taft steps across the border into Mexico October 16 he will be the first of the nation's chief executives to visit a foreign country during his term of office. He will be invited to attend a bull fight.

In the second day's races on the Indianapolis speedway Strang broke the 100-mile speed record and Zengel set a new mark for ten miles.

W. D. Mahon, president of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes, arrived in Chicago to take up the fight for the union men, which threatens to result in a strike.

A report from Santiago, Chile, said many persons had been killed in a collision of trains near that city. No details were given.

Maj. George Tate, U. S. A., has again visited the Gettysburg battlefield to place a rose on the grave of his left leg which was shot off in that memorable battle between north and south.

Miss Virginia Paul, a Pennsylvania society girl, was drowned as she tried in vain to save the life of W. Brooke Lessig, a Philadelphia lawyer.

Daniel Hayes was killed and Misses Addie and Ola Porcher were injured near Brunswick, Ga., when a freight train struck a handcar on which they were riding.

After three years' work the commissioners on uniform laws throughout the United States, now meeting in Detroit, completed the draft of a proposed law to regulate the transfer of certificates of corporation stockzs.

The Porte will recognize King Ferdinand's title as King of the Bulgars.

Emperor William has authorized an outlay of $56,000,000 for the extension of Prussian state railroads.

Chile—Two trains were completely destroyed and many killed and injured in a collision 30 miles north of Santiago.

Through a memorandum signed at Mukden, August 19, by both governments, China agrees to assist Japan in construction of Antung-Mukden railroad, thus closing the recent rupture.

Orders have been issued to officers of the Great Northern steamship Minnesota, which is bringing to this country a party of Japanese business men, that the vessel shall make the trip to Seattle in record time.

Jean Gaston Darboux, secretary of the Academy of Sciences in Paris, will represent France at the Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York.

A general strike of cloakmakers has been ordered in New York city. Wages is the main question at issue.

Litigation, after a lapse of 25 years, has been resumed in New York over the Hamersley estate, amounting to about $5,000,000. Arthur Hamersley, aged 14, asks for an accounting.

More than 1,000 friends of William Grevel, for 25 years general manager of Fleischmann's Model bakery, famous for its bread line, attended his funeral in New York when he invited them to be present by means of a death notice printed in newspapers, which he had written before he died.

In holding Argyle Lett to the grand jury for the killing of Durwood Dentwood, the court at Henderson, Ky., decided that killing was sometimes justifiable, but that Lett had chosen the wrong time.

Otis Geary and his wife of Clear Lake, Ind., were instantly killed when a Lake Short train struck their buggy near Montgomery, Mich. Their three-year-old daughter had a wonderful escape from serious injury.

The opening of the Indianapolis automobile speedway was marred by the killing of William A. Bourque and Harry Holcomb, driver and mechanican of a Knox car, which crashed through a fence in the 250-mile race.

A bulletin issued by the United States census bureau shows that out of a church membership of nearly 33,000,000 in this country, males form considerably less than half the total.

It is estimated that the wealth of John D. Rockefeller, whose income now is $2,400 an hour, will reach the billion dollar mark when he is 80 years old, which is only ten years off.

With one of its pastors, two girls and two men reported missing within five weeks, the town of Williamsburg, Kan., is greatly wrought up.

William H. Wright, a former merchant of Neosho, Mo., who had been declared dead after his disappearance eight years ago, has returned to the hospital at Nevada, from which he escaped.

Abolition or curtailment of general delivery was the principal feature discussed in the first day's session by the National Association of Postmasters at Toledo, O.

Terre Haute, Ind., council committee will exonerate City Attorney F. S. Rawley at least from corrupt motives, for delay in the suit involving the traction company's franchise.

To test the automobile's value for fighting purposes Malcolm E. Parrott of the New York National Guard, started from New York to San Francisco, bearing dispatches from Maj. Gen. Wood to Gen. Weston.

The end of the gambling war between the state of Indiana and Tom Taggart and Lee Sinclair, owners of the resorts at French Lick and West Baden, occurred when $30,000 worth of gambling paraphernalia was burned by the authorities.

Gov. Comer of Alabama signed the bill providing submission of a constitutional prohibition amendment to a vote of the people within 90 days.

A uniform bill of lading is one of the demands made by the conference on uniform laws in session at Detroit Mich.

A tugboat of the Bayane River Company, bound from San Francisco for Panama, is long everdue and is believed to have been lost.

At Colon the first public playgrounds ever established on the isthmus of Panama are about to be opened.

Engineer William Bradley and Fireman Fred L. Graves were killed when the boiler of a west-bound Pere Marquette passenger train exploded near Grand Ledge, Mich., wrecking the train.

Postmasters to the number of 150, representing as many cities through out the country, are at the annual meeting of the National Association of Postmasters of the first-class, which opened in Toledo, O., to-day.

Half a pound of meat per day per person is the estimated average consumed by the 40,000 people in the isthmian canal zone.

The highest price paid for cotton in Montgomery, Ala., in 25 years was reached when the first new bale of the season was sold for 30 cents a pound.

Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture in his year book shows how, during his 12 years in office, the American farmer has increased the agricultural balance of trade from $234,000,000 to $411,000,000.

The court of inquiry decided that Lieut. Sutton of the United States marine corps shot and killed himself, either by accident or with suicidal intent.

The Greek flag over the fortress at Canea, Island of Crete, was shot down by marines from the warships of the four protecting powers, and the trouble which nearly led to war with Turkey was removed.

Ashley Deneen, son of the governor, is able to be about the executive mansion at Springfield, after a week's illness, which has caused his parents considerable concern.

After being on for four months, the "lid" in Wichita, Kan., has been pried loose and the town is again wide-open. But one restriction is placed on the dealers, and that is they must operate only on the second floors of buildings.

Following the shooting of an onlooker during a fight between strike sympathizers and imported workmen of the Pressed Steel Car Company, near Pittsburg, special precautions are being taken by the state constabulary to prevent a recurrence of trouble.

James Shaw Maxwell, senior magistrate of Glasgow, Scotland, who had made a trip over America, declares in an interview in New York that Canadian cities are ahead of those in this country. He finds them cleaner.

One man was shot and several injured by stones in a riot at the Pressed-Car Company's works at McKees Rocks, Pa. Strikers attempted to keep an alleged strike-breaker from entering the plant.

IOWA BUYS MUTUAL

Sale of Mutual Stock to Bell Company Causes Discussion.

MAY MERGE LOCAL SYSTEMS

Officers Say Subscribers Will Be Consulted in the Matter—Most Important Deal Recorded in Fifteen Years.

Des Moines, Aug. 23.—The Iowa Telephone company, by its vice president and general manager, George E. McFarland, announced the purchase of the Mutual Telephone company of Des Moines by securing possession of the majority of stock held by Charles and Clyde E. Brenton, bankers of Dallas Center, Ia.

The deal was later confirmed by the Brentons and other officers of the Mutual company, thus making it certain that one of the biggest and most important commercial transactions to the city of Des Moines, the state of Iowa and to the middle west has been consummated.

The deal was negotiated by Casper E. Yost of Omaha, president of the Nebraska Telephone company, who owns a controlling interest in the Iowa Telephone company.

The price paid for the controlling interest only was $600,000.

The value of all property owned by the Mutual company is $1,100,000.

The company is capitalized at $1,500,000. This was in 1896.

By the terms of the transfer the Iowa company takes possession of the following property: Three exchanges located in the city of Des Moines, one located at 1006-1008-1010 Grand avenue; one exchange at 812-814 Des Moines street and one exchange in Highland Park, 8,000 telephones and a modern cable system to supply these in Des Moines, fifteen rural stations with 9,000 telephones and the Boone County Telephone company and the triffic rights for connection with 250,000 telephones in the state of Iowa and traffic connections with every city in the middle west.

Has Its Own Way.

The deal also means that the Iowa Telephone company has secured the controlling interest in the hub of all independent telephone companies in the state of Iowa and has now the power to practically shut off all competition between the two concerns, which has always been very bitter.

Mutual Telephone company officers said the deal was one of the most important of its kind ever consummated in the United States, for not only the entire state of Iowa is affected, but the entire middle west.

INCUBATOR BABY IS STOLEN

Kansas Mother Lost Child and Says Real Mother Has No Right to Her.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 23.—Little Marion Bleakley, who was kidnaped at Topeka, was taken from her captors by officers here and two of the kidnapers were arrested.

The child was taken to police headquarters and will be returned to her home as soon as possible. Mrs. Edith Barclay and John Gentry were arrested at the Burlington railroad bridge.

The man, woman and child were passengers on a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy train, which they had boarded at Atchison, Kan. The train was stopped at the bridge in accordance with telegraphic orders sent from Atchison.

John Gentry, arrested in company with Mrs. Barclay and the stolen child, is an alleged gambler of Kansas City.

Mrs. Barclay was, until November, 1907, the legal foster mother of the child and entitled to its custody in the state, but what claim she can set up since the court decisions of the last two years remains to be settled.

Many Killed in Strike Rioting.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 23—One state trooper, one deputy sheriff and three foreigners were shot and killed in a wild riot at the Pressed Steel Car plant in Schoenville, whose employes are now on strike. At least a score of persons were wounded, ten seriously. The rioting followed a day of quiet and broke out without warning.

Dog Causes Blody Fight.

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 23.—Reese Huck, a prominent farmer, was shot to death and four others were probably fatally wounded in a feud fight growing out of a controversy over a dog at Huntersville, twelve miles from here.

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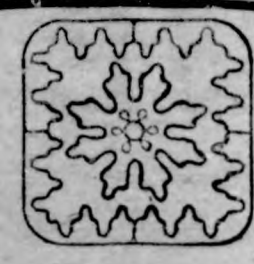

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GREAT PEACE-TIME MOVEMENT

Over 6,000 Soldiers of the Regular Army Now Moving Toward Des Moines.

Fort Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 23.—The greatest peace-time movement of troops the United States has ever experienced is now in progress. Over 6,000 soldiers of the Regular Army, including cavalry, infantry, artillery, mountain batteries, engineering corps, pontoon and spar bridge trains, a balloon corps with captives, dirigibles and heavier-than-air craft for navigating the air, wagon trains carrying tents and supplies for the army, field bakeries, a hospital corps and seven great military bands are moving upon Des Moines from the four points of the compass. The columns are moving from Fort Leavenworth, from a concentration camp in Missouri, from Sparta, Wis., and from Fort Mead in South Dakota and Fort Russell in Wyoming. All troops are going over land and all are scheduled to meet in the city of Des Moines not later than September 17. The movement is a part of the regular fall manouvers requiring all troops to indulge in long practice marches. At Des Moines the troops will go into a camp that will cover 135 acres of ground on and adjoining the state fair grounds and will rest until September 20. On the morning of September 20 all the troops will parade through the principal streets of the Capital City in full dress regalia with colors flying and bands playing and will be reviewed by President Taft. President Taft will reach Des Moines at 7 a. m. and will remain until 2 p. m. After the great parade the troops will repair to the state fair grounds, where President Taft will deliver a half hour address on the army and what it means to the country. Following his address the troops will give a tournament program of three hours duration in which all of the manouvers employed in warfare will be exemplified. This will be the first of six afternoon programs to be given each day of the week of September 20. Over $3600 in prizes have been provided for the winning troops and the citizens of Des Moines have raised $3600 for this purpose.

It is expected that the greatest crowd Iowa has ever witnessed will be assembled at the fair grounds to hear President Taft and witness the tournament program on the afternoon of Monday, September 20, and that the attendance upon the following days to witness this greatest gathering of American troops in time of peace, will rival the gatherings of state fair week.

40,919 R. F. D. ROUTES IN U. S.

Uncle Sam Has Had Requests to Establish Over 60,000 Routes—Turned Down Nearly 20,000.

Washington, D. C.—The government now has 40,919 rural routes in operation through the United States, served by 40,804 carriers. Of these routes 622 are on a tri-weekly basis, in many instances one carrier serving two routes. On September 1 the postoffice department will establish 147 new rural routes and on October 1 it will put into operation fifty-four more. This will leave 1,230 petitions unacted upon. Up to the present month the postoffice department has received 60,180 petitions for rural service, upon 17,163 of which adverse reports were made.

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AVIATION CARNIVAL BEGI

GREAT NUMBERS OF PEOP WITNESS FLIGHTS.

Aeronauts of Five Nations Are C testing for Handsome Prizes at Rheims, France.

Rheims, France, Aug. 23—T great carnival of aviation for wh aeronauts have been long prepari opened most auspiciously yester with an elimination race of t French entries to select the thr pilots to represent the Aero club France in the principal event of t week, the international cup of av tion. The nations taking part in carnival are France, America, A tria, England and Italy. Great nu bers of people, including many to ists from other countries, have ga ered here to witness the flights.

The entries for the various eve on the program include Lath (monoplane); Bleriot (monoplan Delagrange (biplane, with tail); P man (biplane); Sommer (biplan Santos-Dumont (monoplane); Co de Lambert, and Tissandier, pupils Wilbur Wright; Demarest (mo plane); Esnault-Pelterie (mo plane); Gobron (biplane, with t De Rue (biplane, with tail); Ruch net (biplane); Guffroy (monoplan and Glenn H. Curtiss (biplane). cial representative of the Aero club America.

It was hoped that the Wright bro ers would enter, but they declined is understood, on the ground that t objected to the clause in the r allowing machines to stop for rep or fuel during the running of races.

The grand prix de la Champa aggregating $20,000, will be awar to the pilot of the aeroplane wh has covered the greatest dista without a renewal of fuel or with coming in contact with the grou The prix de vitesse (speed test), a distance of 30 kilometers, will run on August 23 and 29, the pr totaling $4,000.

The prix de passengers, a prize $2,000, on August 23, will be awar to the pilot who has carried the gr est number of passengers a dista of 10 kilometers.

On Sunday, August 29, the prix l'altitude will be contested, the p of $2,000 to be accorded the avi attaining the greatest height.

Condemn Cows in Dairy.

Marshalltown.—In a test of eig five head of cows, comprising herd that furnishes milk to the Soldiers' home, in this city, ten the number were condemned by A. L. Wood of Hampton, and Dr J. Neiman of this city, assistant s veterinarians. Eight of the condem ed animals passed for food upon t slaughter under government ins tion, and one was so badly affe that it was declared fit only for t age.

SYNOPSIS.

Carrington loved Kate Cavenaugh, daughter of Multi-Millionaire Henry Cavenaugh. The latter liked Carrington, but refused him as a son-in-law. Young Carrington, a lawyer, held evidence of criminal financial operations, of which Cavenaugh was guilty. It was Carrington's duty to prosecute the rich man, but he decided to lay the whole matter before Kate. He did so the next day. The young woman decided that to drop the case would be cowardly even though the accused was her father. Cavenaugh offered Carrington a position at $17,000 a year. He refused it. He hid his evidence in the Cavenaugh safe, after being introduced to the millionaire's father. The evidence was stolen that night. Kate's sister Norah confided that she had told her grandfather the combination to the safe. Carrington and Kate went riding. Grandfather Cavenaugh reappeared. He called upon his son for $50,000 in return for the delivery of the evidence stolen from Carrington. The younger Cavenaugh refused his request. Then Carrington was called in to the conference and the grandfather began his life story.

CHAPTER III.—Continued.

He stopped, eying Carrington's stupefaction. The son gnawed his lips impotently.

"I was a master, after a fashion," resumed the old man, satisfied with his denouement. "I committed a dozen splendid burglaries. I never left a trail behind. The police sought for me, but did not know me either by name or by sight. This was the sword my son kept over my neck. The slightest rebellion, and he threatened to expose me. Oh, I know the boy well enough; he would have done it in those days. Once extradited to England, 30 years ago, no one would have connected our names. Yet he was afraid of me; he wasn't sure that at any time the old desire would spring up renewed. I robbed to gratify my craving for excitement rather than to fill my purse. I made an unhappy marriage; something Kate nor Norah shall do while I live. Henry was clever. He made me an allowance of two hundred a month. And how do you suppose he arranged the payment? On the first day of the month he placed the cash in a safe in the house and changed the combination. If I got the money without being caught it was mine; otherwise I went hungry. Ingenious idea, wasn't it? For I had all the excitement and none of the peril of a real burglary. Henry forgot yesterday that it was the first of the month."

The millionaire found it impossible to remain seated. He rose and paced the floor, his brows knit, his hands clenched. He was at bay. Carrington felt as if he were in the midst of some mad dream.

"Sometimes I succeeded in opening the safe; and sometimes, when luck went against me for two or three months, Norah tipped me the combination. She dared not do it too often. So the months went on. Once a month I was permitted to visit my grandchildren. My son grew richer and richer; for myself, I remained in the valley of humiliation. I had no chance. I had never met any of my son's friends; he took good care that I did not; so they were in total darkness as to my existence. But the ball and chain were knocked off last night. Your papers are, after all, only an incident. Caliban revolts. Mr. Carrington, my son! Oh, I am proud of him. I believed the genius for robbery was mine. I am a veritable tyro beside Henry. Half a dozen millions from the pockets of the poor at one fell swoop! Where's your Robin Hood and his ilk? But it isn't called robbery; it is called high finance."

He applied a match to his dead cigar and thoughtfully eyed his son.

"And there is a good joke on me, weaving in and out of all this. I regularly invested half my allowance in buying shares in my son's company, to insure my old age. It jarred me when I read the truth last night. I hate to be outwitted. Henry, sit down; you make me nervous."

"Well, what are you going to do?" asked the son. As he faced his father there was something lion-like in his expression.

"Sit down, my son, and I will tell you," answered the old man, quietly. He knew that his son was a fighter, and that to win he would have to strike quick and hard.

Cavenaugh flung himself into his chair. At that moment he did not know which he hated the most, his father or Carrington.

"First, you will write out that check for fifty thousand."

"Blackmail!"

"Nothing of the sort. For 20 years you have kept your heel on my neck. I could do nothing; opportunities came and I dared not grasp them; my genuine ability was allowed to rust. It is simply compensation. Blackmail? I think not. I could easily force a million from you. But I am and have been for years an honest man. And heaven knows how well I have paid for my early transgression," bitterly. "This hour is mine, and I propose to use it."

"What guaranty have I of your good faith?" fiercely.

"My word," calmly. "I have never yet broken it."

Carrington gazed longingly toward the door. It was horribly embarrassing. He began to realize that Kate's father would hate him bitterly, indeed, and that his own happiness looked very remote.

Cavenaugh turned to his desk, filled out the blank, and passed it to his father, who, with scarcely a glance at it, passed it back with a negative shake of the head.

"The official certifying stamp lies on your desk; use it."

There was no getting around this keen-eyed old man. He knew every point in the game.

"You will live to regret this," said Cavenaugh, his eyes sparkling with venom.

"And You Still Wish to Marry Me?" Asked the Girl.

"I have many things to regret; principally that fate made me a father." The old man passed the check over to Carrington. "You're a lawyer; does that look legal to you?"

Carrington signified that it did.

"Now, then, Henry, you will write down on official paper your resignation as president and director of the General Trust Company of America. You will give orders for the restitution of the millions that were fraudulently added to your capital. I am not the least interested in what manner the restitutions are made, so long as they are made. I am now representing the investors. As for your partners, it will be easy for you to impress them with the necessity of the action."

"And if I refuse?"

"Nothing less than the attorney general. I intend to make this business as complete as possible."

Cavenaugh turned again to his desk. He knew his father even as his father knew him. He wrote hurriedly, the pen sputtering angrily.

"What else?" with a cold fury.

Again the old man gave Carrington the paper.

"It is perfectly intelligible," he said. He began to feel a bit sorry for Cavenaugh, junior.

"Now, those papers," said Cavenaugh, sharply.

"I believe they belong to me," interposed Carrington.

Grandpa smiled. "It all depends."

"I could easily force you," suggestively.

Grandpa smiled again. "Of that I haven't the least doubt. Of course, what I have is only a copy?"

"It is the only copy in existence," replied Carrington, anxiously. And then a flush of shame mantled his cheeks. Where was his legal cunning?

"Ah!" The ejaculation came from Cavenaugh, junior.

"There is but one thing more," said grandpa, urbanely. "I am determined that Kate shall be happy. She shall marry Mr. Carrington before the snow flies. It is an excellent policy to keep valuable secrets in the family."

"Give your papers to the attorney general. I'll see you all hanged before I'll give my consent!" Cavenaugh roared out these words. His patience had truly reached the limit of endurance.

"Softly, softly!" murmured grandpa.

"I mean it!" con agitata.

"Ah, well; what will be, will be. Son, I came down here yesterday with altogether a different piece of business in mind. The documents I discovered last night changed these plans. You own rich oil lands in Texas; or, rather, you did own them before you sold out to the company. The land you sold was not, and never had been, legally yours; you owned not a single tuft of grass. Government land-grab, I believe they call it. It is not now a question of refunding money; it is a question of avoiding prison. The supreme court at Washington can not be purchased. It cost me five hundred, which I could ill afford, to get a copy of the original transfer. The real owner mistook me for you, son; that is how I learned. Your consent to this marriage; or, my word for it, I'll put you where you would have put me, had you dared. Quick! My patience is quite as tense as yours."

The collapse of Cavenaugh was total. He saw the futility of further struggle. Ah! and he had believed all these transgressions securely hidden and forgotten, that the fortress of his millions would protect him from all attack. Too late he realized that he had gone too far with his father. There was no mercy in the old man's eyes, and Cavenaugh knew in his heart that he deserved none.

"Very sensible," said the retired burglar. He folded the check and put it in his wallet, while his son covered his face with his hands. "Murder will out, even among the most pious. I know that what has passed between us will be forgotten by Mr. Carrington. For myself, I shall return to England. I have always had a horror of dying in this country. Like father, like son; the parable reads truly. It was in the blood, Mr. Carrington; it was in the blood. But Henry here went about it in a more genteel manner." He struck the bell. "William, send Miss Kate here.

Cavenaugh Turned to His Desk, Filled Out the Blank.

William bowed. He recognized the change; grandpa's voice was full of confident authority.

Kate entered the study shortly after. She had been weeping; her eyes were red. Seeing her father's bowed head, she sprang to his side like a lioness.

"What have they been doing to you, father?"

"Nothing but what is just," softly answered her parent. The little dukes and princes faded away as a dream fades.

"Grandpa—" she began.

"Child, it is all settled. The hatchet is buried in frozen ground. Your father consents to your marriage with Mr. Carrington. It has been a heated argument, but he has come around to my way of thinking. 'All's right with the world,' as Browning says. Bless you, my children, bless you!" with tender irony.

"And now, my papers," said Carrington, smiling up at the girl, reassuringly.

"And you still wish to marry me?" asked the girl, her face burning and her eyes moist.

"I'd marry you if your grandpa was Beelzebub himself!"

"Here's your papers, young man," said grandpa. He passed the envelope across the table.

"What's this?" cried Carrington.

"It means, my boy," said grandpa, "that blood is thicker than water, and that I really intended no harm to Henry. And then, besides, I like to win when all the odds are against me."

Carrington gently turned the envelope upside down. Nothing but burnt paper fluttered upon the table.

THE END.

Holiday Lavishness.

"Spending money is a thing that does not appeal to me much," remarked the man of simple tastes, "except just before a holiday. If there is anything I need in the way of what you might call a luxury, then is the time I get it, although on most other days of the year I think of the things my family needs always before I do my own. I'm always freer with tips on the eve of a holiday than at any other time, and on those days they never seem to me like a kind of blackmail, but I always give them liberally both as to amount and spirit. And the curious part of it is that when I look at the things I've bought under that influence I always have pangs of conscience, as I am now over a set of totally unnecessary mother-of-pearl waistcoat buttons and sleeve links that are the result of an ante-Thanksgiving present to myself."

A Good Inheritance.

No boy or girl can ever come to be utterly bad who remembers only love and tenderness and unselfishness and sweetness as associated with father and mother in the old-time home. Give them manly and womanly examples, give them training, give them the inspiration of devoted lives, give them these higher, deeper things. Do not care so much as to whether you are accumulating money, so that you can leave them a fortune. I really believe that the chances are against that's being a blessing for a boy. But leave them an accumulated fortune of memories and inspirations and examples and hopes, so that they are rich in brain and heart and soul and service. Then, if you happen to leave them the fortune besides, if they have all these, the fortune will be shorn of its possibilities of evil, and will become an instrument of the higher and nobler good.—Minot J. Savage.

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No Fear of Any Further Trouble.

David Price, Corydon, Ia., says: "I was in the last stage of kidney trouble—lame, weak, run down to a mere skeleton. My back was so bad I could hardly walk and the kidney secretions much disordered. A week after I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I could walk without a cane, and as I continued my health gradually returned. I was so grateful I made a public statement of my case, and now seven years have passed, I am still perfectly well."

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ONLY ONE HE EVER LOVED.

The Widower—Mary, do you know you are the only woman I ever loved?

The Widow—Oh, dear, George, you don't mean it?

The Widower—Yes, the rest were all girls!

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Wedding Fee in Installments.

Some of the 'squires in rustic New Jersey seem to be pretty hard pushed for cash. To get the cash they do not hesitate to use most unusual methods. One of these J. P.'s advertised the other day that he was ready and willing to marry couples at any time, day or night, for a consideration of $5 and that he was willing to accept $1 in cash down and the rest in weekly installments of $1 until the fee of $5 was paid up. The very night after the first appearance of this advertisement the J. P. referred to was called upon to "make good" his bluff. Shortly after midnight a couple which had come in an automobile awakened him from his sleep and asked to be married under the installment plan offered in the advertisement. And the J. P. was game and made good.

He Was Well Equipped.

A Methodist bishop was recently a guest at the home of a friend who had two charming daughters. One morning the bishop, accompanied by the two young ladies, went out in the hope of catching some trout. An old fisherman, out for the same purpose, wishing to appear friendly, called out:

"Ketchin' many, pard?"

The bishop, straightening himself to his full height, replied: "Brother, I am a fisher of men."

"You've got the right kind o' bait, all right," was the fisherman's rejoinder.—Success Magazine.

Important to Mothers.

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A Feminine Chronometer.

Knicker—How long does your wife plan to be away?

Bocker—Two trunks.

A man seldom has as big a bank balance as he wants acquaintances to believe he has.

The new RUSS BLUE makes clothes whiter than snow. Delights the laundress. All grocers sell it.

The world sprinkled $1,000,000 worth of pepper on its food in 1908.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

A man who is good only on the surface is no good.

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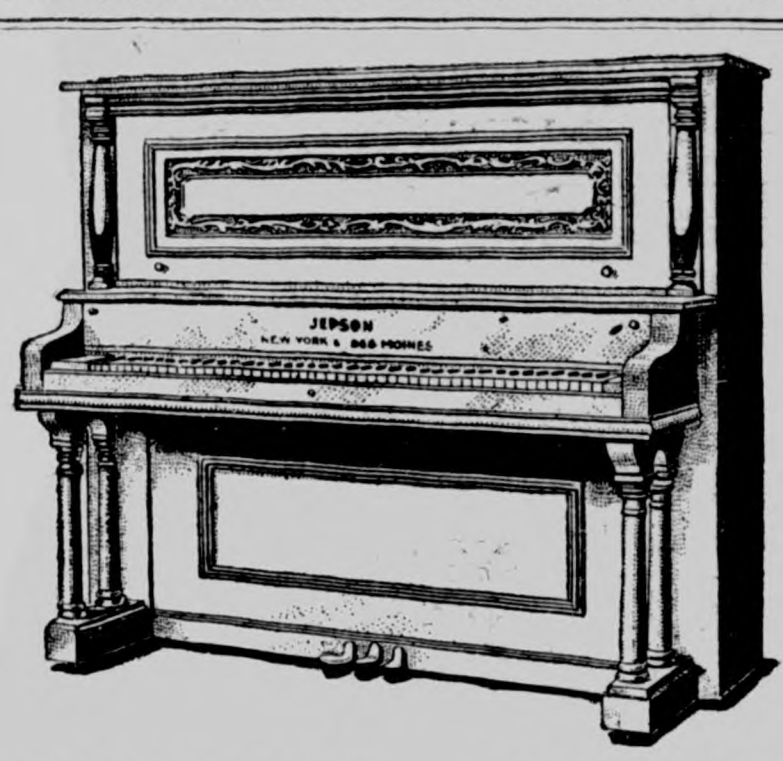

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German M. E. Church Items

PROGRAM

Of the 46th session of the Northwest German Conference to convene in Klemme, Iowa, Sept. 1-5, 1909:

Wednesday, Sept. 1

9:00 a. m.— Examinations of candidates for the ministry.

8:00 p. m.— Anniversary of Conference Claimants (old ministers.) Sermon by Rev. F. C. Steffler of Alden, Iowa, and an address by Dr, J. A. Multinger, of Chicago.

Thursday, Sept. 2

9:00 a. m.— Opening of the Conference. Communion service. Address by the Bishop. Conference business.

Afternoon— Committee meetings.

8:00 p. m.— Anniversary of home mission and church extension. Address by Dr. J. H. Fitzwater.

Friday, Sept. 3

9:00 a. m.— Conference business continued.

Afternoon—Committee work continued.

8:00 p. m.—Educational anniversary. Addresses by Dr. Fr. Schaub of Charles City and Rev. J. W. Feller of Dubuque.

Saturday, Sept. 4

9:00 a. m — Conference business continued.

Afternoon— Committee work continued.

3:30 p. m.—Sunday School anniversary. Address by Dr. O. S. Baketel of Chicago.

8:00 p. m.— Missionary Sermon by Rev. H. E. Hilmer of Crandon, S. D.

Sunday, Sept. 5

9.00 a. m.— Conference love feast.

10:30 a. m.—Sermon by Bishop Nuelsen.

2:30 p. m. — Ordination services

8:00 p. m.—Dr. Geo. B Smyth of San Francisco, Cal. will speak of Foreign Missions.

All the evening services and Sunday services will be held in a large tent which will be erected one block south of the city hall. We cordially invite all of our friends to attend any or all of the above meetings.

The addresses of Drs. Fitzwater, Baketel and Smyth will be in the English language.

All of our people being so very busy this week getting ready for conference, the "Standard Bearer Society" will postpone its meeting this week to some later date.

See that your subscription to the Times is kept paid up. We do not like to dun anyone for a dollar, but Uncle Sam says we must keep our list paid up. How about your account with this paper?

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¶A story that is interesting and entertaining from the first chapter to the last?

¶A story of an unselfish sister who is willing to sacrifice herself to save her brother?

¶A story of a designing "villian," but who is foiled in the end?

If so, then watch for the story which will soon be published in this paper entitled:

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New Dress Goods

All the new shades of

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We also have the new Satin finished Goods with "Jet buttons" for trimming.

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L. A. Fuller was up from Belmond Friday.

Eyes tested. Glasses fitted. Dr, W. F. Missman.

The finest line of candies in town at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

Don't overlook the new State Savings Bank ad on page 1.

J. F. W. Vrba, of Garner, was here on business last Friday.

J. W. Waterman is treating his residence to a new coat of paint.

Wm. F. Lau and family were down from Garner to spend Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Blank and Miss Aggie Blank were Garner visitors Saturday.

I am in need of cash and must ask those who owe me to pay up. Dr. Geo Zinn. 1w

Jack Henschen last week put in a cement crossing just north of the German M. E. church.

Mrs. Ruiter returned home last Saturday from a visit at Belmond, and since that time she has been quite sick.

The Eldora ball team defeated Garner last Saturday, score 5 to 4. Garner defeated Clear Lake Friday by a score of 4 to 3.

Mrs. W. E Sage and son Wilferd, who have been visiting here a few weeks with the Times family, left Tuesday evening for Iowa Falls to visit at the home of Mrs. Sage's sister.

A number of Klemme people are planning to take in the German Soldiers reunion at Woden on September 2nd. We hear that a special train will be run on the Rock Island for the occasion.

John Henschen and his efficient crew of helpers are putting in a cement crossing west from the German M. E. church corner. They have also laid a new cement walk along the front of Mrs.Schwichtenberg's property.

G. I. Schaper was a pleasant caller at this office Tuesday. He reports that his oats turned out fairly well this year and the quality is fine. His brother who lives in the southern part of the state writes him that the corn there is suffering badly for moisture. Hancock county is more fortunate than her neighbors further south,

H. C. Lau shipped a car of hogs yesterday.

Don't forget the Britt base ball tournament on August 25, 26 and 27.

Dr. Geo. Zinn is at Meservey today in consultation with Dr. Agler.

Esther Bloom was on the sick list a few days this week, but is now improving.

The highest market price paid for poultry. Bring it to us. H. Lau & Son. 3-2

Garner defeated Humboldt on the latter's grounds Monday by a score of 6 to 7.

Ice cream sodas, sundaes, and all kinds of cool refreshing drinks at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

John Griewe has a new acquisition in the shape of a ferocious, man-eating bull-dog.

M. I. Parker and C. A. Arnold accompanied by their sisters (?) automobiled to Belmond Tuesday.

The ladies will be especially interested in Arthur Wellemeyer's new ad this week. Be sure and read it.

Rev Hans Nissen and family left Tuesday for their home at Lehigh, after a two weeks' visit here with relatives.

New fall line of ladies' shoes received. I can show the latest and best approved styles at reasonable prices. Call and see my line. F. Gruetzmacher. 4tf

Harve Allen yesterday commenced the construction of a new cement walk along the front of Gruetzmacher Bros.' implement house.

We have received our fall line of millinery goods and will soon have something attractive to show you. Watch for announcement next week. Mrs Josten.

Bring in your Poultry this week Friday and Saturday, Aug. 27 and 28, and we will pay you 10½c for hens, 12½c for Springs, 8c for ducks, 5c for roosters and 5c for geese Ell Bros.

Ell Bros. sold their faithful old black dray team last week to Grundy Center parties who will use them on a dray line at that place. Ell Bros. are now driving a fine team of three-year olds.

Frank Allison, who is working on the Linden ranch, was the victim of a painful accident Wednesday evening of last week. While helping around the thrashing machine he got his left hand caught in the gearing of the stacker. One finger was so badly injured that amputation at the first joint was necessary, while another finger was badly mangled. The injured members are healing nicely.

Fred C. Griewe is at Mason City today on business.

Miss Gertrude Ely accompanied her sister, Miss Bessie, up from Belmond yesterday.

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

Mrs. G. A. Pabst and Mrs. W. R. Bloom and daughters, Esther and Gail, were Belmond visitors last Friday and Saturday.

L. A. Hientz is our new Rock Island agent, arriving here from Harris yesterday. J. H. Maher has gone to Clear Lake, S. D.

J. W. Morrison was here from Grundy Center last week buying horses. He purchased six head which he shipped out Sunday morning.

The Meservey Messenger has been sold by Joe A. Moore to H. H. Hallett, editor of the Thornton Enterprise, who will conduct both papers for a while at least.

Frank Kluckhohn and sister Lola went to Swea City yesterday. Frank will return this evening and Lola expects to stay for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. L. O. Turgason.

R. M. Day returned yesterday from his western trip. He took in the National G. A. R. Encampment at Salt Lake City and made an extensive trip through the state of Idaho.

It is said that an Iowa town has an ordinance providing a fine for the use of profane language inside the city limits. The fine is $3.00 for each profane word used. If we had such an ordinance in Klemme and it was properly enforced we could gravel our streets and put in cement crossings and pay for our water works system in a very short time and then have money to burn.

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"I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since it was first introduced to the public in 1872, and have never found one instance where a cure was not speedily effected by its use. I have been a commercial traveler for eighteen years, and never start out on a trip without this, my faithful friend." says H. S Nichols, of Oakland, Ind. For sale by G. A. Pabst & Co.

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Fifty cents per acre is the price at which the State of Colorado is selling land in the Little Snake River valley, Routt County, Colorado, which is open for entry under the Carey Land Act.

Purchasers of land must also contract for a water right, to be paid for in ten annual assessments, the total cost including a perpetual water right in the Little Snake river canal system, being thirty-five dollars per acre.

This is pronounced one of the most fertile valleys in Colorado, and record crops of all grains, grasses and roots are now being raised there. Both the Moffat Road and the Union Pacific are building into the district.

Persons desiring full information about the land and water should write to the Routt County Colonization Co., 1734 Welton St., Denver, Colorado. The land is sold in tracts of 40, 80, 120 and 160 acres.

Those desiring land will have to act quickly, as the applications being received indicate that the desirable land will be quickly disposed of. The canal plans, water supply, etc., are all investigated and approved by the State Engineer.

A Classic in Kentucky.

They have been telling this story down in the Blue Grass so long that the Louisville Courier-Journal says it is regarded as a classic:

"Majah," announced the colonel, "I'll bet I've sweat no less than 17 gallons!"

"Begging your pardon, kunnel," returned the major, desisting from a long libation, "gentlemen don't sweat; they perspire. Horses sweat."

"Well, then," returned the now irritated colonel, glaring at the calm and contented critic of his diction, "by gad, suh, I'm a hoss!"

People Becoming Interested.

Evidence of the popular interest in the anti-consumption crusade is given in a statement made by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, to the effect that during the year ending August 31, nearly 3,000,000 people have attended tuberculosis exhibitions in various parts of the country. Besides the three traveling tuberculosis exhibitions of the national association, there are 28 exhibits of this kind throughout the United States. Four years ago there were only three such displays in the entire country.

Trifle Too Esthetic.

"There's no use o' talkin'," said Farmer Corntossel, as he sat down on the horse trough. "I can't git along with some o' these here summer guests." "What's the trouble?" "I have jes' been lectured by that good lookin' young woman with glasses fur sp'ilin' the color scheme of the garden by puttin' paris green on the vegetables."

Latest from Atchison.

This is the latest story in Atchison: A young visiting man was declaring that the theory is all nonsense about kissing being dangerous on account of germs conveyed from one mouth to another. "I've kissed hundreds of girls," he declared, "and I'm not dead yet."

Promptly one of the listeners inquired: "But what about the girls?"—Kansas City Journal.

Mother-in-Law Again.

Husband—Why do you hate to see me come home smiling?

Wife—Because I know it means something has happened to poor mother.—Illustrated Bits.

THREE REASONS
Each with Two Legs and Ten Fingers.

A Boston woman who is a fond mother writes an amusing article about her experience feeding her boys.

Among other things she says: "Three chubby, rosy-cheeked boys, Rob, Jack and Dick, aged 6, 4 and 2 years respectively, are three of our reasons for using and recomending the food, Grape-Nuts, for these youngsters have been fed on Grape-Nuts since infancy, and often between meals when other children would have been given candy.

"I gave a package of Grape-Nuts to a neighbor whose 3 year old child was a weazened little thing, ill half the time. The little tot ate the Grape-Nuts and cream greedily and the mother continued the good work, and it was not long before a truly wonderful change manifested itself in the child's face and body. The results were remarkable, even for Grape-Nuts.

"Both husband and I use Grape-Nuts every day and keep strong and well and have three of the finest, healthiest boys you can find in a day's march."

Many mothers instead of destroying the children's stomachs with candy and cake give the youngsters a handful of Grape-Nuts when they are begging for something in the way of sweets. The result is soon shown in greatly increased health, strength and mental activity.

"There's a Reason."

Look in pkgs. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

M. E. CONFERENCE

Mason City to Be Scene of Big Methodist Meeting.

TO BE HELD TUESDAY, SEPT. 28

Bishop Berry Will Preside at Upper Iowa Conference—Contains 37,000 Members and 275 Regular Preachers.

Mason City, Ia., Aug. 23.—The Upper Iowa conference, one of the largest in western Methodism, will convene in this city Tuesday, September 28 with Bishop Berry presiding. The conference contains 37,000 members, 275 regular preachers and 329 churches. Lay delegates will also be present at this conference. The program in brief is as follows:

September 28—Examinations of undergraduates. Welcome addresses by Judge J. J. Clark and F. R. Currie. Response, Bishop Berry. Epworth league anniversary; addresses Drs. Randall and Lockwood.

September 29—Temperance day. Addresses by Bishop Berry, Rev. Hagerman of Des Moines, Dr. Hull of Waterloo, Home Mission and church extension anniversaries, address by Dr. Ward Platt of Philadelphia. Methodist brotherhood, address by Dr. Patterson of New York and Dr. N. M. Smith of Marshalltown.

September 30—Address, Bishop Berry, "A Minister of Sunshine and Sense." Business session. Woman's foreign missionary society anniversary, address by Miss Daisy Wood, missionary elect for India. Anniversary of Freedman's Aid, address by Rev. M. C. B. Mason of New York.

October 1—Address, Bishop Berry, "The Ministers' Chief Peril." Woman's Home Missionary society anniversary, address by Mrs. Mabel Qualm-Hilbish of Des Moines. Educational society anniversary, addresses by President Cooper and President Harlan. Sunday school institute conducted by Rev. Edgar Blake and Rev. S. R. Beatty of Marion.

October 2—Address, Bishop Berry, "That Mid-Week Meeting." Conference claimants anniversary, address by Rev. Hingely of Chicago. Laymen's anniversary meeting.

October 3—Conference love feast led by Rev. John Gammons. Sermon by Bishop Berry. Memorial addresses, followed by ordination services. Young People's rally, led by Rev. Sluffer of Osage. Anniversary of foreign missionary society, address by Dr. Stuntz of New York.

October 4—Address, Bishop Berry, "Unusual Forces of Evangelism." Business and reading of appointments.

Dairy Picnics Popular in Iowa.

Fertile.—This section of the country is thoroughly aroused over dairying. It has really shoved baseball tournaments and carnivals off the boards. Spontaneously several of the towns have advertised the dairymen's picnic and wherever they have been held they have been well patronized. Three were held the past week. At the Fertile celebration some of the leading men of the state were on for addresses and this was true also of Nora Springs and Plymouth. W. B. Barney, president of the dairy association; H. R. Wright, state food and dairy commissioner; Professor H. G. Van Pelt, state dairy expert; Sam Schilling of Chicago and S. B. Nichols appeared on all these programs. At Fertile the speaking was laid aside during the noon hour and all present enjoyed a barbecue of roast ox.

Gilman Man Buried Alive.

Marshalltown.—While engaged in making excavations for a sewer near Gilman, Ia., Thomas Barberry was buried under four tons of earth that caved in, filling the deep ditch in which he was working. Twenty men worked half an hour in rescuing the imprisoned man, who was taken out unconscious but still alive. All that saved Barberry was the formation of a pocket or air chamber about the man's head, giving him sufficient air to keep him alive until the work of rescue could be performed.

Companies Settle Claim.

Mason City.—A settlement was affected between representatives of the estate of the late Patrick Dunleavy, as plaintiff, and the Edison Light company and the Iowa Telephone company of Des Moines as defendants, whereby the two companies pay the sum of $5,700 for the life of Mr. Dunleavy.

Called to Fairfield Church.

Corning—Rev. A. G. Graves has accepted the call of the Congregational church at Fairfield to become their pastor and will commence his work the middle of September.

Big Telephone Changes.

Mason City.—A deal has just been closed whereby the Western Electric Telephone company of this city has purchased a controlling interest in the Algona Telephone system, which is valued at $25,000. The Algona sys- has exchanges at Algona, Whittemore and Bancroft. A complete reorganization of the officiary has been effected, with B. C. Way of this city at the head, and early next spring the plant at Algona will be rebuilt and new service installed. The officers elected were: President, B. C. Way, Mason City; vice president, L. J. Dickinson, Algona; secretary, D. J. Meighan, Mason City; treasurer, E. E. Conners, Algona. Directors, B. C. Way, T. A. Potter, D. J. Meighan, C. C. Summers, Mason City. E. L. Hall, Des Moines; J. L. Dickinson, B. H. Gardner, E. E. Conners and C. F. Lathrop, Algona.

Sunday School Workers to Meet.

Clear Lake.—The seventeenth annual conference of the Northwest District American Sunday School union will meet here on September 14 and will continue in session eight days. This district embraces the states of Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Minnesota, Iowa, South Dakota, North Dakota Nebraska and Montana. In this field are two hundred employed workers and these will all be present, beside a host of Sunday school enthusiasts. Superintendent G. P. Williams, D. D., of Chicago, will move his headquarters to this city. On the program will be addresses by Dr. E. P. Bancroft of New York, Dr. J. M. Andrews of Philadelphia, and Dr. Warren Carver of Boston, beside a number of lesser lights in the Sunday school work.

Remarkable Birthday Party.

Iowa City.—A birthday party of unusual type was celebrated here when Mrs. Catherine Wagner, one of Iowa City's early settlers, commemorated her 89th birthday. Aiding in the celebration were four pioneers, whose combined aged were nearly 300 years, who attended Mrs. Wagner's birthday party twenty-five years ago. They were Mrs. G. Sueppel, Mrs. A. Baschnagel, Mrs. Dora Louis and Mrs. T. Hohenschuh, all of Iowa City. Mrs. Wagner has lived here more than a half century, and is a woman of remarkable memory, despite her almost 90 years. She recalls the birth, and can give the exact age of every boy, girl, man and woman of her acquaintance, who has been born in Iowa City since she came here in the '50's.

Mail Carrier Quits at Age of 80.

Ames.—Charles Hamilton, who was recently appointed as mail carrier on rural route No. 1, out of this city, has assumed his duties. He was appointed to fill the place of Henry May, who resigned a couple of weeks ago at the age of eighty years. Colonel May was the first mail carrier in Story county to drive a rural route, and he was also the oldest in point of years. During his life he served the government in different capacities. He was United States consul to Gaboon, Africa, during the Lincoln administration.

Girl Saves Lives of Two.

Sioux City.—A young heroine whom all Sioux City is praising is 16-year-old Hazel Madden, an employe of a local department store. Seeing Fern Chester, aged 6, and Florence Delbridge, aged 7, wading to their certain death in the Missouri river, the Madden girl went to their aid alone. By the time she reached the little girls, they were up to their necks and rapidly sinking in a quicksand. It was all she could do to pull them out of the watery mire, but she accomplished the feat and rescued both the little girls unharmed.

Poor Wheat at Elliott.

Elliott.—During the past week or ten days of threshing the farmers have found out that the wheat crop was of a poor quality and very meager in quantity, some pieces only making 5 bushels to the acre and none over 18 or 20 bushels to the acre. The spring wheat was hardly worth cutting, but every one thought the winter wheat good, the oats are better in quantity and quality than last year.

Female Raffles at Work.

Des Moines—Money and jewelry valued at $300 was secured in two residences on West Seventh street by a female raffles, who is reported to have worked through the residence portion of the city. A number of other residences have been reported to the detective department as being entered, but no loss was discovered except in the two places.

New Cashier at Osceola.

Osceola.—Roy Armstrong of the Creston National bank has been elected cashier of the State bank of this place, which has over $200,000 deposits.

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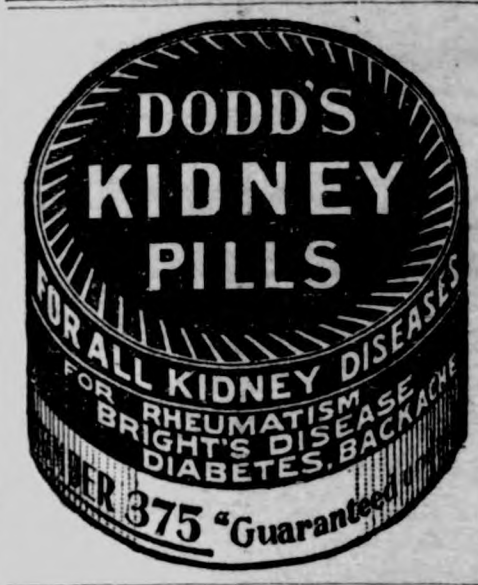

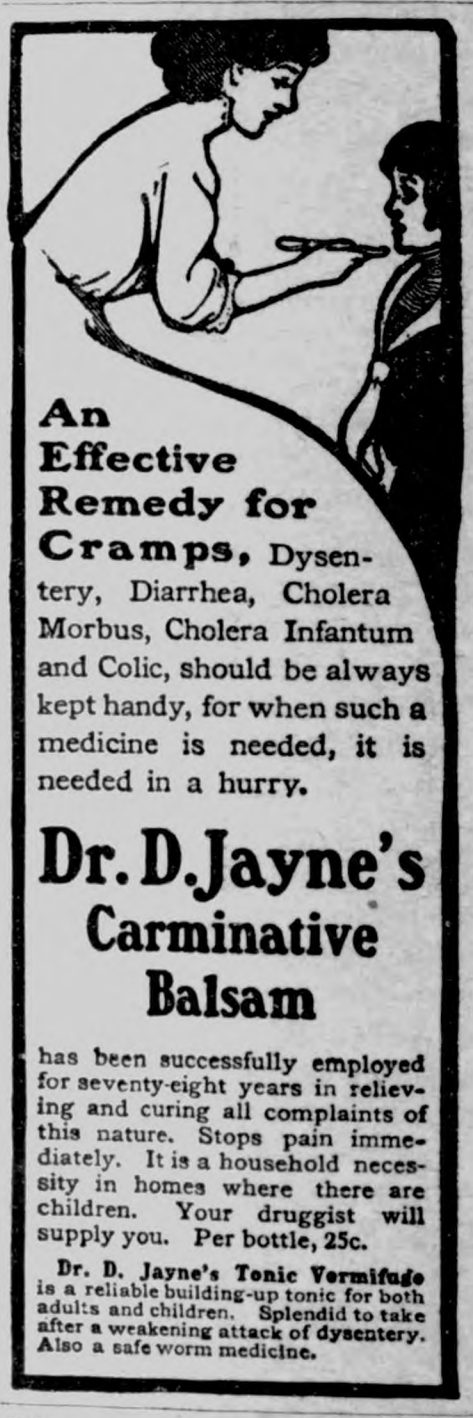

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vernment Seizes Government's Flour at Army Post.

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dike Milling Company Which Is Preparing to Test Secretary Wilson's Decision, Loses 310 Sacks in Raid.

Des Moines, Aug. 21.—It was the vernment against the government en Frank Nichols, deputy United tes marshal, went to Fort Des ines, where he seized 310 sacks of ur that are claimed to be adulter- d.

The deputy marched right past the rd at the big gate and straight to headquarters of Colonel West d informed the commanding officer t he had come to seize the car d of flour sent to the quartermas- 's department from the Updike lling company of Omaha. The col- el was very much surprised but de no resistance to the deputy and mediately turned over the goods. t is claimed by the federal officials t the flour is bleached with nitro- peroxide, which is in violation of national pure food law.

The seizure is the fourth that has en made upon the flour manufac- ed by the Omaha concern in the st two weeks.

mand for Maps Large.

Though there was agitation in the t legislature to abolish the pub- ing of the official railroad maps, demand this year has been al- st double previous years. Requests received in every mail at the of- of the state railroad commission one of the peculiar features is t many of the senators and rep- entatives who were inclined to op- e the printing of the maps now for them through the mails.

rd Decides It Can Raise Rates.

owa's board of railroad commis- ers has the right to raise railroad es as well as lower them, ac- ding to an opinion handed down the board. It is the first time this stion has ever been passed upon. the board points out that "it is portant rather as an abstract prop- ion than otherwise for the reason t modern conditions all tend to a ering of rates rather than raising m."

Band to Give Concerts.

he largest band ever heard in Des ines will entertain the visitors to national military tournament at fair grounds the week of Septem- 19. It is planned by the Com- rcial club to give two to four band ncerts on the downtown streets ing the day and to mass the sev- l bands in attendance and give a gnificent concert of ninety minutes h evening.

oman Asks Citizenship.

lizabeth Peterson has made ap- cation in district court to Natural- ion Clerk Ed. Mahan for her first izenship papers. She desires to ounce her allegiance to the crown- heads of Norway and become a zen of this country so as to secure e of Uncle Sam's free land. She the second woman to seek natur- ation since the new law of 1906.

tors Will Greet Taft.

he platform from which President t will speak in Des Moines at the te house will accommodate 400 ple. One hundred and fifty Iowa tors have been honored with in- tions to occupy seats there and termed "vice presidents of the eting." The address will be given er the military review on the rning of Sept. 20.

ator Cummins Has Protege.

enator Cummins has brought back m Washington with him a young pino, Caesar Carballas by name. young man is a student of one he technical schools in Washington waited on table at the Arlington el where Mr. and Mrs. Cummins ed in Washington. He later be- e their horseman and will have ilar duties here.

men's Clubs Win.

eorge S. Kessler, city landscape hitect of Kansas City, probably l be employed by the city to come Des Moines and lay out a plan for extensive system of boulevards drives, the improvement and tification of the river front and grouping of the public buildings.

ck for State Fair Arrives.

ive stock exhibits are arriving at state fair grounds. The first ex- t of cattle came from L. A. Mc- ig, an Illinois breeder.

Every Day a Special Day.

Every day will be a special day at the Iowa state fair this year. Secretary John C. Simpson has just finished making up the complete program for the entire eight days, and it has been so arranged that there will be something doing every minute. More special attractions have been provided for this year's fair than ever before, and they are of a higher class than usual, acording to Mr. Simpson.

Friday, Aug. 27—Opening day.
Saturday, Aug. 28—Children's day.
Monday, Aug. 30—Des Moines day.
Tuesday, Aug. 31—Soldier's day.
Wednesday, Sept. 1—State day.
Thursday, Sept. 2—Old Settler's day.
Friday, Sept. 3—Parade day.

Old Settlers Picnic.

At the picnic of the Early Settlers association at Union park in Des Moines, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. H. McHenry, president; George L. Dobson, first vice president; Mae McClellan, second vice president; W. B. Keffer, secretary, James H. Dean, treasurer, and J. M. Corey, chaplain. Isaac Brandt was reelected historian. Isaac Brandt then read the mortuary list for the year. There were 151 names on the list, more than in any other year in the history of the association.

Corn Growers Will Meet.

September 2 is the date set by the Iowa Corn Growers' association for the annual meeting. The session will be held in the evening in the college exhibits building at the state fair grounds. On the afternoon of the same day, Thursday of state fair week, the Short Course association will have its annual meeting. The two gatherings will be held in the assembly hall, which has been fitted out in the college exhibits building.

Will Elect Secretary Soon.

A meeting of the new state conservation commission will be held in Des Monies probably the first week in September. Prof. Thomas H. Macbride of Iowa City was in Des Moines and consulted with A. C. Miller, chairman of the board, in regard to the meeting date. No definite date was fixed for the session at which a secretary will be elected, and the organization of the commission completed.

Demands Cheaper Rooms.

The Commercial club has announced that it will refuse to list rooms for the state fair information bureaus which command a higher price than $1 a night for two persons. Secretary Botsford declares the average visitor from outside the state does not care to pay more than 50 cents for his night's lodging.

Hog Exhibit Is Smaller.

"The great Iowa hog" will not be so much in evidence at the state fair this year as last. R. Sherman Johnston, superintendent of the swine department, who was in Des Moines, announced that the entries total 150 pens less than last year. About 1,000 pens, or 2,500 hogs, have been entered.

Governor Names Appraisers.

Byron Madison of Rockwell City, Jonas P. Johnson of Gowrie and E. R. Wood of Jefferson have been named by Governor Carroll as appraisers for the land comprising the meandered Pond Grove lake in Calhoun county. The land will be sold by the state as soon as the appraisement is completed.

Prefers Marriage to Arrest.

Rather than be placed on trial on a serious criminal charge, John Lewis, a barber of Grimes, Iowa, secured a marriage license to wed Miss Josie Swallow of Waukee, aged 18. A warrant for the arrest of Lewis has been in the hands of Sheriff Ness for a week or more, but Lewis could not be located.

Grinnell Firm Bankrupt.

The Citizens National bank, the Grinnell Savings bank and the Merchants National bank, all of Grinnell, have filed an involuntary petition in bankruptcy in the federal court against the Grinnell Blanket and Pad company. The three banks have claims aggregating $6,000 against the company.

Y. M. C. A. Shows Wondrous Gain.

The Y. M. C. A. of Des Moines has increased its membership from 900 in May to 1,200 at the present time. This is the summer membership, but as nearly three-fourths of these take out memberships for the winter, it is considered a wonderful gain.

Mrs. Perigo Juvenile Home Matron.

Mrs. Jerome E. Perigo will control the destinies of the Polk county children who are to be placed in the new juvenile home. Her name was selected from a list of a half dozen applicants at a meeting of the county supervisors.

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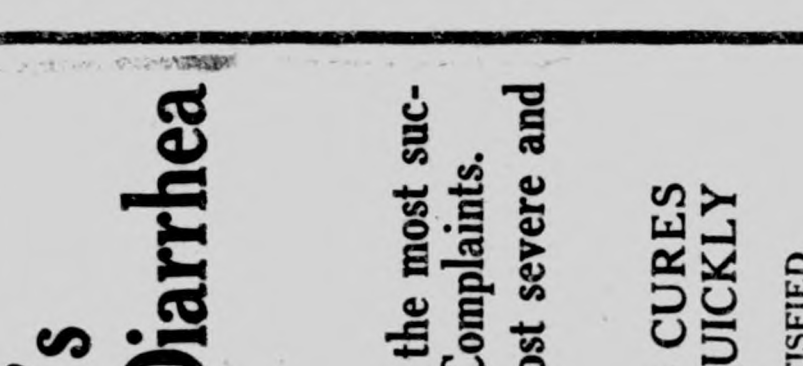

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ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Mr. and Mrs. Esk visited with Luke Wessels Sr. and family Sunday.

Hod Lawhorn and wife drove to Miller Sunday and spent the day with relatives.

Mrs. Haskir, of Klemme, visited at Dan Webner's Sr. Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Freie and daughter, Liddie, visited at Joe Lawhorn's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitkin of Garner, were here Monday.

(Too late for last week)

Will Gilbert of Garner visited at Joe Lawhorn's Sunday.

Miss Ruth Bonar came down from Forest City Saturday evening for a visit at Wm. Yohn's.

Joe Stoker and sister Ethel, of Forest City, were at Hod Lawhorn's over Sunday.

Gertie Wessel returned to her home Friday, after spending several weeks with relatives at Klemme.

Frank Schwartz of near Garner was a caller at Henry Josten's Sunday.

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People who were present smiled at the little passage of arms which took place between two young ladies at a luncheon recently. One of them, a bride, shaking hands in her characteristically cordial way, said to the other:

"I'm so glad to meet you! You have afforded me so very much amusement just lately."

"Amusement?" said the other.

"Oh, yes," went on the bride. "I've been through my husband's desk, and I've read all his old love letters. I found several very affectionate letters from you, and I enjoyed reading them, really, ever so much."

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So should one depart, who goes
Where no death can touch the Rose."

Thus sings the poet of the dying girl and flower.

It was not the flower that made the sick room of Grandma Gruetzmacher cheery and bright during her long illness, though boquets of flowers were always at her side; but it was the hope and assurance of eternal life in her soul, which made her so patient in dire suffering, and happy in the midst of pain. Her wasting body was a sight to move the strongest heart to pity. Slowly her life ebbed away, till she calmly passed away Monday afternoon.

Mary Holtz was born in Mecklenburg Schwerin, Germany, Dec. 12, 1831. At the age of twenty she was joined in marriage to Christof Gruetzmacher, with whom she enjoyed the pleasures and bore the burdens of life 46 years, till her husband died. To them were born eight children. A daughter died in infancy, a son at an early age, Rev. Fred preceeded her eleven years and Henry nearly six years.

About 56 years ago the family immigrated to America, settling near Columbus, Wis., where they resided 36 years, till they came to Hancock county, Iowa. Shortly after coming to this country, the deceased and her husband united with the Methodist Episcopal church. They soon became pillars in the local church in Wisconsin, and later in German township, this county. As their sons grew up they followed in the footsteps of their parents and their name has always been highly respected.

Mother Gruetzmacher was a devout Christian, a faithful member of the church, a good worker, and a kind neighbor and loving mother. It was the privilege of the writer of these lines to spend many precious moments at her bedside, during the last ten weeks of her life. Never did we hear her complain nor murmur. We found her always resigned and ready to go at the bidding of her Master. Only an hour before death came to bear her away did she give us the assurance that the Lord was near and all was well.

Funeral services were held yesterday forenoon at 10 o'clock at the German M. E. church, Rev. Wessel officiating, and the remains were tenderly laid to rest in the Klemme cemetery.

Relatives from out of town present at the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gruetzmacher, and Rev. and Mrs. Kaste, from Charles City; Mrs. Groh and son, Alfred Gruetzmacher, from Chicago. — (Written for the Times by Rev. G. H Wessel.

A majority of our business houses were closed yesterday forenoon during the hour of the funeral of the late Grandma Gruetzmacher.

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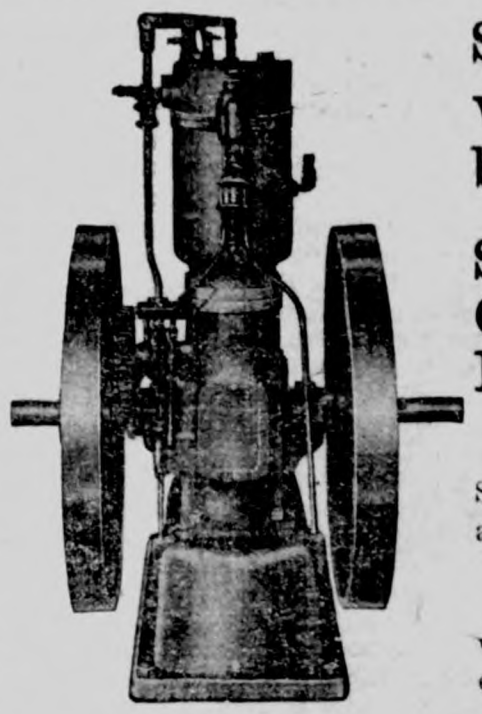

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The Forty-sixth Northwest Annual Conference of the German Methodist Episcopal Church is now in session in our little city and the attendance at all the meetings has been good. If the people of Klemme are on their extra good behavior this week, credit it to the fact that we have such a large number of the clergymen with us that their influence for good is contagious. We will endeavor to give this conference session a good write-up in our next issue.

For the benefit of our readers whom it might interest we republish the program for the remaining days of the conference:

Thursday, Sept. 2

Afternoon— Committee meetings.

8:00 p. m.— Anniversary of home mission and church extension. Address by Dr. J. H. Fitzwater.

Friday, Sept. 3

9:00 a. m.— Conference business continued.

Afternoon—Committee work continued.

8:00 p. m.—Educational anniversary. Addresses by Dr. Fr. Schaub of Charles City and Rev. J. W. Feller of Dubuque.

Saturday, Sept. 4

9:00 a. m — Conference business continued.

Afternoon— Committee work continued.

3:30 p. m.—Sunday School anniversary. Address by Dr. O. S. Baketel of Chicago.

8:00 p. m.— Missionary Sermon by Rev. H. E. Hilmer of Crandon, S. D.

Sunday, Sept. 5

9.00 a. m.— Conference love feast.

10:30 a. m.—Sermon by Bishop Nuelsen.

2:30 p. m. — Ordination services

8:00 p. m.—Dr. Geo. B Smyth of San Francisco, Cal. will speak of Foreign Missions.

All the evening services and Sunday services will be held in a large tent which will be erected one block south of the city hall. We cordially invite all of our friends to attend any or all of the above meetings.

The addresses of Drs. Fitzwater, Baketel and Smyth will be in the English language.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

PERSONAL.

Henry Farman, the English aviator, made a flight of 111.78 miles at Rheims, breaking all previous distance records and winning the Grand Prix de la Champagne.

Albert Newhouse, an inmate of the poor house at Bloomington, Ill., to whom an uncle at Indianapolis left $200,000, wants a wife to share the good fortune with him.

Frank X. Riedinger of Delafield, Wis., who was believed to have been one of the victims of Belle Gunness' death farm at Laporte, Ind., is alive at Fairfield, Neb.

Capt. J. T. Chase, civil war veteran, who invented a hoop skirt 40 years ago, is the inventor of an airship, for which he has obtained a patent.

Edward H. Harriman, upon sailing for the United States from Cherbourg, said his health was improved and he would be glad to see the soil of America again.

Ex-Gov. R. E. Glenn of North Carolina, addressing an audience at Chautauqua, N. Y., said he had seen sights in Chicago and New York so vile that should he describe them he would be attacked by his male hearers and that the wrath of the Aimighty was sure to strike those cities.

Rev. Father Edward M. Dunne was consecrated bishop of Peoria, Ill., in Chicago, Mgr. Falconio, the papal delegate, conducting the ceremony.

Col. Duncan B. Cooper, who with his son, Robin, was found guilty of killing former Senator Carmack in Tennessee, inherits $11,655 from the estate of his brother, former Justice William F. Cooper, who died in New York, leaving $285,000.

William Travers Jerome announced that he would be a candidate for reelection as district attorney of New York. He will run independently.

Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture, speaking before the food convention at Denver, said the time is coming when there will be no adulteration of food.

George B. Moulder, chief gardener of the Illinois Central railroad, was elected president of the American Association of Railroad Gardeners, which held its third annual convention in Philadelphia.

GENERAL NEWS.

Alarming reports were spread concerning the condition of Edward H. Harriman, one being that a surgical operation for cancer had been performed upon him.

Elvert W. Shirk, president of the First National bank of Tipton, Ind., the assistant cashier of which, Noah R. Marker, recently fled, leaving a large shortage, was arrested in Chicago, charged with misappropriating $25,000. He gave bond.

Coroner Blackwell of Indianapolis placed the responsibility for the death of William Bourque and Harry Holcomb, killed in one of the auto races, upon the motor speedway commission.

Dispatches from Melilla said 1,000 Moors and 350 Spaniards had been killed in three days' fighting near there.

The Minneapolis-St. Louis through express on the Rock Island railroad jumped the track while running at a high rate of speed near Burlington, Ia., but no one was hurt.

The body of William Wade, a negro, who had shot 29 citizens in a street battle at Monroe, La., was burned in sight of a crowd including women and children.

By the bursting of a cannon at the farmers' picnic and fair at Escanaba, Mich., Paul Paulson, 18, a private in the Escanaba naval reserves, was killed, and Fred Winchester, also a private, dangerously injured.

Since a boy several years ago stole two silver dollars from the United States treasury while being shown through the vaults, visitors without special permission have been denied access to the 89 by 51 feet treasury room, in which is stored $165,000,000 in coin.

The fiftieth anniversary of the first oil well in the world was celebrated at Titusville, Pa., where Col. Edwin W. Drake struck petroleum by drilling on August 28, 1859.

Fire, following an explosion in the Kelly canning factory at Waverly, Ia., caused the death of George McRoberts, fatal injury to Mrs. Walter Davis, Irene Lockley and George Miller and the maiming of a score of others, the loss being $100,000 and 3,000,000 cans of corn.

A man said to be Santo Grace, is now in jail at Johnstown, Pa., charged with being one of the quartet who in July, 1904, held up Patrick F. Campbell, a mine paymaster, and secured $3,500 after killing Charles Hays, the driver, and seriously wounding Campbell.

Twenty-five kegs of beer defied the anti-canteen law by floating into Fort Slocum, near New York, on an ocean wave. The beer was seized quickly by the thirsty soldiers. Fifty kegs had been carried overboard from a small steamer.

A death pact, entered into because Frank E. Williamson, aged 19, could not obtain work, will result in the death of the young man and his sweetheart, Florence Lillian Wood, in Brooklyn, N. Y. Williamson shot the girl and then himself.

Harry S. Bates, member of a San Francisco shipping firm, will test the law forbidding the chartering of a foreign vessel to carry a cargo between two American ports.

The Isthmian canal commission will receive bids September 16 for the French junk which has accumulated along the line of the canal. The amount is estimated at from 45,000 to 120,000 tons.

Charles W. Fairbanks, former vice-president of the United States, and Rear Admiral G. B. Harber were received by the prince regent of China in private audience within the Forbidden City.

The fourth warning of an impending hurricane given ships on the Gulf of Mexico within a month reveals the fact that in September and October of each year a number of devastating storms strike that section of the tropics.

The national insurance commissioners in convention at Colorado Springs, Col., decided not to interfere with fraternal insurance methods, but to allow the fraternals to work out their own salvation.

Pearls and diamond earrings valued at $1,500 were found by customs inspectors at New York concealed on the person of Miss Catherine McKee of Harrisburg, Pa. She was arrested on her arrival from Europe.

The government is to pay $200 a month for a farm of 160 acres near College Park, Md., to be used for an aerial experimental station.

The police of St. Louis denied the kidnapers of the two Viviano children had written a second letter to the parents demanding that negotiations be resumed. The Vivianos declare they have obtained no news of the children.

The quartermaster's department of the army at Washington decided that too great publicity had been given the plan to exhume the body of Lieut. James N. Sutton and has withdrawn its permission. The dead officer's mother desired to have consecrated the ground where he was buried.

Ann Odelia Diss de Bar, notorious spiritualist swindler, who operated in Chicago a few years ago under the name of Vera P. Ava, was discovered in New York under an assumed name as one of the teachers in the "school of the Mahatmas." She has disappeared.

Consular agents have been instructed to make collection of the commercial laws of all Central and South American republics. The laws will be printed in English and distributed in the United States to encourage trade with the Latin-American countries.

The harbor of San Francisco can be mined and the port rendered safe from invasion in 48 hours, according to Capt. Ferguson of the coast artillery who had charge of the practice laying of mines in the bay.

The centenary of Hannibal Hamlin's birth was celebrated in Paris Hill, Me., by many present and former residents of that state, the feature of the day's ceremonies being the unveiling of a bronze tablet on the house where the statesman was born.

The United Bohemian Turners began a four-days' tournament in Chicago.

A report from Buenos Ayres said 200 lives had been lost when steamships loaded with excursionists, mostly women and children, colided at the entrance of the harbor at Montevideo.

Homer Cassube of Logansport, Ind., committed suicide in New York after writing a letter accusing his wife, a nurse of Cleveland, O., of causing him to take his life.

M. Paulhan, a French aviator, in a thriling flight in a rainstorm at Rheims, France, lowered the record of Wilbur Wright for time in the air to 2 hours, 53 minutes and 24 seconds, which is 33 minutes better than the American's mark.

The fifth convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America opened in Louisville, Ky.

LABOR DAY, SEPT. 6

Governor Carroll Names Day In Honor of Toilers.

IOWA HAS REASON FOR HOMAGE

In Beautiful Words the Chief Executive Pays Tribute to State's Workers in Labor Day Proclamation.

Des Moines, Aug. 28.—Governor Carroll has issued his Labor day proclamation calling attention to the fact that Monday, Sept. 6, has been set aside in honor of the men who toil. The governor's proclamation follows:

"Recognizing with keen appreciation the great factor which honest labor has been in the moral as well as the industrial development of the state, the general assembly of Iowa did, in its Twenty-third session, set aside the first Monday of September of each recurring year as a holiday, to be known as Labor day and to be observed by the people of Iowa as a day dedicated to those who as wage earners have contributed much to the wealth of the state. The setting aside of this day was not by accident, it was through a recognition of the modern struggle which the industrial classes have waged for their own betterment, an appreciation of the fact that free government depends in a great measure upon the general well being of the wage earners of the commonwealth and a thankfulness over the rapid adjustment between the different interests in our industrial life.

As a state free from industrial disturbance, a commonwealth where labor and the employers of labor work hand in hand toward industrial betterment, Iowa has reason to pay homage to this great majority of our people who work for wages and for individual and civil progress.

"Therefore I, B. F. Carroll, governor of the state of Iowa, in consonance with the action of the general assembly do hereby call attention to the fact that Monday, Sept. 6, is Labor Day, and I earnestly recommend that the citizens of Iowa, not only those who are employed but those as well who employ labor, observe this day in recognition of the progress which is being made along industrial lines. Let it be complimentary to those who labor and those who are in so large a measure responsible for the progress of our commonwealth.

"I recmmend that in so far as possible factories, stores and institutions be closed, thereby giving all an opportunity to enjoy and participate in the exercises and the celebration of the day and that due consideration be given to the day, the significance of which is of such vital importance to both our nation and our commonwealth."

Expert Hired to Beautify City.

Charles Mulford Robinson of Rochester, N. Y., expert in the art of making cities beautiful, has been employed by the city council to investigate Des Moines' possibilities and make a comprehensive plan for future improvements in streets, drives, parks, cemeteries, public and private buildings.

Dr. Still is Vice President.

Dr. S. S. Still, in company with several other osteopathic physicians, have returned to Des Moines from Minneapolis, where they were in attendance at the annual convention of the National Osteopathic convention. Dr. Still was elected vice president of the National association.

Brigham to Act as Judge.

State Librarian Johnson Brigham has been invited to act as one of the judges of the poems submittted in a contest to be held at Fairfield. At an old settlers' reunion to be held there one of the special features will be the crowning of the poet laureate of Jefferson county.

Girls Present Tableaux.

At the Geneva conference of the Y. W. C. A. members from the Des Moines delegation who belong to the local "Twenty-four Hour Club" will present a special feature on association day in the form of tableaux representing midnight, dawn, noon and twilight.

Applications Received.

Applications for certificates under the new Optometry law are being received wholesale by Secretary Louis Thomas. Five years practice entitles the applicant to a certificate without examination, if the application is made before Sept. 26.

Report Filed.

The Cedar Rapids and Marion railway has filed its annual report with the State Railroad commission.

Would Impeach Dr. Brown.

Relatives of Miss Maude Stone, the Leon, Ia., girl for whose death Dr. J. W. Clifford is now serving a twelve-year sentence in the Iowa penitentiary, will make a final effort to prevent his parole by Governor Carroll. M. F. Springer, a brother-in-law of the dead girl, has filed in the governor's office a number of affidavits in an attempt to impeach Dr. A. Brown, upon whose testimony the pardon board recommended a parole for Dr. Clifford. Lawyers, bankers and merchants of Leon have made affidavits attacking Dr. Brown's character and his reputation for truth and veracity. Dr. Clifford was convicted on evidence tending to show that Miss Stone died from the effects of a criminal operation performed by him.

Plan Marshalltown Dam.

Plans for the new dam to be built across the Iowa river at Marshalltown for the purpose of improving the city water supply have been submitted to State Architect Liebbe and the board of control by Mayor Ingledue and the engineer who prepared them. The last legislature appropriated $4,000 to help pay for the dam which will cost $15,000. The back water will provide a place which the inmates of the state soldiers' home may use for boating, bathing and fishing. Water for the home is supplied by the city water works.

Carroll Appoints Delegates.

Governor B. F. Carroll appointed Joe Morgan of Dubuque, W. L. Roach of Muscatine and Harry Green of Decorah as the delegates from Iowa to the eighth annual convention of the Upper Mississippi River Improvement association to be held at Winona, Minn., October 6 and 7. The officers of the association invited Governor Carroll to be present and speak at the convention, but the governor will be compelled to decline the invitation.

Miller Named as Delegate.

A. C. Miller, has been named by the Greater Des Moines committee as a delegate to the meeting of the Upper Mississippi River association, which convenes in Winona, Minn., Oct. 6 and 7. Mr. Miller is the chairman of the state conservation board, and will also represent this organization at the convention. It is expected that the mayor and the governor will also name delegates.

24,111 In Des Moines Schools.

The school census just completed by J. C. Byram, school truant officer, shows 24,111 children in Des Moines between 5 and 21 years of age. There are 1,695 more girls than boys between the ages of 5 and 21, and 151 more girls than boys between the ages of 7 and 14 years. The total number of boys is 11,708, girls 12,403. There are 550 more people this year than last year.

Byers Demands Receiver.

Charging violation of the state laws controlling corporations, Attorney General H. W. Byers has started action in the district court to secure a receiver for the Pure Food Cider company, and to dissolve the corporation. The Pure Food Cider company was incorporated in May of this year with a capital stock of $20,000, and has been operating in Des Moines.

Farmer and Merchant Bankrupt.

David C. Donnan, a Montezuma farmer, filed petition in bankruptcy with Commissioner McArthur. Mr. Donnan has debts to the amount of $3,640, while his assets are zero.

Reuben Mushkin, merchant at Marshalltown, also asks to be dismissed of his debts. Mushkin's liabilities are $1,345, and he, too, has nothing on the credit side of the ledger.

Wife to Accompany Gen. Grant.

Secretary Simpson of the statte department of agriculture has been advised that Gen. Frederick Dent Grant will be accompanied by his wife when he attends the Iowa state fair on soldiers' day. Gen. Grant will also remain over for the following day which will be Iowa Day when all the state officials will be present.

Bennett Elected Colonel.

E. R. Bennett of Des Moines will be colonel of the Fifty-fifth Iowa regiment as soon as a commission can be issued to him. Adjutant General Logan has counted the votes cast in the election to choose a successor to Gen. James Rush Lincoln and found that Lieutenant Colonel Bennett had a big majority.

Use Much Flour and Butter.

Bids for 12,150 barrels of flour, for the institutions of the state, were advertised for by the board of control. They also advertised for 290,700 pounds of butter.

Body to Colfax.

The body of George Hanning, the East Des Moines barber who shot and killed himself, was taken to Colfax for burial in the Hanning family lot.

LAND SUITS KNOCKED OU

RELATION OF UNITED STATES FIVE TRIBES REVIEWED.

Demurrers in Eastern Oklahoma T Cases Started by United States Are Sustained.

Muskogee, Okla.—Judge Ra Campbell has sustained the dem rers in the suits brought by the Uni States to set aside various deeds leases made by citizen allottees the five civilized tribes in eastern lahoma, and thus settled a legal troversy that had been the cause considerable concern in that part the state.

The court reviewed the relation the United States to the five tri since they became a nation, and fo that no vestige of title to the la allotted them now remains in United States. The demurrers volved the question of the citizens of these Indians and the court clared them to be citizens of United States with all the rig privileges and immunities of citi ship. It is held that the Un States cannot maintain these suits the principle that it sustains to individual Indian a trust relat such guardianship being incompat with citizenship, national and st

Finally the bills were held bad cause numerous defendants are jo in each bill who were connected many distinct transactions regar as many distinct tracts of land.

SEMI - CDNTENARY OF

Golden Anniversary of Drilling First Well in World Celebrated at Titusville.

Titusville, Pa., Aug. 28—Fifty y ago today petroleum was struck the first oil well ever drilled. momentous event took place on is now known as the Emory farm, south of Titusville, and today city is celebrating the golden versary in fitting style. The prog includes band concerts, speech ing, and all manner of amuseme and the fete will wind up this ing in a blaze of glory.

It was Col. Edwin W. Drake drilled that first oil well. He a pipe down to bed rock at a dep 36 feet, and from that point drilling began. At one time Drake's money gave out, and h not been for R. D. Fletcher of city the discovery of the art method of obtaining oil would been delayed several years. Fletcher came to the assistanc Col. Drake, and on August 28 drill tapped a vein of oil which 69½ feet below the surface of earth and produced 40 barrels a

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Iowa Falls, Ia.—On the sixteen September the members of the b of supervisors of the counties Franklin, Wright, Hamilton and din will meet in this city to go a big drainage proposition. I joint drainage board decides t tablish the ditch and district, o the biggest drainage roposition this part of the state will be st It is estimated the big ditch w twenty-seven miles long, of whic en or eight miles will be in this ty. Nearly a million yards of will have to be moved, and at timate of 7 cents a yard, this an expenditure of $70,000. It ured that the ditch will drain acres of land lying in the above ties. About a mile of the d is in Franklin county.

GREAT NATIONAL TOURNA

To Be Held at the Fair Grounds Moines Is Attracting More Than National Attention.

Des Moines, Aug. 30.—The gre tional Tournament of the States Army to be held on th grounds at Des Moines, Septem to 25, and which is to be open Monday by President Taft, is a ing more than national attentio military attaches of the R French, Austrian, Italian and R legations at Washington and cial detail of five officers fro Royal Canadian army will atte tournament to witness the m ers and report upon the mobi United States troops to the arm their respective countries.

Great Fair is Open.

Des Moines, Aug. 27—With prospect of surpassing all pr expositions, the Iowa State fa formally opened this morning. ar program exercises start Sa

LIPS THAT WERE SEALED

BY ALMA MARTIN ESTABROOK

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AUTHOR of "MY COUSIN PATRICIA"

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CHAPTER I.

Across the brilliant parquette, from the bishop's box, Miss Winstanley openly beckoned me with her little white black-dotted fan. Henrietta Winstanley is the bishop's sister, a lady more like her own fan than anything I can think of at the moment to compare her with; a small fluttering thing, constantly in motion, creating a pleasant stir wherever she happens to be, smelling deliciously of orris root or lavender, her black eyes sparkling like the iridescents on the fan.

There were beside her in the box the bishop, Barbara Hemingray, her brother Dan—the most popular young rascal in town—Ankony, acting president of the Central Savings Company, and, for the rest, a part of the Forlorn Hope, as Miss Winstanley calls the ardent band of Barbara's followers, whom she has always stoutly declared Barbara would have none of. I wish I had been as sure of it.

The bishop looked the bishop, or he would probably have been Dr. Winstanley, as his father had been before him, or Winstanley, attorney-at-law, following the way his maternal uncles had taken, or merely Winstanley, dealer in loans and real estate, as he once told me his predilection undeniably tended. But he looked the bishop, and his sister, who was much older than he, vowed that he should become what nature so evidently intended. No one ever understood clearly just how she contrived it, but that she had triumphantly arrived with him none could contradict. Indeed, whatever Miss Henrietta Winstanley undertakes she is pretty certain to accomplish.

She had declared to me often, and with warmth, that if she could help it Ankony should not marry Barbara Hemingray, as he very evidently proposed to do, if possible. Therefore I was not surprised at the summons which beckoned me as her aide-de-camp, for Ankony had been making the most unmistakable love to Barbara ever since the curtain had gone up and that part of the Forlorn Hope represented in the box had yielded itself to what was going on over the footlights.

"There's ingratitude for you," whispered she, as I bent over her.

"It looks more like devotion," I remarked dryly.

"I launched that man socially. He had been very nice about my charities, and one must make some return, you know; besides, he isn't altogether a bad sort. But he must not think he can marry Barbara Hemingray."

"Does he?"

She made a comprehensive gesture. "You can see for yourself. Such audaciousness I never knew! He seems to forget the gulf between them."

"The gulf of blood, eh?" said I.

"Exactly. What is there harder to get around? . . . I don't mind a self-made man—in the third generation; but Ankony is in the first, and proud of it. And he imagines that because Dan is in his employ he can force his attention on Barbara when and as he likes."

"Isn't it possible that he may not meet with quite the discouragement you think?" I suggested, with a smile that was mere braggadocio.

"Nonsense! You don't believe any such thing as that. Do you suppose for a minute that Barbara would receive him—or his impossible sister-in-law either, for the matter of that—if she didn't feel that she had to?" She sighed and hurried on: "One has to do so many awkward and unpleasant things when one is poor, and they are so poor. Do you know it's a fact that they have to depend entirely nowadays on Dan's salary? And so, you see, quite naturally, they must be decent to Mr. Ankony."

"How they manage to get on I don't know," I obsedved gravely.

Miss Winstanley shook her brisk little head. "No more do I. Dan isn't economical, you know—how can we expect him to be, with his bringing up? It's such a pity their father should have made that last unfortunate investment just before he died. It must be frightfully hard on them both; but the brunt of it falls on Barbara, as is natural, perhaps. You've noticed, haven't you, that when a man and woman practice economy together it's always the woman who, somehow, seems to get in the most exercise? I'm sure Dan is as considerate and careful as he knows how to be, but he is so generous, you know."

"Perhaps he's a bit too generous."

She nodded. "That's it, precisely. Now, those are his flowers that the poor little neglected Pratt girl is carrying to-night. It was sweet of him to send them, of course, but he couldn't afford to do it. It's done the girl no end of good I've no doubt, but Barbara, why"—she leaned closer to my ear—"I don't know that I ought to tell you, but I think I will: that is a made-over gown she has on this minute—twice made-over, if you want the truth."

"It's the prettiest gown in the house!" I exclaimed boldly.

"Only because it's on the prettiest girl," smiled she.

"But they say she isn't pretty, you know."

"Who says it? The envious? Of course; they always say such things. I admit she isn't a classic beauty, if that's what you mean."

"Thank heaven for it!" I fervently ejaculated.

Miss Winstanley twinkled as only Miss Winstanley can.

"I'll tell you what she is, Mr. Twining," she said, with warmth. "She is a genius, if she isn't a downright beauty; she is a genius for simplicity, and I don't know but that's better than being a radiant beauty. There is nothing so charming to my mind as simplicity. Look at her clothes, her hair, her manner, her style! All simple, irresistibly simple. And it isn't an assumed simplicity; it's inbred and genuine and delightful."

I captured the hand that swayed the little white fan and arrested it long enough to press its slender fingers.

"I don't blame you for loving her," she said, in a soft little voice; "I'd love her, too, if I were a man."

"You are putting it rather strong, aren't you?" I suggested.

"About you caring for her? Well, how do you put it?" and she turned to me with a smile.

"Frankly," I admitted, "I haven't as yet put it at all."

"What! You know what delays are."

"They are sometimes necessary and expedient," I pleaded.

"Necessary, perhaps, but never expedient. I don't believe in them."

"Then I must certainly endeavor to follow a course more in keeping with your ideas."

"Tell me why you men always have to be reminded of your p's and q's?" she demanded impatiently. "A woman looks after her own."

And, being reminded of her, she turned to the bishop, whose glasses had been leveled for a full minute on the box of Mrs. Jack Ankony opposite. Mrs. Ankony is Ankony's brother's wife, a pretty young woman, with all the ambitions that her family should have had and hadn't; so that her way is rather a difficult one to make, since the Ankonys are just taking their first society steps.

As I glanced toward Mrs. Ankony's box, I heard the bishop's sister begin to speak to the bishop of a widow of charitable inclinations and large means whom rumor says she is anxious he shall marry. I could see that she believed firmly in plentiful reminders.

I turned to Barbara at the moment, and Barbara to me. There was, I thought, a glimmer of something like relief in her eyes. I know her eyes very well indeed, and I am not usually mistaken in what they convey. I moved my chair close, as if I meant to stay. The fluffy sleeve of her gown touched my coat. It was a white gown, and Barbara is adorable in white—or, to speak more accurately, if that delightful state has its degrees of comparison, she is superlatively adorable in it.

"Do you care for the prima donna, Mr. Twining?" she asked.

"The prima donna?" I repeated vaguely.

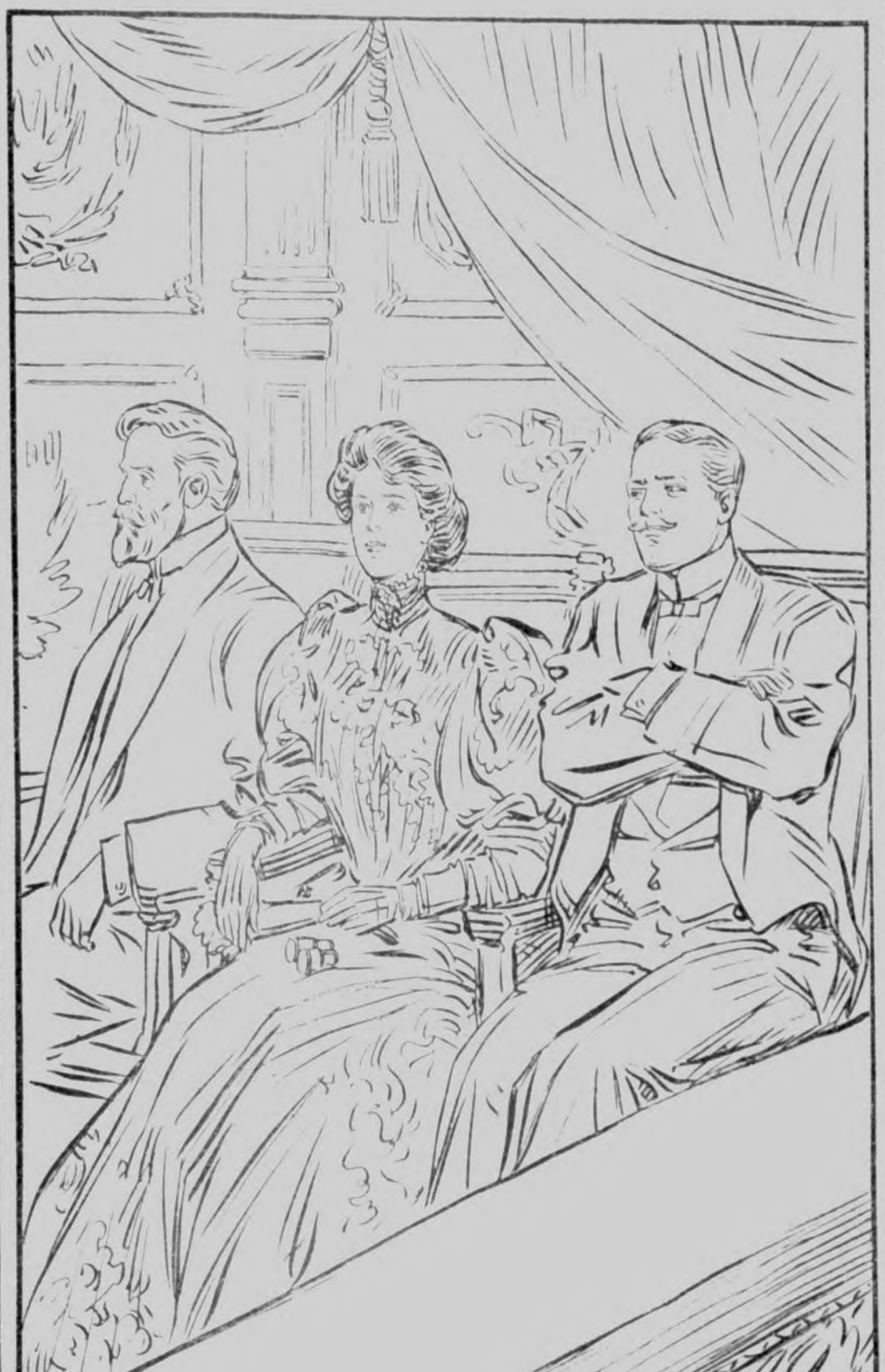
"There is one, you know," she said with one of her laughs that I am particularly fond of.

"I must admit to not having observed, but now that you have called my attention to her I shall certainly take note of her."

"Do," she counseled; "it isn't nice to appear so distraught."

"I am distracted," I confessed in her ear.

The ear and the cheek next to me grew very rosy. Barbara sat up with great dignity and looked out over the parquette, as if it had been neglected, like the prima donna.



Ankony, I Felt, Could Have Cheerfully Run Me Through.

Ankony, I felt, could cheerfully have run me through, but I looked at Miss Winstanley and took courage.

"Do you see Dan?" said Barbara presently. "He has been devoting himself to those overlooked Crump girls, and now he is smiling on Anne Bowers."

"His ability to make himself go round is touching. It ought to be appreciated."

"I'm sure it is. It's awfully nice of him, really," she insisted.

"Of course it is. I have often wished I might follow in his footsteps, but I never seem to come to the place where I'm ready to try. Do you, Ankony?"

"No; I've no fancy for indiscriminate love-making," he answered, rather nastily.

"Dear me, it isn't love-making at all," cried Miss Winstanley, whirling about at the first sound of an attack upon her favorite. "It's just his tender-heartedness. He can't see any one neglected. Why, I saw him driving with Rose Terrell the other day; I don't suppose anybody has taken her to drive in years. She looked radiant, poor thing!"

"Dan is a sort of social philanthropist," I suggested.

"It requires more money than the most of us have to be any sort of a philanthropist," Ankony muttered, in an aside that I alone caught. Or I thought I was the only one to catch it until I saw the way Barbara's cheeks were tingling and her eyes sparkling and then I knew that she had heard and that he would pay well for his remark.

At the moment Bishop Winstanley addressed his sister, and she turned from us, while Ankony leaned over to ask me if I had met his sister-in-law's guest, Miss Streeter.

"That's coming," said I amiably, not disposed to take myself off at the covert suggestion. "Pretty girl, isn't she?" and I looked to where the bishop's glasses had pointed. "Rather after the Madonna order, don't you think?"

"I don't know anything about 'em," Ankony replied.

Barbara tilted her head thoughtfully. "Sistine, isn't it?" she observed.

"Undoubtedly," I agreed.

"You'd like her," Ankony said. "I'm sure Edith"—Edith was Mrs. Jack—"would like to have you drop in on them to-night."

"I will—later," I said.

Miss Winstanley must have heard, for at the exact instant she reached back of her and squeezed my arm.

I stayed till the last act. I couldn't decently stay longer; besides, I knew Ankony well enough to be sure he would have it out with Barbara in spite of me. He had routed the Forlorn Hope by this time and had the field clear except for the watchful Miss Winstanley. But I remembered the flashing of Barbara's eyes and left them together cheerfully enough.

As I went out of the theater I brushed shoulders with Henrietta Winstanley, tripping along at her brother's side and keeping an eye out for me, as mine was trained for her.

"He proposed to her the minute you were gone," she whispered excitedly, "right under our noses! Think of it! But oh, you should have heard her refuse him!"

"I should have liked it better than anything else on earth," I admitted. "You are certain—"

"Why, you must have known she'd refuse him!"

"Far be it from me to set myself up as certain of anything with which a woman has to do."

She shook her head at me significantly.

"Make certain!" she cried.

I walked beside her for an instant in silence, and she slipped her fingers into mine.

"I do want to see you both happy," she said.

The bishop turned to us. "Fine-looking girl with Mrs. Ankony," he remarked. "Did you notice her?"

"The Sistine," I murmured absently.

"Eh? Miss Streeter."

"Yes, of course; Miss Streeter."

"I don't care for Mrs. Ankony, and I shouldn't care for her guest, in all probability," said his sister.

"My dear Henrietta, how very absurd!" he protested amiably. And then: "It seemed to me that Ankony was very attentive to Barbara to-night. Did you notice?"

Miss Winstanley laughed a crisp little laugh.

"Omit the qualifying adverb, or change it to 'offensively.' The man is wretchedly bred. Good-night, Mr. Twining. Come to see me when you have anything particularly pleasant to tell me, and do let that be soon."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Narrowest Street in the World.

The seaport town of Great Yarmouth, in England, contains what is said to be the narrowest street in the world. It is known as Kitty Witches row, and its greatest width is 56 inches. Its entrance would seriously inconvenience a stout person trying to pass through it. Twenty-nine inches from wall to wall is all the room that can be spared in this part. Yarmouth is a quaint old town, containing many streets like Kitty Witches row. They are all called "rows," and are more picturesque than convenient. A hundred and forty-seven of these narrow streets, of a length of over seven miles in all, are to be found in the town.—New York Tribune.

Nurse for a Hotel.

At one of the hotels in New York a nurse has been installed whose duty it is to take care of the children of guests who come without nurses. The proprietor says that very often a woman is obliged to come without a nurse and in consequence is tied down by the baby and, moreover, obliged to consult a strange physician if it is ailing. The nurse takes care of all that and her services are not charged for.

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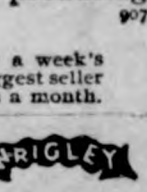

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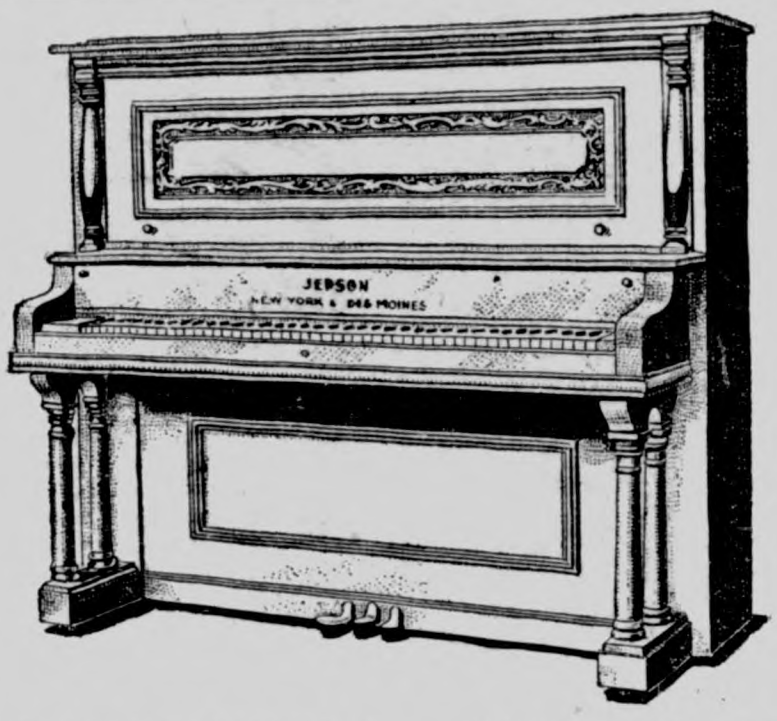

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ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Cora Lawhorn returned to school at Garner Monday.

Henry Josten and wife visited with Twin Lake relatives Sunday.

Anderson Bros. will begin tiling on the Herman Barz farm this week.

Ell Center school will commence September 6th with Miss Mae Yohn as teacher.

Tom Nelson and wife entertained Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Haskin of Klemme Sunday.

School commenced at the Groesbeck school this week, with Martha Gilbert, of Garner, teacher.

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Jake Bachman was a business visitor at Klemme last Monday.

Miss Mary Costello returned Monday from Eagle Grove, where she has been visiting for several days.

Mrs. E. S. Bowen, of Garner, came Tuesday and is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Adrian Elder.

Roscoe Merriss nd wife were calling on friends here last Sunday. Mr Merriss is employed as principal of the Armstrong public schools for the fall and winter.

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everal of our German sol- rs are attending the reunion Woden today.

pecial mission services were d in the German Reformed rch last Sunday which were ely attended.

rs John Josten is now show- her new fall line of millin as you will note by her ad the fourth page. Her trim , Miss Lund, arrived from Paul Tuesday evening.

ou are going to miss a good g if you fail to read the new al story on our inside pages, ps That Were Sealed," which rts this week. Be sure to d the first installment.

wing to the fact that not all our people are able to under- nd German, we have decided old a service in the English E church Sunday morning. ere will be no services, how- r, in the evening. Pastor.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wille were at Garner between trains Monday.

The Josten millinery store building is being treated to a new coat of paint.

Mrs. Herman Coobs and her daughter, Anna, were Forest City visitors Monday.

Sam Kirkwood left Saturday for a visit with relatives at Ringsted, Iowa, returning home Tuesday evening.

School Shoes for Children. School will commence soon; call and see my line and fit your children out right. F. Gruetzmacher 4tf

Mrs. E. P. Dow and little daughter, of Rake, Iowa, arrived here last Friday evening for a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

W. H. Sherwood and wife left Thursday for their home in Iowa Falls after a three weeks' visit with their son, W. L. They made the trip in an auto.

R. M. Day was a business visitor at Goodell last Thursday. On Friday he left for different points in South Dakota to attend to his farming interests

The ladies of the English M. E. church will give a supper at the parsonage next Saturday evening, Sept. 4th All are invited to come and enjoy the music and incidentally a good square meal.

C. B. Groesbeck believes the farmer has a right to just as many good things as anyone. so he has purchased an automobile —the Buick car formerly owned by Lawrence Larsen and M. I. Parker.

Prof. L. E. Bowker and family arrived in Klemme from Crystal Lake last week and are now comfortably settled in the residence recently vacated by John Gruetzmacher. Prof. Bowker comes to our schools well recommended and we hope his stay among us may be helpful and profitable. In behalf of the people of Klemme, the Times extends a cordial welcome to this new family.

Herman Coobs is a new subscriber to the Times.

Geo. R. Waterman and family visited at Garner Sunday.

Dr. Edgar Zinn was a business visitor at the county seat Tuesday.

Mrs Lew Lewis was a Belmond visitor Monday, returning Tuesday.

P. M. Griesemer and Rev. E. A. Baker attended the ball game at Britt last Friday.

Ice cream sodas, sundaes, and all kinds of cool refreshing drinks at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

J. F Wenck and wife and daughter Maude, of Garner, visited in this vicinity Sunday.

Keep a close watch on those yellow-legged chickens. The preachers have possession of the town.

C. C. Bartlette and Carl Gade of Iowa Falls, visited at the J. W. Griggs and Sherwood homes over Sunday.

Frank Freie was in Klemme a short time Monday. He has moved from Berlin, N. D., to Webster City, Iowa.

Klemme is sending a goodly delegation to the State Fair at Des Moines this year. Albert Koerner and wife and Herman Stille and wife went down Friday evening; Fred Ridder, Wes Schuldt, Wm Stille and John Stille left Saturday evening and H C. Lau and Byron Sweeley went Sunday.

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Editing a newspaper is a nice thing. If we publish jokes people say we are rattle brained. If we don't we are fossils. If we publish original matter they say we don't give them enough selections. If we give them selections they say we are too lazy to write. If we don't go to church we are heathens. If we do go we are hypocrites. If we remain at the office we ought to be out looking for news items. If we go out then we are not attending to business. If we wear old clothes they laugh at us. If we wear good clothes they say we have a pull. Now, what are we to do? Just as likely as not some one will say that we stole this from an exchange. And, by gum, we did.

Dr. Sowles, of Goodell, was in this city yesterday.

Mrs. Geo. Schroeder was here from Garner yesterday.

Dr. W. F. Missman was at Garner on professional business Monday.

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

F. J. Wenck and Rev. Baker were county seat visitors on baseball business Monday.

Rain today. The German soldiers at Woden will get wet on the outside as well as inside.

Herman Miller drove to Garner Sunday and visited at the home of his uncle, G. Schroeder.

W. R. Bloom left Monday for Dows and from there he went to Des Moines to see the big fair.

The editor of the Crystal Lake Chronicle took a lay off this week and attended the Iowa State Fair. Lucky man!

New fall line of ladies' shoes received. I can show the latest and best approved styles at reasonable prices. Call and see my line. F. Gruetzmacher. 4tf

Henry Freie and daughter, Fronia, went to Webster City last evening with Frank Freie for a couple of days' visit. Frank had been at Decorah, Ia., and was returning to his home at Webster City, via Klemme.

Crystal Lake Chronicle: Prof. L. E. Bowker loaded his household goods Tuesday afternoon and departed Wednesday morning for his new field of labor at Klemme, Iowa, where he has been elected as principal of the Klemme school for the ensuing year. Mr. Bowker has been principal of the school here for the past four years, and during that time has labored hard and faithfully for the best interests of the school and the advancement of his pupils. Mr. Bowker takes a strong interest in educational work and the patrons of the Klemme school are to be congratulated on securing his services.

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No Infallible Method.

A leading mathematician of France gives another warning that there is no infallible method of doubling one's stakes after a loss. "All one can do," says he, "is to combine one's play so as to have a great chance of winning a little and a little chance of losing much, and many chances of losing little."

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IS WHIST WICKED?

Woman, Fired From Church, Appeals to District Conference

HER FRIENDS BACK HER UP

Twice Convicted of Violating the Methodist Discipline, Woman Wants Ames Meeting to Settle Case.

Adel, Aug. 30.—Mrs. Minnie Douglas, the Adel society woman, who, after two long and sensational trials, was ousted from the First Methodist church of Adel because she played whist, will appeal her case to the district conference, according to the Rev. A. E. Foutch of De Sota, who presided at the first trial in the case, and who is now at the Methodist hospital in Des Moines. The conference meets at Ames in September.

In the meantime, according to the Rev. Mr. Foutch, Mrs. Douglas is still playing whist and still attends the theater. And as a result of her excommunication, the church has divided into two factions, many openly upholding Mrs. Douglas. Mr. Foutch declared that many of Mrs. Douglas' friends have severed their connection with the church since the close of the trials. He says they are called the "insurgents."

The first trial was held at Adel last June, and caused a profound sensation in the community. Members of the congregation charged Mrs. Douglas with playing whist, and with being a regular attendant at the Adel theater. Both of these are in violation of the tenets of the church.

The defendant retained an attorney to fight her case. The first church tribunal found Mrs. Douglas guilty and recommended that she be expelled from the church. Her attorney, on the grounds of prejudice against his client, secured another trial at Menlo, and the evidence was submitted to a second tribunal. But this body upheld the decision of the first, and Mrs. Douglas was expelled from the church.

If she meets with defeat at the hands of the members of the district conference, Mrs. Douglas has announced her intention of carrying the case still higher up. She will go before the national conference of the Methodist church, which meets in 1912, and which is the highest tribunal of that denomination.

Des Moines Men Buy Iowa Farms.

Buffalo Center.—Several Winnebago county farms have recently changed hands and among them a half section to Barney Logan of Webster City at $57 an acre; a 160 acre farm to C. W. Gadd, president of the First National bank, here at $50 an acre; a 175 acre farm to the superintendent of schools, Professor Thornburg, Des Moines at $56 an acre; and a 160 acre farm to Professor Hanna of Highland Park college at $51 an acre. The C. C. Fisher farm was sold for $75 an acre, and it is considered as being one of the best in the county and easily worth, productively, as much as any $150 or $200 an acre farm in central Iowa. The purchaser of it got a bargain, as it is located only one mile from town.

Horses Bring Good Figure.

Des Moines.—"Horses are from $30 to $50 higher in Iowa at the present time than other parts of the country," said John Garrison, as he looked over some of the fine exhibits of horse flesh at the state fair. "The reason for this is the greater demand for the horses among the farmers of the state. It is useless to talk about shipping horses out of Iowa at the figures they are bringing here at the present time." Mr. Garrison formerly operated a horse barn on South Ninth street with bi-monthly sales, but was compelled to change his residence through ill health. He is now interested in an orange grove in Texas.

Married Fifty-seven Years Ago.

Boone—Prof. and Mrs. N. E. Goldthwaite celebrated their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary quietly at their home. They were married in Massachusetts in 1852, but soon came to the west where Professor Goldthwaite became prominent as an educator. Both are in the best of health.

To Manufacture Concrete.

Logan.—Machinery for the manufacture of concrete has been put up at the lime stone quarry and sand pit east of Logan by Mr. Frank Peckenpaugh, the owner of the quarry and pit.

Barn Destroyed.

Charles City—Lightning struck a large barn belonging to H. N. Ervay, near here. The barn and contents were destroyed.

New Depot at Ames College.

Des Moines.—So that the State Agricultural college at Ames may have adequate station facilities on the college campus, the finance committee of the board of education conferred with the interurban officers at the state house.

There is a difference of opinion between the Fort Dodge, Des Moines & Southern railway and the board of education on the construction of a new campus depot for the use of the students in going to and from the city of Ames. The specifications call for a brick platform, whereas it is claimed the contract with the state of Iowa called for a cement platform.

For the purpose of reaching a friendly understanding, Messrs. Boyd, Lambert and Emery met the officials, for it is desired by the board to furnish the Ames students with better transportation facilities from the college to the city.

Iowa Rural Letter Carriers Meet.

Des Moines.—The Iowa Rural Letter Carriers' association met in annual session in the Savery hotel, and the report of the secretary showed that it was in a flourishing condition. Iowa has more than 2,300 rural letter carriers, being second only to Illinois. The promoting of good roads was the main theme of the meeting, and among the prominent speakers was Thomas M. MacDonald of Ames, secretary of the Iowa highway commission. Others who spoke were Lucius E. Wilson, secretary of the Greater Des Moines committee, and E. T. Merideth, editor of Successful Farming. The carriers themselves discussed the parcels post, postal savings banks and other matters.

Next Meeting at Des Moines.

Des Moines.—The delegates to the Iowa League of Postmasters' convention held at the court house will hold their next year's convention in Des Moines, Tuesday and Wednesday of fair week. In so doing the postmasters plan to kill two birds with one stone, attending the state fair and the sessions of the order the same days. F. W. Jameson of Ashton delivered an address to the assembled postmaster on "Civil Service As a Factor in An Improved Postal Service," pointing out how easily the postal service has improved under the new system. J. A. French of Bancroft led the general discussion.

Shoots Woman and Self.

Council Bluffs—Andrew Madsen shot and fatally injured Mrs. Martha Rasmussen and then killed himself in a house at Fifth and Locust streets. Madsen had been courting the woman, who had been separated from her husband. Recently she affected a reconciliation with her husband and was forced to sever her friendly relations with Madsen. This fact angered Madsen, who was insanely jealous of the woman's husband.

Their Sixtieth Anniversary.

Dumfries—Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Plumer, surrounded by their eleven children, forty-one grand children and nine great grand children at their home in this quiet little country town, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding day, and incidentally, the fifty-eighth anniversary of their arrival in this country, which has been their home continuously since they came here in the year 1851.

Button Factory on Iowa River.

Iowa City.—Iowa City has a new industry just started by Otto Davis, who has established a plant at Coralville station for making pearl buttons from the shells of Iowa river clams. Mr. Davis was formerly associated in the work at Muscatine and has proceeded far enough to ascertain that there is an adequate supply of high grade shells in the river at this point.

Horse Rescued From River.

Iowa City.—A livery horse which ran away stood all night in the Iowa river, with only its head out of the water, and was then rescued. The horse was driven by Jacob Hotz, Jr., who states that it began kicking and then ran away. He jumped from the buggy. It is thought the lines became twisted around a wheel and turned the horse into the water.

Methodists to Meet.

Mason City.—Arrangements for the Methodist Episcopal conference in this city, September 28, are being made. The conference will be here for one week. A new presiding elder to succeed Dr. H. W. Troy will probably be selected. Dr. Troy has had continual ill health. Many other changes will probably be made.

Suffers Fractured Skull.

Nora Springs.—From a blow of a sledge, which caught in a clothes line which was suspended over his head, J. P. Clark of this county, a well known farmer, is in a critical condition from a fractured skull. The full force of the heavy iron struck him in the forehead, breaking in the skull.

TWO DEAD IN WRECK

Warnicke, of Centerville, Iowa, Fatally Injured.

ON WABASH, NEAR GLENWOOD

Score Injured, Six Dangerously, as Result of Head-on Collision Between Passenger and Freight Trains in Missouri.

Glenwood, Mo., Aug. 30.—Two persons are dead and a score injured, six dangerously, as the result of a head on collision between a heavily loaded Wabash passenger train and freight train one mile south of here.

The dead:

Henry Lodwig, Queen City, Mo.

R. T. Thompson, Moberly, Mo., fireman of freight engine.

Among the injured are:

N. W. Warnicke, Centerville, Ia.; internally, fractured skull; serious.

J. W. Seigler, Moberly, Mo., mail clerk, badly scalded.

V. H. Kappler, Moberly, Mo., passenger fireman, back and side injured.

T. L. Carney, Moberly, Mo., baggagemaster, internal injuries; serious.

Grover Clark, Trenton, Mo., back and shoulder injured.

William Riley and wife, Downing, Mo., bruised on back and side and hips.

Mrs. Ida E. Thompson, Willmathville, Mo., bruised on body and serious internal injuries.

An extra freight train running at high speed collided with the passenger train on a curve.

The passenger train was crowded with persons going to the old soldiers' reunion at Glenwood, many women and children being aboard. The cause of the wreck is not fully determined.

TWO WOMEN HORSEWHIPPED

Missourians Turn Iowa Women Adrift on Mississippi Without Any Oars.

Keokuk, Ia., Aug. 30—Mrs. Lizzie Brown and her daughter, Maggie Brown, driven out of Keokuk in a recent crusade against the red light district, were tarred and feathered at Alexandria, Mo., five miles south of here, Friday night, the community having grown tired of their presence.

Saturday afternoon they again returned to Alexandria and at 11 o'clock last night another mob of forty men gathered at their home and gave them a horsewhipping, after which they were escorted to the bank of the Mississippi and, having been placed in a skiff without oars, were turned adrift on the broad bosom of the river with a threat not to return under penalty of death. They landed below Alexandria.

A strange man was treated likewise. Two men escaped from the mob.

ASBURY TO SUPERVISE CENSUS

Congressman Kendall Names Ottumwa Man in the Sixth Congressional District.

Ottumwa, Ia., Aug. 30.—Congressman N. E. Kendall has forwarded to the director of the census bureau at Washington the name of W. H. H. Ashbury of Ottumwa as supervisor of the census for the Sixth congressional district.

Mr. Ashbury will have his headquarters in Ottumwa during the census taking, and will have about 150 enumerators and a clerical force under his supervision. The work of taking the 1910 census will be done during the first half of 1910. The supervisor in charge of the work will be named in each congressional district, and this supervisor will be in active charge of the work.

Woman Ground to Death Under Car.

Des Monies, Aug. 30—Mrs. Ambrose Jeffrey, 1724 Second avenue, Cedar Rapids, was run over by a street car at East Thirteenth street and Grand avenue. The car crushed both of her legs above the knees and she died at 8 o'clock, shortly after reaching Mercy hospital where she was taken by the police.

Swisher Suicide—Found by Daughter.

Iowa City, Ia., Aug. 30—A. E. Swisher, a former president of the Iowa State Bar association, committed suicide by hanging. His act is said to have been caused by worry over financial troubles. The body was discovered by his daughter. He had been dead for some time.

Kansan Heads Attorneys General.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 30—Fred S. Jackson of Kansas was elected president of the Association of Attorneys General.

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For Women—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Noah, Ky. — "I was passing through the Change of Life and suffered from headaches, nervous prostration, and hemorrhages. "Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me well and strong, so that I can do all my housework, and attend to the store and post-office, and I feel much younger than I really am. "Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most successful remedy for all kinds of female troubles, and I feel that I can never praise it enough." — MRS. LIZZIE HOLLAND, Noah, Ky.

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Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to medicine that will so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs.

For 30 years it has been curing women from the worst forms of female ills — inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, and nervous prostration.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free and always helpful.

UNDER A DARK MOON.

Dolly—The motor boat is superior to the canoe even if we do have to carry a chaperon.

Dick—I should say so. The "chug-chug" makes such a racket she couldn't hear a smack to save herself."

An Escape.

"Are you sure that indicator registered the correct fare?"

"Yes," answered the taxicabman. "You aren't kicking, are you?"

"No, I'm congratulating myself. The way we went that far in so short a time we were mighty lucky not to get arrested for scorching."—Washington Star.

Hardly Flattered Himself.

Family Lawyer (to young heir)—Now, remember, my boy, that a fool and his money are soon parted.

Young Heir (impressively)—I contend, sir, to be the exception that proves the rule.

Even doctors disagree and when they do it helps to swell the population of one of the other two places.

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The Laborer Eats Food That Would Wreck an Office Man.

Men who are actively engaged in hard work can sometimes eat food that would wreck a man who is more closely confined.

This is illustrated in the following story:

"I was for 12 years clerk in a store working actively and drank coffee all the time without much trouble until after I entered the telegraph service.

"There I got very little exercise and drinking strong coffee, my nerves were unsteady and my stomach got weak and I was soon a very sick man. I quit meat and tobacco and in fact stopped eating everything which I thought might affect me except coffee, but still my condition grew worse, and I was all but a wreck.

"I finally quit coffee and commenced to use Postum a few years ago, and I am speaking the truth when I say, my condition commenced to improve immediately and today I am well and can eat anything I want without any bad effects, all due to shifting from coffee to Postum.

"I told my wife today I believe I could digest a brick if I had a cup of postum to go with it.

"We make it according to directions, boiling it full 20 minutes and use good rich cream and it is certainly delicious."

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"There's a Reason."

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OWA'S GREAT FAIR

arger Number of Exhibits Than Ever Before.

G CROWDS IN ATTENDANCE

udging of Horses and Dairy Exhibits —Maude Campbell Wins First and Olive Snook Second Prize in Girls' Cooking Contest.

Des Moines, Aug. 30.—This is Des oines day at the state fair, and, om the large number that passed rough the gates early, it is predict- d that a new record for Monday at- ndance will be made before the ates close tonight.

The exhibits in all departments for is year's fair are larger and more merous than ever before.

Thanks to the children, all records ent by the board in the opening day this year's fair. At 7:00 o'clock aturday evening before the gates ere passed by any considerable num- er going to the night show, 21,271 eople had gone through the gates. f this number few more than 8,000 ere adults, and the rest children. he youngsters made themselves felt roughout the grounds all through he day.

Without the children, the numbers ere about the same as passed the ates to the fair a year ago, the fig- res for that day being given at 12,- 00.

Horse Exhibit.

G. H. Simpson of Wheaton, Ill., a ew exhibitor in the pony class took ost of the honors of the day, but harles Backman of this city, also a rst year man, was able to capture ost of the seconds and thirds. The lasses were exceptionally well filled, ome having as many as forty con- estants.

The mule classes were only started aturday, the major part of them go- g over until today.

The only judging done, except in he horses, was in the dairy exhibit here H. E. Forrester of Lake Mills on first, with a score of 97½ in the hole milk class. L. C. Peterson of tory City was a quarter of a point ehind, while L. O. Knudson of Man- won first in the gathered cream lass by a score of 97.

Boy Judges.

Following are the boys who are udging:

Herman Steen of West Liberty, C. . Hill of New Sharon, D. B. Hill of ew Sharon, David Wilson of West iberty, Bernard Myers of Des oines, Andrew Patience of Imogene, lbert Ruess of West Liberty, Harley Walker of Ames, Chester B. Stevens f West Liberty, Harry Nauman of est Liberty, Lloyd Wellendorf of lgona, Wallace Ashby of Polk City, William S. Lynes of Plainfield, Lon- le Freeman of Norwalk, Ryle S. Mc- ee of Indianola, Edward Vaughn of arion, Bennie Hiefman of West Lib- rty, George W. Boyack of Grinnell, lbert Leech of West Liberty, Earl . Waltz of Spaulding, R. O. Westley f Panora, Charles Leavens of Shell ock, Andrew J. Rector of Greeley, laude Mason of Iowa Falls, Bruce urvis of West Liberty, Paul V. Ox- y of Atalissa, Floyd S. Barnes of est Liberty, Edmond P. Hanson of ean, Roy Keables of Gilman, Jesse . Dowell of Bedford.

Girl Wins Prize.

Maude Campbell of Ames proved erself to be the best of the four oung ladies who took part in the ooking contest, scoring a total of 78 points out of a possible 200. Olive nook of Des Moines was second.

These are the girls who are partic- pating in the contest: Maude Camp- ell, Ames; Olive A. Snook, Des oines; Lena F. Thompson, Jamaica; arian Wentworth, State Center.

Four scholarships in any of the egular courses at the Iowa State col- ge and mechanic arts at Ames, val- ed at $200, $150, $125, and $100, and ne scholarship for a short course at he same college, valued at $25, will e awarded to the boys who do the ost efficient work in judging classes rain. He had resided there for the ast twenty years.

f horses, swine, cattle and samples of corn, assigned for the purpose, nd writing reasons substantiating heir judgment. Any boy living in owa who is under 21 years of age has the privilege of entering.

Three scholarships in any of the egular courses at Ames valued at $150, $100 and $75 and one scholar- ship in the short course of two weeks, valued at $25 will be awarded to the girls who do the best work in pre- paring certain food products and giv- ing the best reasons for using their methods.

Miss Edith G. Charlton of Ames has charge of the cooking contest and Prof. Edward N. Wentworth of Ames is superintending the boys' judging contest.

AND NO WONDER.

"I don't know why you moved, my dear. Your house was close to the golf links."

"I know; but I found the children were learning such bad language."

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"Eczema began over the top of my ear. It cracked and then began to spread. I had three different doctors and tried several things, but they did me no good. At last one side of my face and my neck were raw. The water ran out of it so that I had to wear medicated cotton, and it was so inflamed and sore that I had to put a piece of cloth over my pillow to keep the water from it, and it would stain the cloth a sort of yellow. The eczema itched so that it seemed as though I could tear my face all to pieces. Then I began to use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and it was not more than three months before it was all healed up. Miss Ann Pearsons, Northfield, Vt., Dec. 19, 1907."

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Style of Price.

"Are you going to raise any fancy crop on your suburban place this summer?" asked Jones of Smith, as they met in the business district.

"Well, yes," hesitatingly admitted Smith. "I am going to try to raise the mortgage."

The Air.

He—So you think married life ought to be one grand, sweet song?

She—Yes.

He—What air would you prefer for this matrimonial song?

She—I think a millionaire.

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He—I don't know. How long have you got?—Yonkers Statesman.

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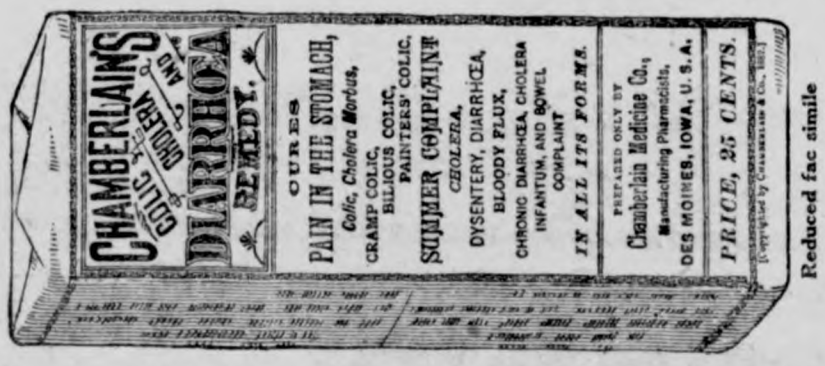

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APPOINTMENTS MADE

The Northwest German Conference which was organized forty-seven years ago, at that time included everything west of Chicago. Some years later the east end of this vast territory was cut off and organized separately as the Chicago German Conference. Once more it was divided, the North German Conference covering Minnesota and corners of Wisconsin and North Dakota besides other conferences having been organized south and west. At present the territory of this conference includes the northern part of Iowa, a small corner of Illinois, and Wisconsin and South Dakota.

Every minister was present, excepting two. Besides this, there were from forty to fifty visitors in attendance. Our people proved themselves equal to the occasion and found no trouble in entertaining them. Many expressed their surprise to find so many beautiful homes, nice lawns and streets in our little city. And the hospitality of our people was frequently commented upon.

Bishop Nuelsen presided with a dignity, seasoned with tenderness and forebearance. The business of the conference took up much more time than usual. A special closed session was held Friday afternoon and the conference barely finished its business Monday noon.

As the poles for the large tent did not arrive, the evening services were held in the church, which was not large enough to admit all. The Sunday services were held in the open air, for which the weather was most favorable. The sermons and addresses were good and listened to with much interest. As always, there were many collections taken and nearly $600 was contributed to various causes.

The exceptionally fine music furnished by the local choir deserves special and honorable mention and was a very enjoyable feature.

Much credit is due to the Klemme pastor, Rev. Wessel, for his untiring efforts and ceaseless labor to make the meeting a success and the guests comfortable. There is much joy and satisfaction among his members that he is returned to this charge.

The most interesting moment of an annual conference is when the appointments are read, and the church was crowded Monday noon when this the final part of the entire session came. Fifteen ministers were changed to other stations. Following is a complete list of the appointments:

Galena District—Supt. B C Brandenburg.
Basswood—Andrew Immer
Colesburg—L J Brenner
Decorah—H W Schneider
Dubuque—J W Feller
Freeport—H J Loemker
Galena—R L Hertel
Giard—F O Barz
LaCrosse, 1st church—J L Panzlau
LaCrosse, 2nd church—W J Witter
Lansing—A C Panzlau
Platville—W C Bergman
Sherrill—J F Zemke
Stitzer—To be supplied.
Tomah—G Haefner
Wood—G H Kohler
Yellow Creek—W P Schlein

South Dakota District—Supt. J F Hartke.
Charles Mix—To be supplied.
Crandon—H E Hilmer
Gettysburg—H A Westphal
Howard—Emil Witter
Parker—W J Loeck
Redfield—G C Clausen
Rosebud Mission—W F Belling
Rockham—J F Wilter
Webster and Buttler—G E Kienle
Wessington Springs—F J Hoffman
White—Jno Bury
Wilmot—E H Lewandowski

Upper Iowa District—Supt. W H Rolfing.
Alden—F C Steffler
Burt and Fenton—F H Schuldt
Charles City—J H Klaus
Dennison—To be supplied.
Flood Creek—A F Damerow
Garner and Hayfield—A W Gauger
Gladbrook—H R Schmidt
Klemme and Germantown—G H Wessel
LeMars—F H Thiel
Mason City—W H Klaus
Odebolt—C A Schuldt
Reinbeck—Wm Koerner
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St Charles—J E Benz
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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Paris J. Cox, for three years minister of Friends' church of Laporte, Ind., severed his connection with the Friends and will enter the Methodist ministry.

James Bryce, British ambassador at Washington, arrived in Ottawa, Ont., to consult with Sir Wilfrid Laurier on trade conditions consequent upon the Payne tariff law.

Levi H. Bancroft, speaker of the Wisconsin assembly, was the orator at the Wisconsin day celebration at the Seattle exposition.

Edward Butler, Jr., son of Col Butler, political boss of St. Louis, died suddenly in that city of heart failure while talking to his wife.

Justice William R. Day of the United States supreme court, delivered the address at Mackinac Island, Mich., at the unveiling of the new $7,000 statue of Pere Marquette.

President Taft has appointed A. P. Sawyer of Seatle to be auditor of Porto Rico, to succeed G. C. Ward.

Earl Grey, governor general of Canada, narrowly escaped death when he was lost and wandered for hours in the wilds of the northwest. A rescuing party found him.

Edward H. Harriman in a personal statement concerning his health said "I am all right."

Harry K. Thaw has been made librarian of the hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan, N. Y.

Senator Carter of Montana declared at Seattle that charges of water power grabbing in his state were without foundation.

Glenn H. Curtiss won the international cup for the highest speed in the aviation events at Rheims, France, flying at the rate of 47.65 miles an hour.

Charles W. Morse, recently released from the Tombs prison, New York, on $125,000 bail, has begun his efforts to restore his fallen fortunes by attempting to regain control of the Metropolitan Steamship Company.

GENERAL NEWS.

John F. Hayner, who shot former Senator Summerville at Sleepy Eye, Minn., committed suicide by hanging in a cell in the jail at New Ulm, Minn.

Eastern Pennsylvania has had no real rain in the last several months and crops and pasturage have been destroyed by drought. Several factories have been closed because of the lack of water.

Ten thousand American and Mexican children will sing the national anthems of both nations at El Paso when Presidents Taft and Diaz meet.

Spokane, Wash., plans to give President Taft a "ciderfest" that will eclipse the possum dinner in Georgia.

Thirteen persons were injured, two perhaps fatally, when a Rock Island train struck a street car at Des Moines, Ia.

A circular sent by the Turkish government to all its provincial authorities discredits the reported sedition of Armenians and asserts that the purpose of Turkey is to treat Moslem and non-Moslem alike hereafter.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Cornwall, for 20 years Presbyterian missionaries in Foochoo, China, are reported dead from cholera.

"President Taft is a wise, just, magnanimous man, whose policies will secure for the colored people their full rights," declared Dr. William M. Alexander of Baltimore, secretary of the Lott Carey Colored Baptist Foreign Missionary conference.

The color line was obliterated at the state convention of Spanish war veterans at Pasadena, Cal., when a negro delegate said the black men's right to carry a musket beside the white gave him the privilege of comradeship.

A monument to Rev. James Lemen, Sr., a pioneer Baptist minister, was unveiled at Waterloo, Ia.

Delegates to the convention of the National Association of Letter Carriers at St. Paul, Minn., balloted for officers,

Four thousand policemen will protect trees and shrubs in Riverside Park, New York, from the crowds which will watch the international naval parade at the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

Secretary Dickinson at Nashville, Tenn., intimated that investigation of the case of J. H. Booker, charged with hazing at West Point, will be re opened.

The National Association of Supervisory Post Office Employes met in annual convention in Chicago.

A "peace fleet" of eight armored United States cruisers sailed from San Francisco on a five months' trip to Japan and China.

A monument to Chief Menominee and his band of Pottawattomie Indians who were unjustly evicted from their reservation in Indiana in 1838 was unveiled at Twin Lake, Ind.

Thirty Japanese sent by their government to study commerce and trade in the United States, landed at Seattle. They will travel through 24 states.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook of Brooklyn, N. Y., on April 21, 1908, discovered the north pole, according to a message received from him by his wife and information sent to Copenhagen by the captain of the vessel on which he returned to that point.

Through a conference between the operators and the national executive board of the United Mine Workers of America the dispute with the 18,000 miners in the Pittsburg district has been settled, and 7,000 men now on strike will return to work.

At Sleepyeye, Minn., George W. Sommerville, former state senator, lawyer and politician, was shot and fatally wounded, in his private office, by John S. Hayner, manager of a large business block, in a dispute over money matters.

A message received by relatives at White Plains, N. Y., announced the death from cholera at Foo Choo, China, of Rev. and Mrs. George Cornwall, for 20 years Presbyterian missionaries in that country.

Through a deal involving millions the United States Steel Corporation has taken over the property known as the Kelly lands and Mines in Danville, Ill., district on which it held an option from the Hammond Company.

Krasnoyarsk, Siberia, is to be the place of exile of Alexander Lopukine, former chief of the Russian police department, who was convicted of activity as a revolutionary.

John R. Myrick, who enlisted in the union army as a private at the outbreak of the civil war, and who was retired as a brigadier-general in 1903, is dead in New York.

While playing with a shotgun at Nicholasville, Ky., James Littrell, eight years old, accidentally discharged the weapon and blew off the head of his six-year-old sister.

Fire destroyed the Savoy theater at Hamilton, Ont. Loss, $60,000. The theater belonged to the Stroud-Bennett syndicate, but was to have been taken over by the Shuberts.

During the funeral at Seattle of George E. Eccles, the wireless operator who perished on the steamer Ohio, every wireless telegraph instrument in the western division was silent for half an hour.

Mrs. Katherine Miller, formerly Mrs Kate Soffel, who served a two-year prison term for helping Jack and Edward Biddle, the murderers, escape from the county jail at Pittsburg, died of typhoid fever.

Tied to a tree by robbers, an employe of the Ingram-Day Lumber Company, suffered tortures for three days near Nugent, Miss. His mouth was stuffed with paper and rags and he was without food, while mosquitoes were torturing him.

President Taft has decided that Beverly, Mass., shall be the summer capital again next year, and has leased the cottage he now is occuying for the season.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and a delegate from Austria engaged in a war of words at the International Trades Unions congress in Paris when the latter attacked American labor for not joining the organization.

The United States and Europe were brought nearly three hours closer together when the great liner, Mauretania reduced her record from New York to Queenstown to four days, 14 hours and 27 minutes.

After slaying Cecil Norton, 15 years old, daughter of his housekeeper; his daughter Dorothy, aged 12, and setting fire to his house, Will Tibbetts, a wealthy farmer of Red Wood Falls, Minn., committed suicide.

Five persons, all relatives, were killed when a street car struck an automobile, near St. Louis.

A new tobacco war has been started at Covington, Ky., by the filing of a suit by Clark & Scott, independent manufacturers, against the Burley society, demanding $135,520, said to have been overcharged on tobacco bought by them.

An important amendment has been made to the navy regulations which places the engineer officer attached to a ship of war in line to succeed the executive officer.

FINE EVENING PROGRAMS

THIRTY FIRE DEPARTMENT COMPANIES IN ACTION.

Seven Military Bands, Merged Into One, Will Give Two-Hour Concert, Sept. 21-23.

Des Moines, Sept. 6.—Not content with the expenditure of $18,000 to secure the great tournament of the United States army to be participated in by 6,000 regular soldiers, representing all branches of the service from September 20 to 25, and an expenditure of $19,500 for street and private decorations, the business men of Des Moines will provide some splendid features for night entertainment. On Monday, Sept. 20, and Friday, Sept. 24, over thirty companies of the fire department with steamers, water towers, aerial trucks and other fighting apparatus, will make a run through the business streets in answer to an alarm and will extinguish a fire in an improvised building to be erected in River Front park. On Tuesday and Thursday nights, the seven military bands, merged into one of over 180 pieces, will give a patriotic program of two hours duration on the river front. These programs are for the evenings.

IOWA FISHERIES STATISTICS

Figures Gathered by the Government for the Year 1908 Issued by Census Bureau.

Washington, D. C.—The preliminary report of the fisheries of Iowa for the year ending Dec. 31, 1908, has been made by the census department. These statistics are confined to the fishing industry and do not include wholesale fish dealers or canneries. The final report will contain an analysis of the totals and will present statistics for other phases of the industry:

Independent fishermen	720	
Wage-earning fishermen	66	
Boats employed	829	$ 37,512
Apparatus of capture, total.		28,880
Crowfoot dredges		2,270
Fyke and hoop nets	2,455	7,550
Lines		740
Pounds nets	403	4,030
Seines	168	8,802
Trammel nets	257	4,990
Miscellaneous		280
Shore and accessory prop		10,520
Products in pounds		214,560
Black bass	54,100	5,596
Buffalo	565,600	22,780
Catfish	418,200	33,270
Carp, German	2,047,800	61,860
Crappie	114,700	4,670
Drum, fresh water	188,400	5,320
Eels	5,400	570
Sturgeon	223,400	16,480
Paddle-fish	5,900	350
Pike and pickerel	60,500	3,210
Pike perch (wall eyed)	37,600	2,730
Suckers	197,200	6,630
Sunfish and bream	126,600	2,670
White bass	4,700	290
Yellow perch	11,600	300
Turtles	92,800	1,820
Mussel shells	4,699,200	23,980
Pearls		11,450
Miscellaneous fish, frogs, and skins		1,590

THE VALUE OF AERIAL CRAFT

Practical Demonstration at National Military Tournament at Des Moines, Sept. 20-25.

Des Moines, Sept. 6.—The first practical demonstration of the value of aerial craft in warfare will be given at the great National Tournament of the United States Army in Des Moines, September 20 to 25, when Major Stutsman, Lieutenant Lamb and other distinguished aeronauts connected with the United States army, with dirigibles and other air craft, will make daily flights and attack and destroy, with high explosives, imaginary fortifications, camps, etc., all in plain sight of the state fair grounds, grand stand and other seats where an audience of over 20,000 can be cared for.

Big Ideas.

When Mrs. P. thought Robbie old enough to wear trousers, she, like many nother frugal mother, brought out an old pair of her husband's and began to cut them over. "What are you doing, mamma?" asked small Rob. "I am cutting out a nice little pair of trousers for you," said mamma, thinking how much pleasure it would give him. "But, mamma, why do you cut them little? If you would only leave them big, like they are, everybody would know then that I am a man," replied Robbie, much grieved. —The Delineator.

Walter Camp's Articles.

Mr. Walter Camp, who is considered the foremost figure and authority in the field of sports and games in America, has been engaged to write a series of articles for The Century Magazine during the coming year, beginning in November. The articles wil cover the development of athletics in America—foot ball, base ball, rowing, track athletics, golf, and tennis—and he will treat these subjects with reference to sports in colleges.

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DANGER NOT CLOSE AT HAND

Men Will Run Things a Few Years Yet Is the Prophecy of the Observant Drummer.

A group of men were discussing the possibilities and dangers of woman suffrage. All but one expressed the fear that the movement was gaining such momentum that in a comparatively short time this fair land would be transformed and man no longer would be master. The exception, a commercial traveler, with years of experience in studying human nature, scoffed at their alarm.

"Don't worry," he said. "We'll be safe for a good many years yet. In all my trips about the country I find that two-thirds of the women travelers, even those who are self-reliant enough to gallivant about alone, can't go to bed even in a sleeping car without first looking under the berth to see if there is a man there. So long as that primitive feminine instinct survives our institutions are safe."

BABY HORRIBLY BURNED.

By Boiling Grease—Skin All Came Off One Side of Face and Head—Thought Her Disfigured for Life.

Used Cuticura: No Scar Left.

"My baby was sitting beside the fender and we were preparing the breakfast when the frying-pan full of boiling grease was upset and it went all over one side of her face and head. Some one wiped the scald with a towel, pulling the entire skin off. We took her to a doctor. He tended her a week and gave me some stuff to put on. But it all festered and I thought the baby was disfigured for life. I used about three boxes of Cuticura Ointment and it was wonderful how it healed. In about five weeks it was better and there wasn't a mark to tell where the scald had been. Her skin is just like velvet. Mrs. Hare, 1, Henry St., South Shields, Durham, England, March 22, 1908."

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It Was His Way.

A Kansas farmer was telling recently about the eavesdropping that goes on along the farmers' telephone line he is on. He said that whenever he talked he could hear the "click, click" of different receivers coming down.

"And you can bet," he amended, "that they never hear my receiver coming down. No, sir; I always hold on to the thing and let it down so easy that it doesn't click!"—Kansas City Journal.

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On Hill's Twofers.

Beacon—Is Shadby much of a smoker?

Hill—Not at home, but you ought to see him when he comes over to spend the evening with me!

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A Suspicious Silence.

Howard was only 20 months o than the baby. He had some come to realize that Elwood, was creeping, was more likely t in mischief when quiet. One da called to his mother with a great of anxiety in his little voice: "M ma, I hear Elwood keeping stil The Delineator.

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with a scene at a box party. Miss Henrietta Winstanley, sister of Bishop Winstanley, overheard Banker Ankony propose to Barbara Hemingray, whose brother Dan was in his employ. Dan was one of the town's popular young men.

CHAPTER I.—Continued.

She settled back in the bishop's landau with a satisfied little smile, and I leaned in and bent over her hand.

As they rolled away I turned to meet Dan Hemingray, who had just been shutting the carriage door on the spinster Averills and their almost despairing mamma.

"Barbara went with the Deans," he explained; "we're using other people's carriages these days, you know."

"Lucky to have 'em offered," I grumbled; "I don't. Walk over to the car with me. There's no harm in a street car."

"And mighty little comfort."

"That's largely a question of upbringing," I laughed.

"Or down-sitting," he grinned. Then he sighed, deeply and miserably, and tried to hide it in a series of coughs that did not deceive me.

"What's wrong?" I asked.

"Did you notice Ankony to-night?" he inquired.

"Yes. The fellow is a boor."

"His attentions were rather defiant, it seemed to me, as if—as if he challenged Barbara to cut him. Did you think so?"

"No. Why on earth should he have that attitude toward her? You're in his employ, but you are not bound to him, nor under any obligation whatever."

"No—no, that is—"

"See here," I broke in, rather impatiently, "there are plenty of concerns as big as his that would be glad to give you a good berth. Don't let him press his obnoxious attentions on your sister just because you happen to be giving him excellent service for his money.

Dan looked at me oddly. "You don't understand, Tom," he said.

"It seems to me I understand perfectly, and I'd like to thrash him for his impudence."

He laughed, but the troubled look came back quickly to his usually sunny face.

"Miss Winstanley says he proposed to her to-night," I said.

He looked positively ghastly at that. "Oh, good Lord!" he cried, "I hoped she could stave him off!"

"She didn't accept him."

"No, no—of course not. But I wish—"

"It seems to me," I cut in, "that you'd be glad to have it over. He was bound to offer himself sooner or later, and now that he's done it and she has refused him, you all understand each other, and he won't be forever underfoot, as he has been. It will be much less embarrassing all round."

He shook his head and, lighting a cigar, walked on moodily beside me.

"Ankony is the devil," he said nervously. "You don't understand."

CHAPTER II.

The next day Ankony sent for me. I am the legal adviser of the Central Savings Company.

He was looking particularly bellicose. It was at once evident to me that he had his foot on somebody's neck and meant to keep it there. I thought of what Miss Winstanley had said of self-made men in the first generation. Surely, I told myself, there were but few of them who were not belligerent.

"Here's a pretty kettle of fish!" Ankony declared.

I removed my gloves and found a comfortable chair. I was in no haste, as I am not greatly interested in the kettles of the acting president of the Central Savings Company, except as I am paid to become so, and Ankony's mood and the recollection of his aggressiveness the night before made me a little more antagonistic, if possible, than usual.

"It's the last thing in the world anybody would have thought likely to happen," he said. "Upon my soul, I don't see why it's so hard for a man to keep himself square these days. He has been going it a bit strong, perhaps, but I'm fond of him, and I'm not naturally suspicious, and the thought that he might be tempted never occurred to me."

"Would you mind going at it other end round?" I suggested, for I hate to guess at things.

He flushed. He hates suggestions. "If you want it flat, flat you'll get it," he said, coarsely. "Hemingray's been stealing from the company."

I smoothed my gloves.

"No," said I quietly; "oh, no; not Dan Hemingray."

Ankony was purple in a minute.

"You're mighty sure of that, are you?" he sneered.

"I am," said I; "I know Dan Hemingray."

"You know Jim Austin, too, don't you?"

I winced inwardly. Austin is an expert accountant, infallible, and an honest fellow besides.

"What of that?" I demanded.

"Well he says Hemingray is a thief."

"I'm sorry he thinks so," I remarked.

"You don't? You won't?"

"No, of course I won't."

"You mean that Austin's wrong?"

"He may be. No man is infallible always."

"Jim Austin hasn't been found making any mistakes that I know of."

"What does he say about it?" I asked.

"That Hemingray has taken about three thousand, and that he has been

"For God's Sake Think of Miss Hemingray."

taking it for more than six months. Of course I understand that under the circumstances—"

"Under no circumstances would I believe a thing like that until it had been proved to me."

"It won't take long to prove it. We'll call Austin."

"Wait. If you are convinced, you may convince me, if you can. I am not ready to talk with any one outside yet. Not even Austin."

He sneered openly. A sneer from a man like Ankony is not a nice thing to stand. I beat my gloves against my leg. I wanted to throw them in his face. But it was not at just the stage in the proceedings when I could afford to, so I held down my choler.

He dragged a chair to the table, and I followed. He flung open the books with an air of triumph that he had not the decency to conceal. I knew how he was smarting under Barbara's refusal.

For an hour we went over the accounts. Then we looked up and faced each other: Jim Austin had made no mistake.

"Social success is costly, you see," Ankony commented. "A poor man can't afford to make himself quite so nice to the halt and the sick and the blind."

"Nor can a rich man afford to make himself so insolent," said I. "You are talking of a friend of mine, remember."

"A nice kind of a friend, I must say!"

"An unfortunate one."

"I've no patience with that sort of thing, Twining," he declared, a little more conciliatingly.

"No, I don't expect you to have. Neither do I expect you to understand his temptation; I don't understand it myself, for I wasn't born a rich man's son, thank God, to have the silver spoon snatched suddenly out of my mouth and a rough pewter one pushed in in its place! It's not a pleasant experience that, and if we haven't gone through it we don't know anything about it. It takes a strong man to meet that sort of thing and not be upset by it. Dan isn't strong, perhaps; he is only open-hearted and big and generous and kind."

"And a thief," supplemented he.

"He was not an intentional one. He meant to put the money back, I am assured of that."

"Oh, they all expect to do that."

"I dare say," I replied unargumentatively.

"That's no excuse," he protested.

"I am not urging it as one."

"A man's a fool to take such chances."

"Discretion stands for morality with you, then?" I remarked.

"No such thing!" he cried. "There's no use in getting excited or sore about this thing, Twining."

I made a hasty calculation and offered him my proposition. It was to refund to him before the end of six weeks all that Hemingray had taken, with interest, Dan to be turned over to me, and nothing to be said of the affair to any one.

"I suppose you call that restitution?" he inquired.

"Something like it, yes."

"Well, I don't. We're tired of this thing of being robbed behind our backs by the men we trust. I didn't send for you to consider ways and means of getting the money back and letting Hemingray go scot free. I sent for you as the company's attorney to proceed at once with the necessary steps leading to his arrest and incarceration."

"Ah," said I, "now we understand each other."

He nodded.

"I would hardly have expected this of you, Ankony."

"You admit the theft, don't you?"

"Do you admit the motive that prompts you in the prosecution?"

"That's got nothing to do with it. But naturally—quite naturally, I'm sure—it is to our interest to stop this business and make an example of the thief. We've stood it too long already. This is the fifth time this has happened to the company in twice that many years. I tell you it won't do to let it go on."

I looked at him and smiled. It may not have been a very pleasant smile; I certainly didn't intend it to be, and he flushed beneath it.

"What do you mean?" he blustered.

"That what you are telling me is all nonsense," I retorted.

"Now that you've gone this far, perhaps you will go a little farther and make yourself plain," he cried angrily.

"Certainly. You were refused last night by Miss Hemingray."

"She told you that?"

"If you knew her better you would not ask such a question. She told me nothing. You made your proposal so public that the refusal was bound to be more or less so, and you have yourself to thank for the fact that I, with others, know of it. Now, to make her suffer, you throw her brother into prison."

He got up hotly and took a step or two toward me.

"Be careful what you say. You know better than that."

"Your habit has not been to run down offenders," I remarked.

"We've had to let several of them go because of their relation to members of the company. But there must be a stop somewhere, and I am in earnest when I say that it must be here. I'm sorry for the boy and for his sister, though I don't expect you to believe it. But—"

"No, don't," said I.

I took up my hat.

"Wait! Where are you going?"

"Back to my office."

"What for?"

"Because our interview is at an end."

"It's only begun. We must talk of how we are to proceed."

I walked toward the door.

"Am I to understand you refuse to have anything to do with the prosecution?" he cried.

"You certainly are, Ankony."

"I must remind you of your obligation to the company."

"There's an obligation before it," I said, my hand on the knob.

"That sounds very fine," he sneered. "Naturally, I can understand that you wish the Hemingray name kept clean, since—"

"Don't go any further, if you please. I shall send in my resignation at once."

"Oh, better think twice of that, Mr. Twining."

I went out and shut the door. But half-way down the hall I turned deliberately, hesitated only a moment, and went back. What pride I had for myself and for Dan and Barbara was gone. Matters must be amicably adjusted if possible.

"Ankony," I said, going in to him, "for God's sake think of Miss Hemingray, if you won't think of the boy. If she had accepted you last night, you would not have followed this course. You wouldn't have considered it. You would have been full of other plans this morning. Surely we can't hold women to blame for not caring for us when we ask them to. It's not fair. Love isn't to be compelled; you know that as well as I do. Think better of this. Won't you? You know what an honored place theirs has always been in the community. You know what luck they've had ever since their father's death, and how they've met it. You have been a guest in their house, a friend of them both. You must have admired their courage, their smiles, and the incomparable way in which they have both set themselves to make things come right. The boy has been weak."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Pineapples in Queensland.

Altogether there are some 3,000 acres devoted to pineapple cultivation in Queensland, giving a yield of something like ten million pines a year. Two crops are gathered during the 12 months. Most of the owners of the plantations started without capital, and are now reaping about $250 an acre net profit. It is an industry from which returns are quickly obtained. Fifteen months after planting the grower is securing his first crop. Next year he should double his crop, because, like the banana, once the pineapple has borne fruit the stalk dies down, and its place is taken by one or more suckers, which, in their turn, fruit and die. A cider of remarkably fine quality can be made from the fruit.

Had a Fellow Feeling.

A little boy had lived for some time with a very penurious uncle, who was one day walking out with the child at his side, when a friend accosted him, accompanied by a greyhound. The little fellow, never having seen a dog of so slim and slight a texture, clasped the creature round the neck, with the impasioned cry:

"Oh, doggie, doggie, and did ye live wi' your uncle too, that ye are so thin?"

Giggling Is Exempt.

Now the chewing gum trust has reorganized to get a firmer grip on the jaws of our girls, but, thank heaven, no concern has proved strong enough so far to control the country's rippling giggles.—Houston Post.

PATIENT SUFFERING.

Many Women Think They Are Doomed to Backache.

It is not right for women to be always ailing with backache, urinary ills, headache and other symptoms of kidney disease. There is a way to end these troubles quickly. Mrs. John H. Wright, 606 East First St., Mitchell, S. D., says: "I suffered ten years with kidney complaint and a doctor told me I would never get more than temporary relief. A dragging pain and lameness in my back almost disabled me. Dizzy spells come and went and the kidney secretions were irregular. Doan's Kidney Pills rid me of these troubles and I feel better than for years past."

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A Question of Grammar.

Hetty's uncle, who was a school teacher, met her on the street one beautiful May day and asked her if she was going out with the Maying party.

"No, I ain't going."

"Oh, my little dear," said her uncle, "you must not say 'I ain't going,'" and he proceeded to give her a little lesson in grammar. "You are not going. He is not going. We are not going. You are not going. They are not going. Now, can you say all that, Hetty?"

"Sure I can," she replied, making a courtesy. "There ain't nobody going."—Lutheran.

"Chickens a Nuisance."

"Chickens a nuisance," declares the Charleston News and Courier. What, fried?—Baltimore Sun.

Chickens a nuisance? Yes, when all they leave of your garden is a reminiscence; yes, when the young cock, full of the joy of life, rouses you in the early dawn; yes, when some low-browed, vulgar fowl whips the very life out of your blooded pet; yes, when the pip or other ailment worries the amateur breeder. But when fried? Never!

Brooklyn Flag Factory.

One of the biggest official flag factories in the world is in the Brooklyn navy yard. Between eighty and one hundred women work there all the year round making flags for the use of Uncle Sam's fighting ships. They use up 120,000 yards of bunting a year and fashion 418 different kinds of official flags. The flags cost $90,000 a year.

Drowning the Sound.

Helen—You enjoy singing?

Grace (raising her voice to high pitch)—Not particularly.

Helen—Then why do you sing?

Grace—Why, father is eating corn off the cob.

SENSE ABOUT FOOD

Facts About Food Worth Knowing.

It is a serious question sometimes to know just what to eat when a person's stomach is out of order and most foods cause trouble.

Grape-Nuts food can be taken at any time with the certainty that it will digest. Actual experience of people is valuable to anyone interested in foods.

A Terre Haute woman writes: "I had suffered with indigestion for about four years, ever since an attack of typhoid fever, and at times could eat nothing but the very lightest food, and then suffer such agony with my stomach I would wish I never had to eat anything.

"I was urged to try Grape-Nuts and since using it I do not have to starve myself any more, but I can eat it at any time and feel nourished and satisfied, dyspepsia is a thing of the past, and I am now strong and well.

"My husband also had an experience with Grape-Nuts. He was very weak and sickly in the spring. Could not attend to his work. He was under the doctor's care but medicine did not seem to do him any good until he began to leave off ordinary food and use Grape-Nuts. It was positively surprising to see the change in him. He grew better right off, and naturally he had none but words of praise for Grape-Nuts.

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"There's a Reason."

It contains the phosphate of potash from wheat and barley which combine with albumen to make the gray matter to daily refill the brain and nerve centers.

It is a pity that people do not know what to feed their children. There are many mothers who give their youngsters almost any kind of food and when they become sick begin to pour the medicine down them. The real way is to stick to proper food and be healthy and get along without medicine and expense.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

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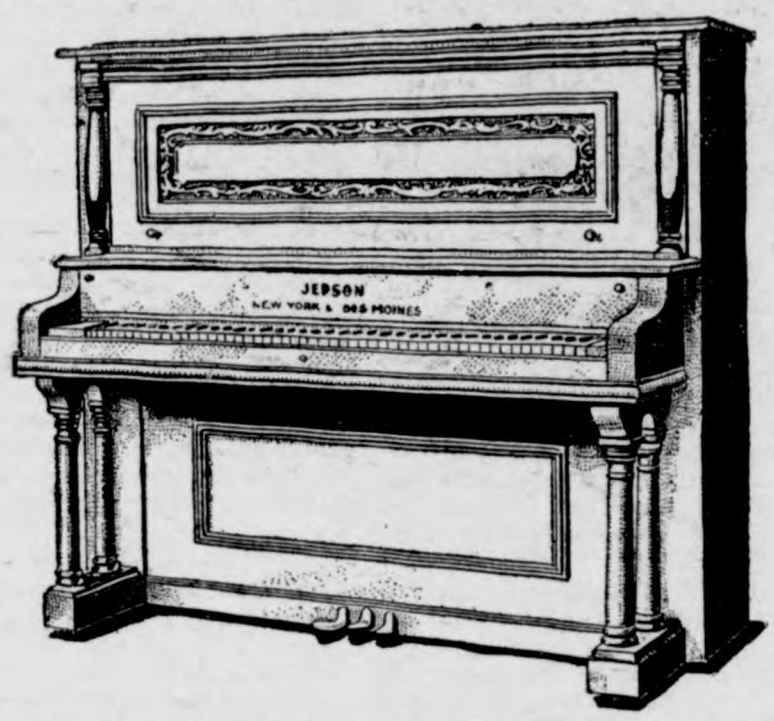

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Happily Wedded

Two more of the popular young people of Klemme have decided to travel the road of life in double harness.

On Wednesday afternoon, September eighth, at four o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, was solemnized the marriage of Miss Johanna K. Coobs to Wallace Pavey, Rev. Achtermann of the Klemme German Reformed church pronouncing the words that joined them for life. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few relatives and close friends of the contracting parties.

In the evening a reception was tendered the happy couple by the bride's parents, to which many friends were invited. A bountiful repast was served and social amusements were indulged in to the high enjoyment of all present,

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Coobs, who are among our good farmers, and she is held in high esteem by a large circle of friends. The groom is well known to our readers and numbers his friends in Klemme and vicinity by the score. He is holding a position in the blacksmith and wagon shop of J. W. Scott. The newly married couple will soon be at home to their friends in Klemme. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Pavey are unanimous in their wishes that they may enjoy a long life of happiness and abundant prosperity.

ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Luella Yohn has been at Clear Lake a few days.

Wm. Baack was at Woden a few days last week.

Clifford Swartz spent Sunday with his parents near Garner.

Bert Auchampach and wife were at Ventura Saturday evening.

Mrs. Joe Lawhorn visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, at Garner Sunday.

Henry Josten and wife visited Sunday at the Haverkamp home in Germantown.

Bertha Haupt and Emma Born were visitors at Herman Barz' Friday of last week.

Henry Lewis of Klemme and Hod Lawhorn spent Saturday and Sunday at the Lake.

Johanna Wessels returned home from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Oleson of Clear Lake.

Mr. Casperson of near Garner is plowing on the Haverkamp place. He rented the farm for next year.

Go With a Rush

The demand for that wonderful stomach, liver and kidney cure, Dr. King's New Life Pills—is astounding G. A. Pabst & Co. say they never saw the like. Its because they never fail to cure sour stomach, constipation, indigestion, billiousness, jaundice, sick headache, chills and malaria. Only 25c.

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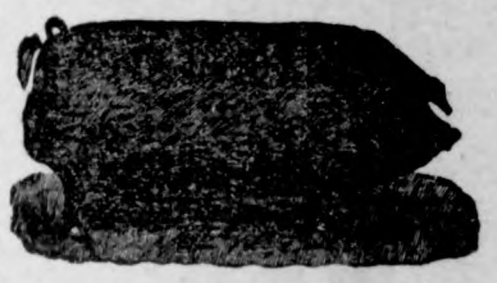

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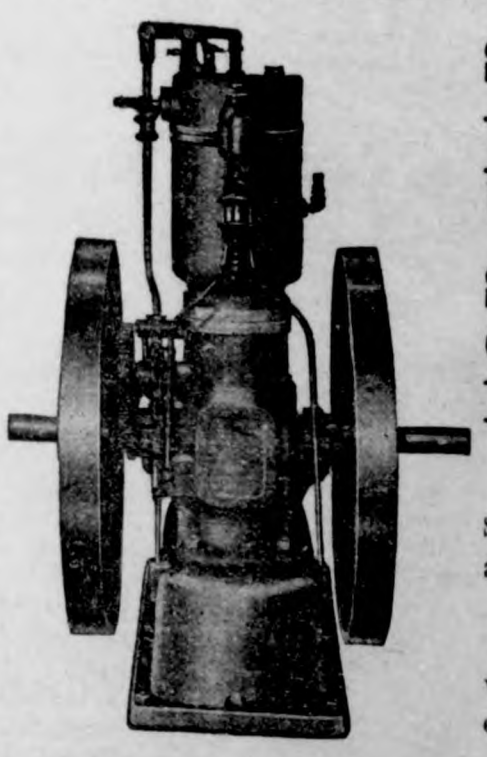

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sh fruits at Kluckhohn's.

d the new ad of the Rock System.

ater Coats for the baby, llemeyer's.

e finest line of candies in at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

. F. Lau and family were from Garner over Sunday.

e extracted honey for sale, pound Herman Coobs. 3*

H. Lau & Son for corn s, wagons, buggies, etc.

R. Waterman is having a r kitchen built onto his

R. Bloom and H. C. Lau shipped one car of hogs y morning.

't fail to read the ad of the Savings Bank and go to e next Tuesday.

rt Carlson and wife, of Kound, Iowa, were here ay to attend the funeral of e Mrs. O. E. Carlson.

. E. P. Dow and little ter returned Monday to home at Rake, after a visit ith friends and relatives.

ers will be interested in Griggs' ad in this issue going to sell some of his ted Duroc Jersey hogs. his ad.

and Mrs. Fred Haupt and al. Josten and daughter ed Tuesday evening from ended visit at points in Dakota

J. J. Wilson, the popular ey auctioneer, was in our Friday and made us a t call. While here he a card in the Times. it up. Mr. Wilson has bad siege of typhoid-pneu- during the summer, but y recovered and will be in the ring as usual this crying sales. He is a easant gentleman to meet.

g obliged to take it for will sell it out cheap; Hess Stock Food. Hess Poultry Panacea. Hess Instant Louse Kill-

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Eyes tested. Glasses fitted. Dr. W. F. Missman.

Knit Sweater Coats for Misses and Ladies, at Wellemeyer's.

Read the new ads of the State Savings Bank and Terhufen Bros.

We acknowledge a pleasant call from John Wenig last Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Parker, of Goodell, was visiting friends in Klemme Friday.

Ice cream sodas, sundaes, and all kinds of cool refreshing drinks at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

Mr. and Mrs Wm. Schaper and Rev. and Mrs. Keck were down from Garner Saturday.

The ladies of the English M. E. church served supper to the hungry people of Klemme at the parsonage last Saturday evening.

Luke Wessels was unfortunate yesterday in cutting his hand quite badly with an axe. It required several stitches to close the wound.

E. F. Kluckhohn, Dr. Richter, Arthur Kluckhohn and family and G. G. Washburn and family, of Garner, visited here Sunday at the home of G. W. Kluckhohn.

School commenced Monday with Prof. L. E. Bowker as principal, Miss Elnora Koerner teacher of the second room and Miss Emelia Lenz teacher in the primary room.

"Butch" Schroeder was here from Chicago Saturday shaking hands with old friends. He reports that his brother Charley, who is taking treatment in a Chicago hospital, is slowly improving in health.

Nels Palmer has put on a whole lot of style the past week or two. He has had cement walks put in along the whole north side of his lots, besides walks up to and around the house and a cement platform over the well and cistern. It is a dandy improvement.

New Sweater Coats for men, at Wellemeyer's.

H. L. Suckow was the victim of an accident last Saturday evening from which he escaped without serious injury. He fell down the cellar stairs at his home It was at first thought that he was badly injured. Medical aid was called at once and examination showed that there were no bones broken, although the victim was badly bruised and shocked. Mr. Suckow was able to be out Sunday.

DEATH OF MRS. O. E. CARLSON

Death is always sad, and when the dread messenger enters the home where there are small children and takes away the guiding hand of the household—the mother—then does it seem doubly sad. Even sadder yet does it seem when the mother gives up her own life in giving life to another, when a sweet little babe is left without the love and care and devotion which only a mother is able to give. How true it is that many times "God's ways seem dark," but in His all-wise being He surely knows what is for our good

One of the saddest visitations of the Death Angel that we have been called upon to chronicle for some time occurred last Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, when Mrs. Oscar E. Carlson passed into the Great Beyond, leaving to mourn her loss, a loving husband, two little sons, and a wee baby daughter who came into the world only about one day before the mother's death. Besides her immediate family, deceased leaves one brother and one sister, her parents having both died while she was quite young.

Hattie Swanson was born on January 17, 1886. On May 6th, 1903, she was united in marriage to Oscar E. Carlson and to this union were born three children as above mentioned. The funeral services were held Tuesday in the Congregational church at Goodell and interment was made in the Goodell cemetery.

It is hard to find words to express sympathy in such an affliction, but we know that the bereaved ones have the heartfelt sympathy of all our people in this sad hour when their home is darkened by the taking away of a kind and loving wife and mother.

Try Kluckhohn's ice cream soda with crushed fruit and you will become a regular customer.

Mrs. L. A. Turgasen and little son came down from Swea City last Thursday evening for a visit at the G. W. Kluckhohn home.

New fall line of ladies' shoes received. I can show the latest and best approved styles at reasonable prices. Call and see my line. F. Gruetzmacher. 4tf

Lawrence Larsen now has a new buzz-devil. It is a 1910 model five-passenger Buick touring car. He went to Mason City after the car Monday, accompanied by M. I. Parker and Clarence Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Missman and daughters Carrie and Esther and son Irving were down from Garner Sunday visiting with Dr. W. F. Missman.

German M. E. Church Items

Hugo Neff began work as clerk in the Wellemeyer store last week.

Alma Bettin left for Charles City last week to attend the city high school.

Minnie Schurmeyer, of Redfield, S. D., is a guest at the Arnold home.

Minnie Renzihausen of Monona, is spending a few weeks with her sisters.

The W. F. M. S. met with Mrs. W. F. Stille Tuesday afternoon for their monthly meeting.

Will Schmidt is now the assistant in the meat market and the white apron is real becoming to him.

Lurena Wessel and Ella Griewe departed for Charles City Tuesday morning to attend college.

A number of our good farmers are putting up their silos and the work of filling them will soon begin.

Charles Schaper of Wapello, Iowa, made his brother and sister a short visit, returning Monday evening.

James Schneider and wife, of Monona, arrived last week to visit their many friends and take in the conference.

Jacob Kraus, of Clayton county, is visiting his parents and other relatives in Klemme and Germantown.

Mrs. Edward Weisbrod, of Fenton, was an over Sunday

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All kinds—inside or outdoor views. I make a specialty of photo postal cards, 75 cents a dozen. Good work at reasonable prices.
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All kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats. Canned goods and oysters in season. Headquarters for part of Heinz' Fifty-Seven Varieties, and Pickling Vinegar.
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Try a "Lovers' Delight" the latest and best Ice Cream Sundae in town.
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AT THE OPENING OF THE STANDING ROCK AND CHEYENNE RIVER INDIAN RESERVATIONS.

Registration at Mobridge, Lemmon or Aberdeen, S. D., October 4 to 23.

The opening of the Standing Rock and Cheyenne River Indian Reservations in South Dakota and North Dakota in October will give thousands of people 160 acres of fertile farming lands for a small sum per acre.

If you intend to engage in farming or are now farming and wish to change your location, why not register for one of these farms? It costs nothing to register.

Aberdeen, South Dakota, on the **Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway**, and Mobridge and Lemmon, South Dakota, on the **Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound Railway**, are points of registration. You can register any day from October 4 to 23. The drawing will take place at Aberdeen on October 26.

This land opening will also give you a splendid opportunity to see the wonderful country opened through the construction of the new line to the Pacific Coast, at small additional cost over your railroad fare to points of registration.

Folders regarding this land opening and the country along the new line in South Dakota, North Dakota and Montana, free. F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry., Chicago, Illinois.

SPOILED.

Biggs—Waiter, this steak is too tough to cut. Take it back.

Waiter—Sorry, sir, but I can't; you've bent it.

OPENING OF CHEYENNE RIVER INDIAN RESERVATION.

The General Land Office at Washington has designated Le Beau and Aberdeen, So. Dak., on the Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. as registration points.

There will be about 7000 quarter sections allotted to settlers.

Who May Secure a Homestead.

Under the homestead laws of the United States any person, male of female, who is not the owner of more than 160 acres of land in any state or territory, who is a native born citizen of the United States, or has been naturalized, or declared his intention to become a naturalized citizen of the United States (i. e., one who has taken out his first papers of citizenship), who is over the age of 21 years or the head of a family, may make a homestead entry of not exceeding 160 acres of any of the unoccupied public lands of the United States.

Consumptives Need Not Leave Home.

Consumption can be cured, or arrested, in any section of the United States, and the percentage of cures in the east and the west is nearly the same. Any physician, therefore, who sends a person to the southwest without sufficient funds, or in an advanced or dying stage of the disease, is guilty of cruelty to his patient. Renewed efforts are being made to stop this practice, and to encourage the building of small local hospitals in every city and town in the country. Attempts are also being made in Southern California and in Texas to exclude indigent consumptives or to send them back to the east.

Care in Preparing Food.

In recent years scientists have proved that the value of food is measured largely by its purity; the result is the most stringent pure food laws that have ever been known.

One food that has stood out prominently as a perfectly clean and pure food and which was as pure before the enactment of these laws as it could possibly be is Quaker Oats; conceded by the experts to be the ideal food for making strength of muscle and brain. The best and cheapest of all foods. The Quaker Oats Company is the only manufacturer of oatmeal that has satisfactorily solved the problem of removing the husks and black specks which are so annoying when other brands are eaten. If you are convenient to the store buy the regular size packages; if not near the store, buy the large size family packages. 1

Naturally.

Magistrate (to witness)—I understand that you overheard the quarrel between the defendant and his wife?

Witness—Yes, sir.

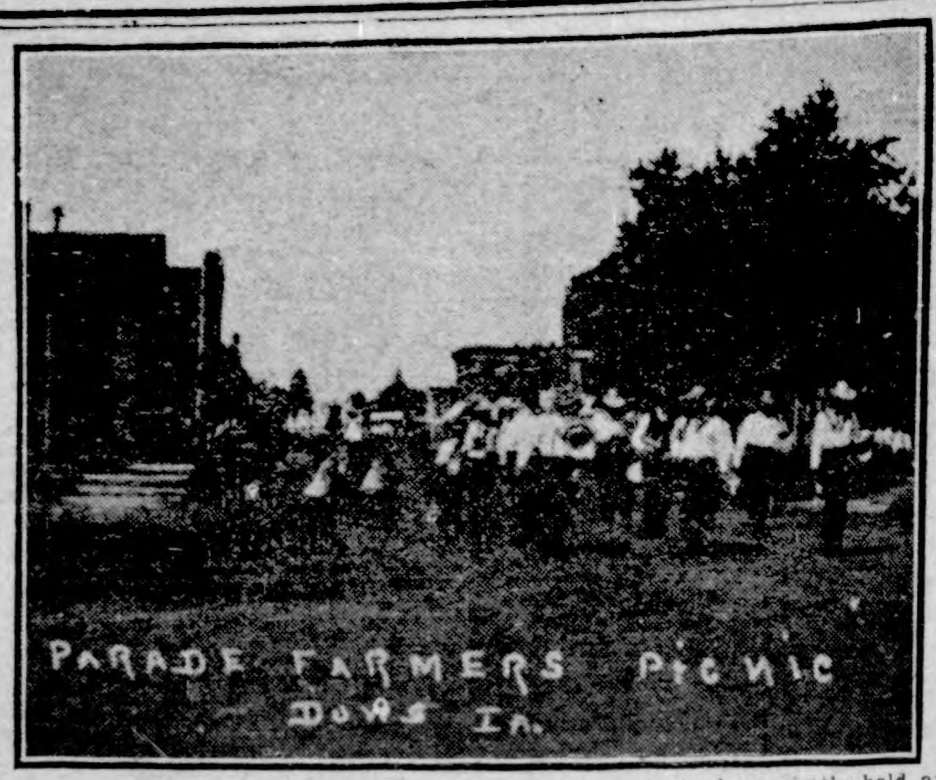
Magistrate—Tell the court, if you can, what he seemed to be doing.

Witness—He seemed to be doin' the listenin'.—Pearson's Weekly.

A Rude Suggestion.

"Why," asked the acquisitive young student, "do they call pretty women 'peaches?'"

"Because," growled the sour old bachelor, "pretty women are the fruit of mischief."



The above cut shows the parade at the farmers' picnic recently held at Dows, Ia. Over 5,000 farmers were in attendance, and coffee and buttermilk were served by the grain and creamery companies of that thriving city.

IOWA'S FAIR IS BEST

Everything Is In the Right Proportion.

COMPLETE IN EVERY DETAIL

Robert B. Ogilvie of Chicago Tells Wherein Big Exposition Surpasses That of All Other States.

Des Moines, Sept. 6.—"The Iowa State fair is the greatest of its kind in the United States," said Robert B. Ogilvie of Chicago, who was one of the judges in the horse department, and a visitor at many of the state fairs in this country.

"By greatest, I do not mean in point of attendance, receipts or any other one feature, but for being the best balanced, best rounded fair, it is superior to any of the others.

"Everything is in the right proportion here. The fair is complete in every detail. It is an all around fair, covering all the lines that a fair should.

"'Why is it so successful?' you ask. Simply because it is removed from politics, and you have comparatively young, efficient men in charge of it. I do not see how it could help being a success with such men as John C. Simpson and C. E. Cameron at the head.

"The management here has the proper attitude toward the public. They make it seem as though the people were entitled to the greatest consideration, etc. The officers take pains to make the people feel something is really due the patrons.

"This year's fair has been a great success. One of the principal reasons is because the directors have provided the best judges that can be secured, and the exhibitor is sure of a square deal. There may have been complaints the first day or two here, but you notice by the end of the week that they say it is all right, and that they have had honest treatment. That is another vital reason for the great success of the Iowa fair. And the longer one watches the fairs around the United States, the more one is impressed with the importance of the selection of good, impartial, competent judges."

Will Honor Ansel Briggs.

Andrew.—Elaborate preparations are being made by the Jackson County Historical society for entertaining the visitors at the dedication of the monument of Ansel Briggs, the first governor of Iowa, which is to be held at Andrew on September 22. A great many of the state officials and leading men of the state will be there. The guests will be met at the depot with automobiles which will take them to Andrew. Dinner will be served at Andrew and the guests will be taken back to the depot after the ceremonies.

Norwegians Meet at Dunbar.

Marshalltown—The Norwegian Old Settlers' association of Marshall county held its annual reunion and picnic near Dunbar. The principal addresses of the day were given by Ole O. Lien and the Rev. O. Qualen of this city, B. L. Wick of Cedar Rapids and D. J. Vinje of Nevada. H. G. Rinden of Dunbar is president of the association.

Sewers for Belle Plaine.

Belle Plaine.—The city council took decisive action in the matter of providing Belle Plaine with an adequate sewer system, by levying a sewer assessment of 3 mills for next year. There will also be a levy of 3 mills for the improvement fund, most of which will be expended for cement street and alley crossings.

Miss Phillips Aid to Holden.

Cedar Falls.—Miss Lura Phillips who taught for twelve years in the Cedar Falls public schools, and who last year was a candidate for the position of county superintendent of schools on the democratic ticket, has been appointed by the board of control to a position on Prof. P. G. Holden's staff of the department of agricultural extension in the Iowa State college. Her work will be in the division of schools of which A. V. Storms is the head. This department considers the educational side of agriculture as related to our secondary schools. The work will begin for Miss Phillips on October 1.

Comes Long Way to Wed.

Corning.—Miss Maude A. Walker of Winthrop, England, came here to meet her girlhood sweetheart, George Bugg, to whom she plighted troth fourteen years ago. The wedding occurred at the home of the aunt of the groom near Carbon. The bride wore the same shoes her mother wore when she was married in England forty years ago. This is the sixth time the shoes have been worn by a bride at her marriage, as four of Miss Walker's sisters as well as her mother and herself had used the shoes on a similar occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Bugg will reside in Corning.

Builds Modern Silo.

Mason City.—Charles Howell is erecting a modern silo under the direction of M. L. King, of the engineering department of the state agricultural school. The silo will be thirty feet high, eighteen feet in diameter, and will hold 200 tons of ensilage. It is build of concrete and steel.

Shoots Hubby Instead of Tree.

Iowa City.—Intending to hit a target on a tree, Mrs. Bert Loan shot her husband in the right shoulder. He had handed her a 22 caliber revolver and stepped behind the tree at which she was to shoot. The bullet is deeply imbedded and Loan is in a serious condition.

Three Hundred Acres of Pickles.

Marshalltown.—In order to be able to get a sufficient quantity of cucumbers with which to manufacture its output of pickles, the Marshall Vinegar company of this city has decided to raise its own cucumbers, and will plant 300 acres next season.

Dies at Soldier's Home.

Marshalltown.—After having been married sixty-two years, and lived to be one year past 90, Mrs. Martha A. Boyd of Arlington, Ia., died at the Soldier's home here, leaving the companion of her life, Alexander Boyd, at the age of 89.

Engineer Seriously Hurt.

Mason City—Alex Mottershed, an engineer on the Milwaukee road, was struck by a water tank cylinder and knocked from the engine onto a flat car. He suffered concussion of the brain, and his back and shoulder were injured.

Started Fire With Kerosene.

Harlan.—Attempting to start a fire with kerosene will prove fatal to Miss Mable Woods, 20-year-old daughter of Robert Woods. Her clothing caught fire and it is feared she cannot survive the burns.

Tries to Kill Himself.

Colfax.—James Goodman, who has a small feed store here, attempted suicide at his place of business by drinking a large quantity of aconite. He is about 60 years old and has a second wife.

Heether Very Ill.

Marshalltown.—Word has been received of the serious illness of J. A. Heether in Atlantic City, N. J. Mr. Heether is well known to Iowa railroad men. He was Wabash trainmaster at Moberly, Mo., for many years.

No Man is Stronger Than His Stomach

A strong man is strong all over. No man can be strong who is suffering from weak stomach with its consequent indigestion, or from some other disease of the stomach and its associated organs, which impairs digestion and nutrition. For when the stomach is weak or diseased there is a loss of the nutrition contained in food, which is the source of all physical strength. When a man "doesn't feel just right," when he doesn't sleep well, has an uncomfortable feeling in the stomach after eating, is languid, nervous, irritable and despondent, he is losing the nutrition needed to make strength.

Such a man should use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enriches the blood, invigorates the liver, strengthens the kidneys, nourishes the nerves, and so GIVES HEALTH AND STRENGTH TO THE WHOLE BODY.

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You can buy land now almost anywhere in the Southwest for $15.00 to $30.00 an acre—land that will treble in value when people realize the great opportunities awaiting them in that section.

It's a great country—a growing country—rich, fertile and healthful, and the opportunities for ambitious men to get a good start in life are simply great. But you must go ***NOW*** while prices are low—every day means dollars to you. Inspect the country—ask anybody living there what their experiences are—satisfy yourself that the Southwest is really the place that will bring ***big profits from small investments.***

Special Excursions

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GREAT FAIR CLOSES

Net Receipts Less Than Those of a Year Ago.

COLD RAIN CAUSED THE DROP

Attendance Greater This Year Than Ever Before, but $8,000 More Was Paid in Premiums Than in 1908.

Des Moines, Sept. 4—The fifty-fifth annual Iowa state fair closed last night with a parade of $3,000,000 worth of live stock in the pavilion. The net receipts of the entire week were smaller than those of the season of 1908, although the gross receipts for the season will be about the same

Rain and cold are responsible for the falling off in the amount of receipts. In an effort to make this the greatest fair Iowa has ever known the management spent $8,000 more for premiums than on the previous year, and the general expenses were higher by several thousands of dollars.

When it comes to attendance, this year's fair had that of 1908 beaten by 42,640 Thursday night, but this increase is not sufficient to raise the profits above those of the preceding year

Night Show Presented.

The greatest feature of the fair—the live stock parade and show—was seen without a hitch in the program. The extraordinary number of entries in the stock departments made the exhibition much greater than in previous years and the large crowd thoroughly enjoyed this feautre each day

The dome of the pavilion was hung with the national colors and the flags of other nations. The boxes on the four sides were draped with bunting and many of the state officials and prominent stock men of the world occupied them. In the north box was Gov. B. F. Carroll and other state officers. The west boxes were occupied by the breeders and stock men, including A. B. Swift.

When the Iowa Brigade band struck up "The Star Spangled Banner" the big doors at the south end of the pavilion swung open and fifty magnificent Percheron and Belgian horses pranced into the arena behind attendants clad in white uniforms, shoes and caps. The big horses were decorated with blue ribbons won at various shows and fairs.

Cattle Win Applause.

But the big demonstration from the people who packed the seating capacity of the pavilion came when the Short-horn, Polled Durham and Red Polled cattle entered the ring. Some of the animals were literally covered with blue ribbons which were hung about their solid bodies in strings. Following these came the dairy cattle, the Holsteins, Jerseys, Guernseys and Ayrshires.

Between the stock parades were the vaudeville numbers by tumblers, comedians and acrobats. Never in the history of the fair have such high-class attractions been seen. Some of the acts actually had to be driven from the arena by the ringmaster in order to complete the program at the set time.

The hippodrome ended when Swift & Co.'s Percheron six horse team and J. Crouch & Sons' six horse team entered the arena after the parade of mules, ponies, saddle horses, Herefords, Angus and Galloway cattle.

The new method of showing the live stock is unique. The animals are led around the arena three times after entering and then the parade is divided into three parts, each section forming a circle. The stock in the inner circle parade one way, the second circle in the opposite direction and the outside circle in the same direction as the inner one. After this they are lined up face to face along the center of the arena.

Boys Win Scholarships.

The boys' judging contest, held in the pavilion on Monday, was decided by the judges The scholarships in Ames College go to the following:

First, Edward Vaughan, Marion, 87 1-3 per cent

Earl C. Girton, State Center, 85¾.

Bruce Purvis, West Liberty, 84 1-6.

Roy Keables, Gilman, 83¼

Ryle S. McKee, Indianola, 82⅜.

Jesse M. Dowell, Bedford, 80.

State Fair Attendance by Days.

Friday	17,000
Saturday	21,348
Sunday	26,785
Monday	45,000
Tuesday	58,107
Wednesday	59,400
Thursday	15,000
Total	242,640
Total week of 1908	200,000

White Steamers Use Kerosene as Fuel

THE WHITE STEAMER WHICH MADE A SUCCESSFUL PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION OF KEROSENE AS FUEL ON THE RECENT 2650-MILE GLIDDEN TOUR.

The most interesting announcement ever made in connection with the automobile industry was undoubtedly that made a month or two ago to the effect that the new models of the White Steam Cars could be run on kerosene, or coal oil, instead of gasoline. Everyone at once recognized that the use of the new fuel would add materially to the advantages which the White already possessed over other types of cars. There were some people, however, who were sceptical as to whether or not the new fuel could be used with complete success, and, therefore, the makers of the White Car, the White Company, of Cleveland, Ohio, determined to make a public demonstration of the new fuel in the 1909 Glidden Tour.

From the standpoint of the public, no test more satisfactory could have been selected. First of all, the distance covered on the Glidden Tour, from Detroit to Denver and thence to Kansas City, was 2650 miles. This was certainly more than sufficient to bring out any weaknesses, if such had existed. Still more important was the fact that the car was at all times while on the road under the supervision of observers named by those who entered other contesting cars. Therefore, it would have been impossible for the driver of the White to have even tightened a bolt without the fact being noted and a penalty inflicted. At night the cars were guarded by Pinkerton detectives and could not be approached by any one.

The complete success of the new fuel while on the 2650-mile public test and the advantages gained through its use were well described in the following dispatch which the correspondent of the New York Sun sent to his paper at the conclusion of the tour:

"A feature of the tour which was watched with special interest was that the White Steamer used kerosene, or 'coal oil,' as fuel instead of gasoline. The new fuel worked splendidly throughout the 2650-mile journey, and all claims made in its behalf were fully proven. First of all, as regards cheapness, the White driver secured kerosene all along the route from 6 cents to 10 cents cheaper per gallon than was paid for gasoline. Secondly, the new fuel was handled without any precautions, and it was not unusual to see kerosene being poured into the fuel tank while the crew of the car and an interested crowd stood by with lighted cigars and cigarettes. At the finish of the tour, the White was the only car permitted by the authorities to enter Convention Hall, where the technical examination took place, without draining its fuel tank. Thirdly, the new fuel proved to be absolutely without smoke or smell. Fourthly, kerosene could be purchased at whatever part of the route was most convenient, and not once during the trip through the ten States of the Middle West was there found a grocery store where kerosene was not readily and cheaply obtainable. Finally, the amount of fuel used on the trip showed that kerosene is at least fifteen per cent. more efficient, gallon for gallon, than gasoline. The car in other respects made a most creditable showing, and there was the usual rivalry among the observers to be assigned to the White so that they could ride with the maximum of comfort. The only adjustments or repairs charged against the car during the long trip were tightening a lubricator pipe and wiring a damaged mud guard. These penalties were not inflicted until more than 2000 miles had been completed with an absolutely perfect score."

A particularly interesting feature of the new White Steamer is that either kerosene or gasoline may be used as fuel. The necessary adjustments so that the fuel may be changed from kerosene to gasoline, or vice versa, may be made in a couple of minutes; but so completely successful has kerosene proved to be, that it is not believed that any purchasers will care to use gasoline.

The White Company report that the demand for their new steam cars—both the $2000-model and the $4000-model—exceed their most sanguine expectations. It is evident that the combination of steam—the power which everyone understands and has confidence in—with kerosene—the fuel which everyone has on hand and can handle without any danger—is thoroughly appreciated by up-to-date purchasers of automobiles.

Pests Worried by Pests.

Since the Dutch philosopher Leeuwenhoek discovered that the pupa of the flea was sometimes preyed on by the larvae of a mite, it has been well known that various small insects have their external parasites. And a recent communication to the Comptes Rendus of the Biological society of Paris by M. Bruyant, shows that many mosquitoes carry about mites in the larval stage. Those described belong to four different genera. They probably feed on the integumentary structures of the mosquitoes.

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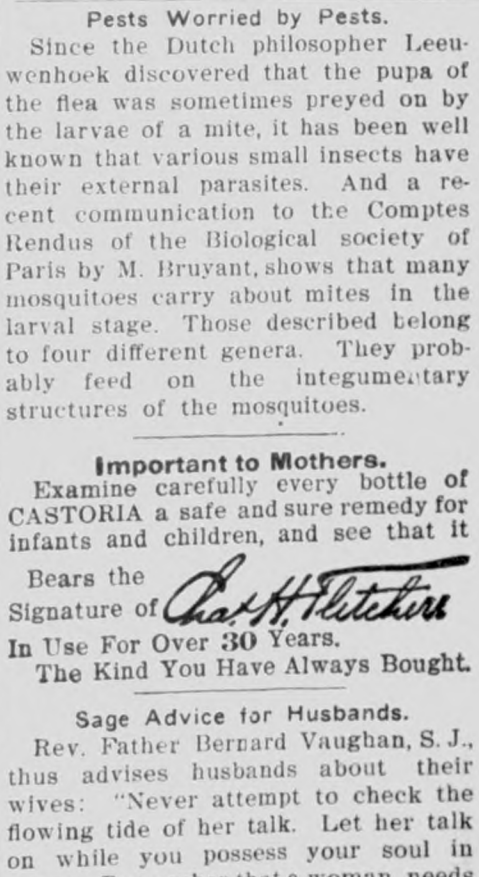

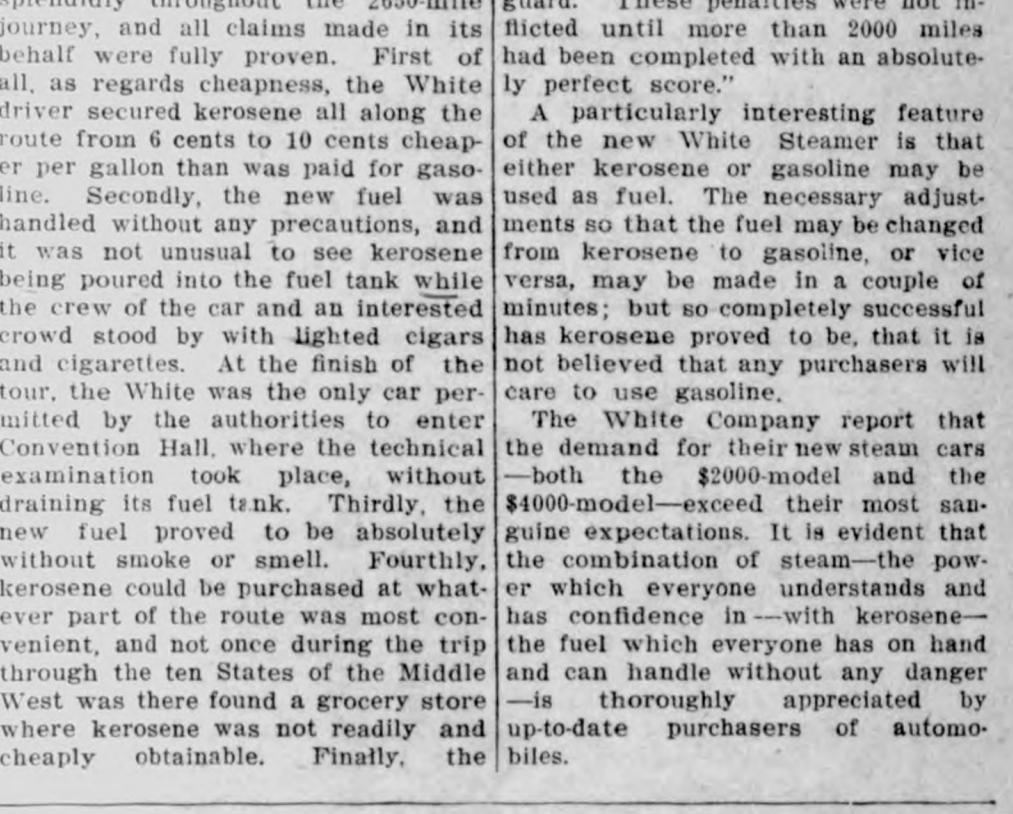

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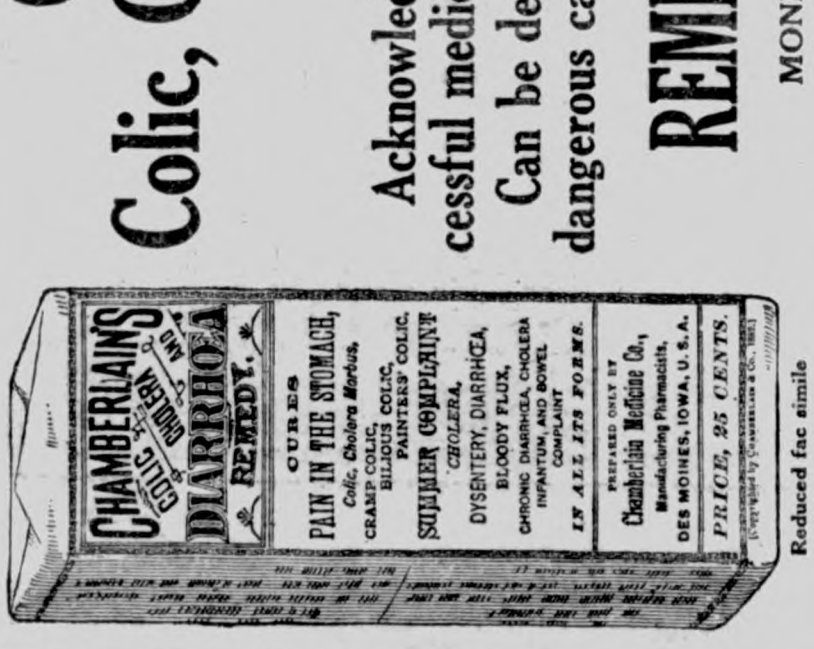

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visitor at the old homestead in Germantown.

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Everything has seemed very quiet since all the ministers and so many visitors have returned home after conference It was a lively time for our little village.

A number of our Germantown people attended the funeral of Mrs. Carlson Tuesday. We extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved husband and the motherless children.

Henry Koerner of Charles City accompanied his daughter Elnora to this place last Saturday and took in the conference. His daughter began work as teacher in the second room of our school Monday.

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Premiums on U. S. bonds		1,032 75
Banking house furniture and fixtures		2,050 87
Due from National banks		13,835 82
Due from approved reserve agents		26,758 39
Checks and other cash items		296 63
Notes of other National banks		20 00
Fractional paper currency nickels and cents		92 16
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Specie	$ 7,813 95	
Legal tender notes		7,813 95
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer		1,250 00
Total		185,586 78

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	25,000 00
Surplus fund	901 15
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	1,137 39
National bank notes outstanding	25,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	31,832 88
Demand certificates of deposit	101,715 36
Total	185,586 78

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I, F. A. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemny swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. A. Arnold, Cashier.

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Good Dramatic Criticism

The late Richard Mansfield always felt that he owed more to the wise discernment and staunch support of the Chicago Record-Herald than to any other agency, outside himself, that contributed to his ultimate triumph as an actor. Ask any disinterested observer of theatrical matters today who is the best dramatic critic in Chicago, and ten to one he will say James O'Donnell Bennett of the Chicago Record-Herald. Mr. Bennett is unquestionably the leading critic in his domain in the West. He writes with a fearless fairness and a keen appreciation of real merit that makes his articles a genuine force for the betterment of the stage. His knowledge of the history and principles of dramatic art is sufficient to lend depth to his utterances, yet he has the newspaper man's knack of making his work breezy and interesting for the average man and woman. His columns are always newsy as well as reliable in their judgments. Anyone who will follow the dramatic, musical, literary and art departments of the Chicago Record-Herald from season to season need have to fear about keeping abreast of all that is latest and finest in the movement of modern culture.

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This store when you need anything in the line of Hardware and Farm Implements. Full line of Heaters, Cook Stoves and Ranges. The best makes in Farm Machinery. We also handle the best Paints, Oils and Varnish.

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Colic Quickly Cured

Colic is one of the most severe and painful diseases. It is quite common too. Almost everyone has an occasional attack. Fortunately there is a remedy that always affords quick relief and that has never been known to fail in any case. It is called Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Mr. Tod Robinson, a prominent merchant of Point Blank, Texas, says, "I have had several attacks of colic and in every instance one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy relieved me, and I never had to take more than two doses to effect a cure." For sale by G. A. Pabst & Co.

GOODELL

From the Globe:

Jay Griggs went to Rowan last Friday to attend a hog sale.

J. J. Wilson, of Meservey, was a business visitor to Goodell on Friday.

Elmer Boren has been suffering for several days with a felon on his hand.

Mesdames Beiers and Hall attended German Methodist conference at Klemme last Saturday.

The Eldred girls, after several days visit with friedds here, returned to their home at Clear Lake Sunday.

Evangelist Baker, after two weeks' revival meetings at the U. B. church, returned to his home at Rushville, Illinois, Friday. Rev. Baker was a very earnest worker and much good was accomplished during his stay here.

Miss Annie Lemke, who has been visiting here for several weeks, returned to her home at Garner Monday.

Nearly 1,000 Pianos at a Bargain

Lyon & Healy, of Chicago, known everywhere as "The World's Largest Music House," are offering remarkable reductions on their great stock of Upright pianos in order to make room for carpenters putting in new flooring.

In this stock are new pianos of the highest quality, including nearly all known makes.

Lyon & Healy are offering this superb stock of pianos to the public at 20 to 40 per cent discount, in order that it may be moved quickly and the work of alteration facilitated thereby; so here is a chance to get a much better piano for any sum you have in mind than you can ordinarily obtain.

Write today for the list of pianos in this great alteration piano sale, which is an event entirely unprecedented in the history of piano-selling. Or arrange to make a visit of inspection to their salesrooms, corner Wabash Avenue and Adams Street, Chicago. Four distinct plans of easy payments, for those who do not wish to pay all cash.

School Notes

There are seven little folks in the beginner's class.

A few absences are already on record in the different grades.

A. Lau, president of the school board, made each of the rooms a visit Tuesday forenoon.

Notes that we think will be of interest to the pubic will be printed from week to week.

Ten pupils in the high school are taking Physical Geography and Book-keeping, these being two studies which they have not had before.

Total enrollment now is seventy-three, the number being quite equally divided among the rooms. The Intermediate room has the largest enrollment.

The school board, teachers, patrons and pupils each have a part to perform in our school and the educational interests of the community will suffer if any of these fail to do their part.

Ask Her This Question

"Do you know of any woman who ever received any benefit from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?"

If any woman who is suffering with any ailment peculiar to her sex will ask her neighbors this question, she will be surprised at the result. There is hardly a community in this country where women cannot be found who have been restored to health by this famous old remedy, made exclusively from a simple formula of roots and herbs.

During the past 30 years we have published thousands of letters from these grateful women who have been cured by **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** and never in all that time have we published a testimonial without the writer's special permission. Never have we knowingly published a testimonial that was not truthful and genuine. Here is one just received a few days ago. If anyone doubts that this is a true and honest statement of a woman's experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound write and ask her.

Houston, Texas.—"When I first began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was a total wreck. I had been sick for three years with female troubles, chronic dyspepsia, and a liver trouble. I had tried several doctor's medicines, but nothing did me any good.

"For three years I lived on medicines and thought I would never get well, when I read an advertisment of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and was advised to try it.

"My husband got me one bottle of the Compound, and it did me so much good I continued its use. I am now a well woman and enjoy the best of health.

"I advise all women suffering from such troubles to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. They won't regret it, for it will surely cure you."—Mrs. Bessie L. Hicks, 819 Cleveland St., Houston.

Any woman who is sick and suffering is foolish surely not to give such a medicine as this a trial. Why should it not do her as much good as it did Mrs. Hicks.

Opening of **Cheyenne River Indian Reservation**

(2,800,000 Acres)

Register for a free homestead October 4th to 23rd.

The Commissioner of the General Land Office at Washington has designated

Le Beau and Aberdeen, S. Dak.

as registration points. These cities are reached best by the Iowa Central Ry. and

The Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R.

Le Beau is the Gateway to the Reservation and the only registration point where the lands can be seen from the town.

The country is fertile and well watered—the equal in all respects of land a few miles east that sells for $25.00 per acre.

Frequent trains and low fares. Full information on request.

For rates, etc., write or ask any agent of the Iowa Central or Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R. or

A. B. CUTTS, General Passenger and Ticket Agent
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is worth its weight in gold. It stops all **itching, irritating skin diseases, eczema, erysipelas, ringworm, chapping or burns.** A positive cure for itching and inflamed piles.

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WESLEYAN'S MONEY

First Hundred Thousand Is Nearly In Sight.

PLAN FOR STATE COMMISSION

Committees to Be Named by the Conference—Pella Chosen as Meeting Place for the Conference in 1910.

Winfield, Ia., Sept. 13.—In pursuance of a plan to form a state Methodist commission, a committee was appointed to represent the Iowa conference. The committee is composed of Elias A. Handy, C. N. Pace and J. R. Hanly. This committee will meet similar committees appointed by the other Iowa conferences, when plans will be formulated to carry on the movement.

Great enthusiasm prevailed here when Dr. Schell of Iowa Wesleyan university made his first report on the quarter million endowment campaign. He reported that he had raised $60,000 of the $75,000 necessary to secure the Andrew Carnegie donation of $25,000. Owing to the fact that only $15,000 is yet to be raised, he declared that the first $100,000 would be forthcoming within a year.

Pella was chosen as he meeting place for the 1910 conference. Pella secured the honor only after a warm fight. Four cities were strong bidders, Centerville, Knoxville, Pella and Bloomfield.

A resolution that the conference entertain itself next year was lost by a large majority. It was ordered by the coiference that Bishop Spellmeyer appoint a member from each district to formulate a different plan of entertainment, and report next year.

A rumor is afloat at the conference that the districts will be reduced in number from five to four, the Keokuk district to be absorbed by the others. Some dissatisfaction is being expressed over this plan.

A class of six has been received in full membership by the conference, and six were received on trial. Bishop Spellmeyer gave a fine advisory address to the new members.

The laymen held their convention and formed a permanent organization. Officers elected were: J. M. Beck of Centerville, president; L. S. Morgan of Burlington, secretary and C. E. Ward of Fairfield, treasurer. A hundred laymen were prestnt.

KILLED BY A TREE TRUNK

Heavy Tree Trunk Rebounds, Breaking Back and Ribs of James A. McKinney of Knoxville.

Knoxville, Ia., Sept. 13.—While engaged in cutting wood in his timber, James A. McKinney, aged 65 years, a farmer living three and a half miles west of this city, was killed by an immense tree which he had just felled.

In company with his two sons, Mr. McKinney had left home during the day to cut the tree down. The top of a large tree which he had just chopped down, became lodged in a it, the heavy trunk reboundtd breaking his back three times and all of his ribs on one side. He was killed instantly.

He is survived by his wife, two sons and three daughters, two of whom reside in Sac county. His two sons being present at the time of the accident, no inquest was deemed necessary.

Two Men Killed in Wreck.

Charles City, Ia., Sept. 13—Tne night gravel train on the Milwaukee leaving here about 8 o'clock going west, was wrecked about a mile this side of Bassett, about five miles from here. Rolly Waller, brakeman, was killed instantly, his neck and arm being broken. Peterson, another brakeman, was internally injured and died later. McLane, the conductor, was also injured, but it is thought not seriously.

Two Killed in Collision.

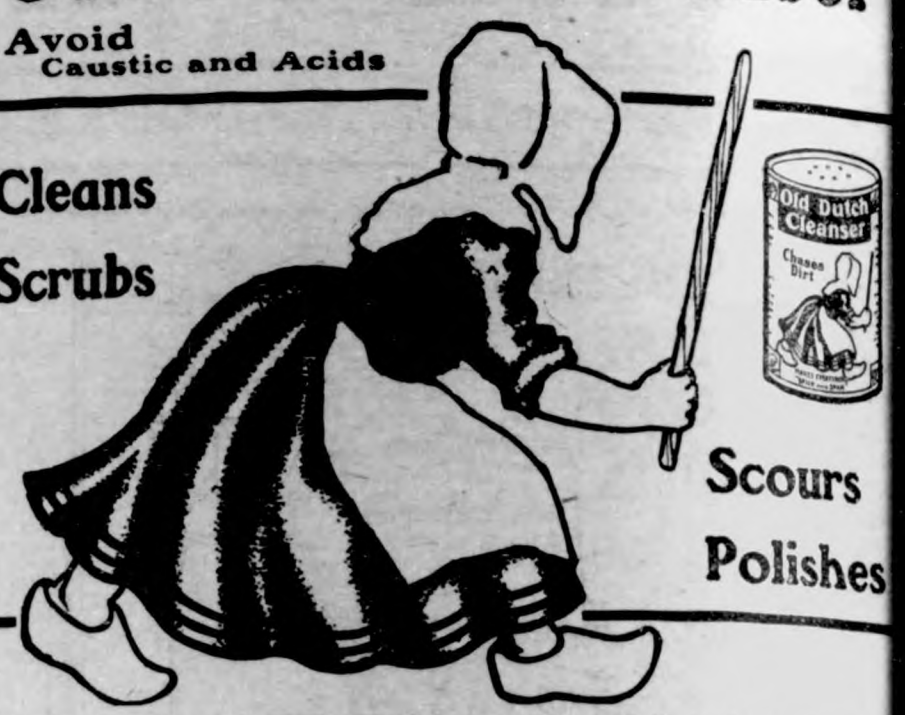
Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 13—Passenger train No. 89 on the Chicago, Burlington & auincy, southbound, and an extra stock train were in a headon collision at the station of Burnham, four miles southwest of Lincoln. Two men were killed outright and nine injured, one seriously.

For Paving at Dyersville.

Dyersville, Ia., Sept. 13.—A petition is being circulated here to have the main streets paved. The citizens are very enthusiastic over the prospect and the improvement will be a great boost to the town. Three new brick store buildings are being erected on Main street and the town is experiencing a building boom.

USE **Old Dutch Cleanser**

Avoid Caustic and Acids



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This handy, all-round, *mechanical* cleanser does all kinds of cleaning, and does it easier, quicker and better than old-fashioned caustic and acid cleaners which eat into the surfaces they touch.

Large, Sifting-Top Can 10c

If your dealer does not keep Old Dutch Cleanser, send us his name and 10 cents in stamps (the regular price) and *we'll gladly pay 22 cents postage* to send you a full-size can. Also write for our free booklet, "Hints for Housewives."

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WHY NOT?

One of the preachers has asked the members of his congregation to bring their canary birds to church. Why not try to save some of the parrots?

BIG PROFIT MADE ON LAND

Which Can Be Bought for a Mere Song in the Little Snake River Valley, Routt County, Colo.

A ten per cent profit on a valuation of over $200 an acre is what is being made now by farmers in the Little Snake River valley in Routt County, Colorado, and lands similar in quality and with gilt edged water rights are now offered by the State of Colorado under the Carey Act at $35.50 per acre on ten years' time.

This land will grow in abundance oats, potatoes, sugar beets and all other grains, grasses and root crops, and is suitable for all kinds of fruit, except possibly the most delicate of tree fruits.

The land is sold in tracts of 40, 80, 120 and 160 acres to citizens of the United States, or those who have declared their intentions of becoming citizens. There is no drawing in connection with this land; first come, first served being the policy.

If interested, write to the Routt County Colonization Co., 1734 Welton street, Denver, Colorado, for full information as to the land, special excursion rates, etc.

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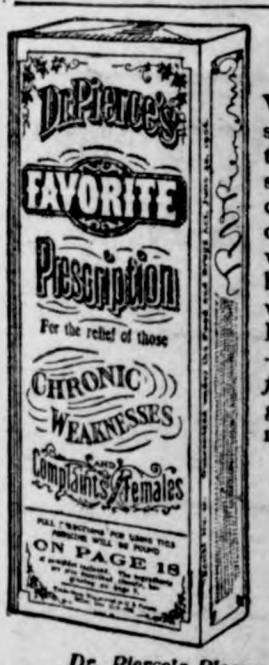

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When a woman speaks of her silent secret suffering she trusts you. Millions have bestowed this mark of confidence on Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. Everywhere there are women who bear witness to the wonder-working, curing-power of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—which saves the *suffering sex from pain,* and successfully grapples with woman's weaknesses and *stubborn ills.*

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BIG GAIN IS SHOWN

Northwestern First of Big Railroads To Make Report.

PROFITS IN IOWA, $5,000,000

New Signal System Completed From Chicago to Omaha, and In the Operation of System It Has Saved Lives.

Des Moines, Sept. 13.—The report of the Northwestern railroad for the year ending June 30, 1909, is the first of the big railroad reports received by the railroad commission.

It shows the new signal system has been completed from Chicago to Omaha and in the operation of the line the signal system has saved lives. Last year there were a total of twenty-nine killed and this year a total of sixteen. There were more persons killed on crossing and more trespassers killed this year than last. The signal system would have no effect here, the difect being in the crossings.

The net profits for the road in Iowa this year were $5,000,000 and for the entire system of 7,637 miles $22,000,000. The 8,138 employes in Iowa were paid $4,890,000 and the 46,000 employes of the entire system were paid $27,000,000.

Iowa Baptists' Golden Jubilee.

Harlan.—The Des Moines Western Baptist association, consisting of forty Baptist churches, held its fiftieth anniversary here. Rev. E. J. Brownson of Boone was the moderator. Live topics pertaining to the churches were discussed. By vote of the association, about $70 was sent to Rev. S. H. Mitchell of Ames in token of sympathy and remembrance. Father Mitchell, now nearly 80 years old, was a pioneer in this association in Iowa. He planted new churches and fostered weak ones into strength. Mr. Mitchell has written a history of Iowa Baptists. After a laymen's banquet the association closed with an address on "The Church's Call to Social Service" by President L. D. Seaborn, Ph. D., of Des Moines College.

Farm Made Him $15,000.

Manchester.—A land deal, which involved one of the largest outlays of money, ever taken in the county was consumated during the week, when H. T. Hicks sold his farm of 160 acres in Hazel Grove township to John Doyle, a farmer of Jones county, paying at the rate of $75 per acre, or an actual outlay of $25,500 in cash. Seventeen years ago Mr. Hicks bought this farm for $10,000 of Ellis Winard, and by the advance of Delaware county land is able to clear an even $15,500 on the property.

Wagon Bridge Gives Way.

Algona.—Henry Pilgin, a farmer in the southern part of this county, was severely injured about the head when the span of a bridge over which he was driving with a load of tile, gave way, precipitating wagon, team and driver into the stream below. One of the horses was killed. Pilgin's injuries are not believed to be fatal.

Sells His Patent.

West Union.—Bert Westcott, a barber, has sold his patent for a corn planting machine for $15,000. Last spring working on his farm Westcott Westcott got the idea for the machine. He had a model made and tried it out. He secured his patent in July. The Hadley Pump company of Dubuque purchased the patent.

Iowa at Big Dairy Show.

Hampton.—The Iowa delegation of dairy farmers that will attend the fourth national dairy show at Milwaukee, Oct. 14 to 24, will be representative of the progressive element and one of the largest in point of numbers that has attended any of the national expositions.

Undertaker Commits Suicide.

Indianapolis—Henry G. McKenzie an undertaker, shot himself to death in his establishment, after having written a note designating the coffin he wished to be buried in. He added that "worry over business had driven him insane."

Iowa Scientist Home From Canada.

Ames.—Dr. L. H. Pammel has returned from a trip through the Canadian Rockies, where he went with a number of students to study the flora and attend the Winnipeg meeting of the British association.

Boone to Get Cheaper Gas.

Boone.—The city council has given the ordinance providing dollar gas, two readings, and notified the gas company to be present with objections, if any, at the time of the third reading.

WHAT IS PAINT?

The paint on a house is the extreme outside of the house. The wood is simply a structural under layer. That is as it should be. Unprotected wood will not well withstand weather. But paint made of pure white lead and linseed oil is an invulnerable armor against sun and rain, heat and cold. Such paint protects and preserves, fortifying the perishable wood with a complete metallic casing.

And the outside of the house is the looks of the house. A well-constructed building may be greatly depreciated by lack of painting or by poor painting.

National Lead Company have made it possible for every building owner to be absolutely sure of pure white lead paint before applying. They do this by putting upon every package of their white lead their Dutch Boy Painter trademark. That trademark is a complete guarantee.

Sub Rosa.

She—She told me you told her that secret I told you not to tell her.

He—The mean thing! I told her not to tell you I told her.

She—I promised her I wouldn't tell you she told me, so don't tell her I told you.

Chicago to Boston and Return $25.60.

Grand Trunk Double Track Route. Tickets on sale daily until September 30th, thirty-day limit. Liberal stopovers. Through sleepers daily, tourist sleepers Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. Low fares to all tourist resorts in New England and Canada. Apply to Agent of any Eastbound line or write W. S. Cookson, A. G. P. A., 135 Adams St., Chicago, Ill.

Not Qualified for the Job.

Father (impressively)—"My son, I want you to be very attentive to your new teacher, who is a man of wide and general information. He can teach you everything you need to know." Small Boy (derisively)—"He? He don't know nothin'! Why, he can't even tell who's pitchin' in the league teams."

A Queer Malady.

Sprigg went to a noted physician to ask advice as to his health. In pompous tones he addressed the doctor:

"I—ah— have come to—ah—ask you—ah—what—what is—ah—the doosid mattaw with me—ah!"

"I find that your heart is affected," said the physician, gravely.

"Oh—ah—anything else—ah?"

"Yes; your lungs are affected, too."

"Anything—ah—else—ah?"

"Yes; your manners are also affected."

No Short Haul for Him.

"This is where you get off," said the railroad conductor.

"But I haven't rid fur enough," said the Billville man.

"Can't help that. You can't go any further on this ticket."

"My friend," said the man, "it's the furst time I ever rid on a railroad train, an' ef you ain't a better man than what I am I'm a-goin' to set right here till I see whar the road ends. I know it must end some're, an' I'm curious to see whar. Here's one more dollar. Now, go 'long an' let me alone!"

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Coffee's Weight on Old Age.

When prominent men realize the injurious effects of coffee and the change in health that Postum can bring, they are glad to lend their testimony for the benefit of others.

A superintendent of public schools in North Carolina says:

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"Some time ago I was making an official visit to a distant part of the country and took dinner with one of the merchants of the place. I noticed a somewhat peculiar flavor of the coffee, and asked him concerning it. He replied that it was Postum.

"I was so pleased with it, that after the meal was over, I bought a package to carry home with me, and had wife prepare some for the next meal. The whole family liked it so well, that we discontinued coffee and used Postum entirely.

"I had really been at times very anxious concerning my mother's condition, but we noticed that after using Postum for a short time, she felt so much better than she did prior to its use, and had little trouble with her heart and no sick stomach; that the headaches were not so frequent, and her general condition much improved. This continued until she was as well and hearty as the rest of us.

"I know Postum has benefited myself and the other members of the family, but not in so marked a degree as in the case of my mother, as she was a victim of long standing."

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"There's a Reason."

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First Him—When that man fell overboard, why did you throw the cigar I gave you after him?

Second Him—I thought I heard the poor devil call for a rope!

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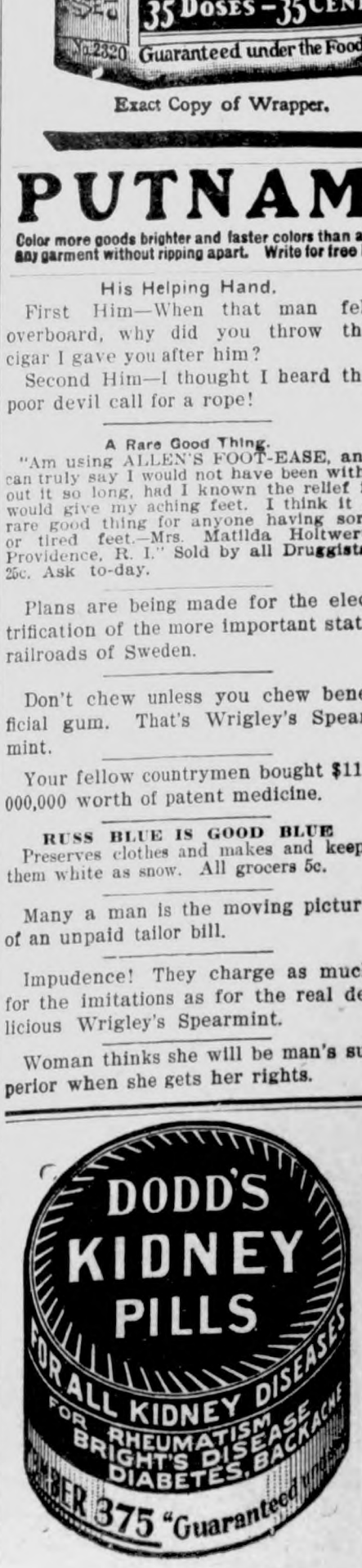
Woman thinks she will be man's superior when she gets her rights.



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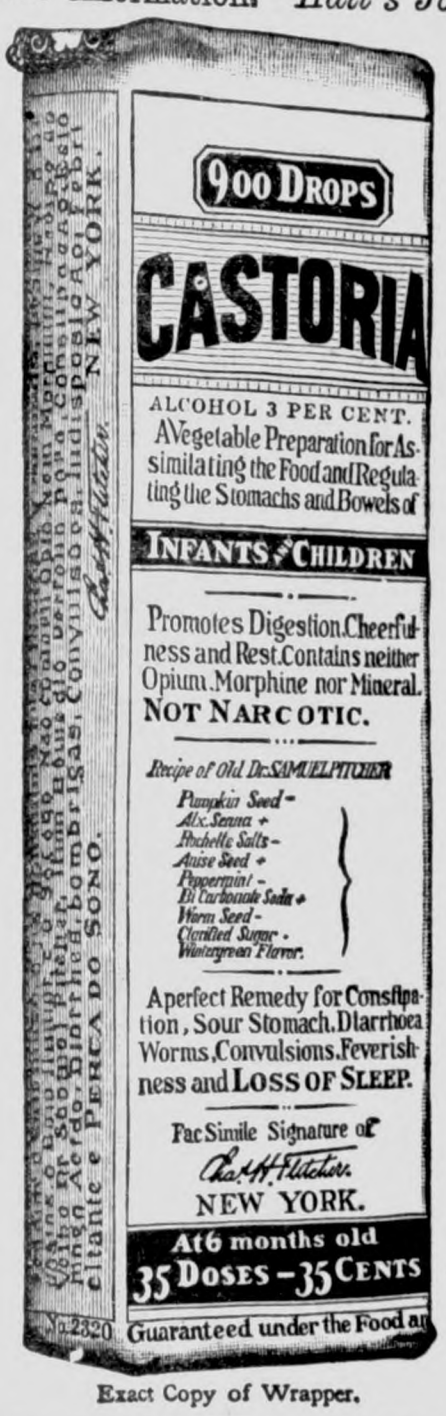

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Letters from Prominent Physicians addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

Dr. B. Halstead Scott, of Chicago, Ills., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria often for infants during my practice, and find it very satisfactory."

Dr. William Belmont, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "Your Castoria stands first in its class. In my thirty years of practice I can say I never have found anything that so filled the place."

Dr. J. H. Taft, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria and found it an excellent remedy in my household and private practice for many years. The formula is excellent."

Dr. R. J. Hamlen, of Detroit, Mich., says: "I prescribe your Castoria extensively, as I have never found anything to equal it for children's troubles. I am aware that there are imitations in the field, but I always see that my patients get Fletcher's."

Dr. Wm. J McCrann, of Omaha, Neb., says: "As the father of thirteen children I certainly know something about your great medicine, and aside from my own family experience I have in my years of practice found Castoria a popular and efficient remedy in almost every home."

Dr. J. R. Clausen, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "The name that your Castoria has made for itself in the tens of thousands of homes blessed by the presence of children, scarcely needs to be supplemented by the endorsement of the medical profession, but I, for one, most heartily endorse it and believe it an excellent remedy."

Dr. R. M. Ward, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Physicians generally do not prescribe proprietary preparations, but in the case of Castoria my experience, like that of many other physicians, has taught me to make an exception. I prescribe your Castoria in my practice because I have found it to be a thoroughly reliable remedy for children's complaints. Any physician who has raised a family, as I have, will join me in heartiest recommendation of Castoria."

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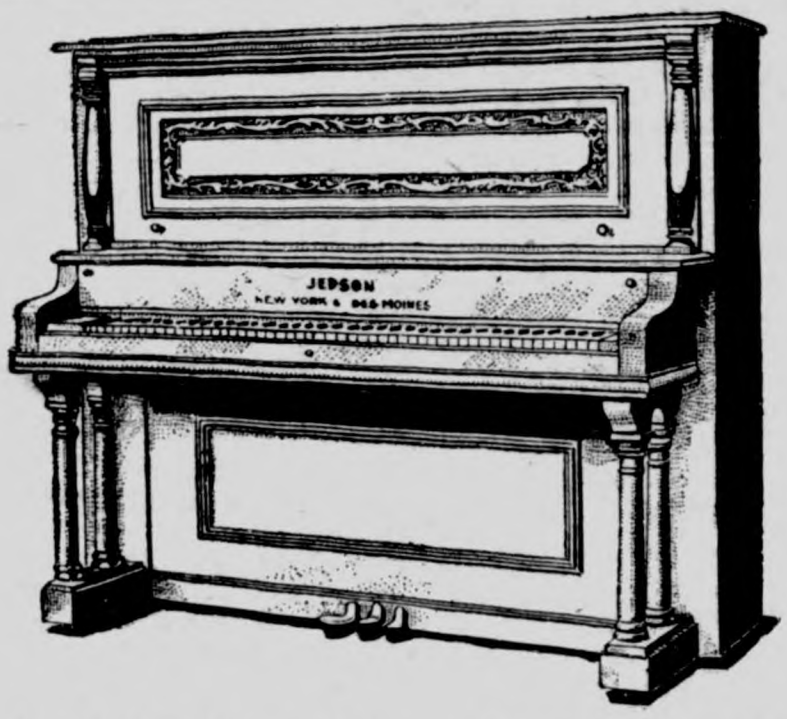

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So the Japanese children, before six years of age, are punished by their mothers, but this amounts to little. To slap a child is deemed not only a sign of intense vulgarity and ignorance, but is considered a grave offense against the child. To strike a child on the head or face is thought cruel and unnatural, and apt to injure the child's health and intelligence. The Japanese child is seldom punished except for doing things apt to injure the child or some other person.

The principle used by the Japs in disciplining children is to guard them against wrong actions more than to constrain them through fear of punishment. Prevent wrong actions is their aim rather than to punish the child. Children are always admonished but seldom compelled.

When a Jap child is to be punished due notice is given the culprit, for parents or teachers or guardians are never supposed to lose their tempers or to punish in so-called hot blood. By an ancient and amusing custom all the household, including the servants, are allowed to try and beg the little offender off from his punishment. His or her little brothers and sisters usually offer to take the punishment on themselves. Angry looks and shouting or harsh expressions are always deprecated by the Japanese learned men when punishing children.

At school, in the younger grades, the teacher always attempts to guide his pupils by personal friendship rather than fear. The children in each class are taught to try to keep order among themselves, and the class captain, or kyuucho, is always allowed to call off the punishments. In high schools and institutions for graduate students the sentiment of each rules its conduct, and offenders are handled entirely by their fellow-students. This is extremely effective, and Japanese students have many times committed suicide rather than face their angry fellow-classmen after serious breaches of class etiquette.

The offenders are ignored by their classmen, and are never spoken to, in or out of the classrooms. A public apology by a naughty Japanese student is needed, and this apology must be made not to the professors of the institutions, but to the members of his class. Then when the public apology has been made a vote is taken and if a majority are in favor of pardoning the offending student he is received back by his classmates.

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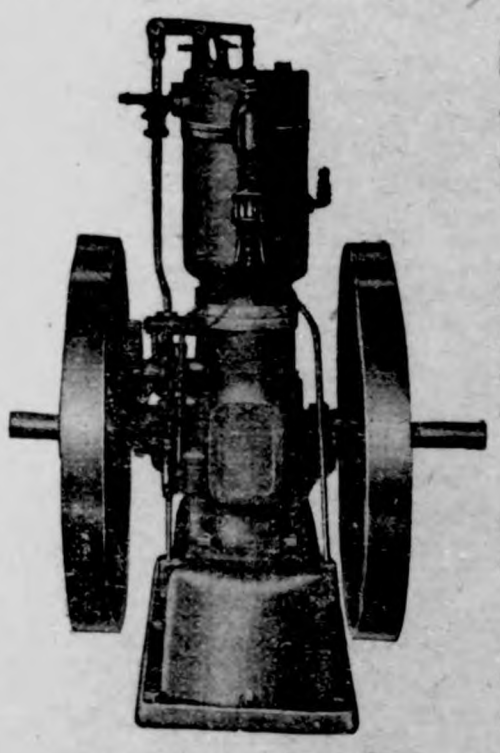

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C. Lau shipped a car of yesterday.

R. Bloom returned home Omaha yesterday.

and Mrs. N. L. Palmer at Buffalo Center yester-

day School will be held in English M. E. church at on Sunday, Sept. 19th.

O. Targasen was down Swea City Sunday visiting G. W. Kluckhohn home.

Tom Hamilton, of Gar- visited here Tuesday night her daughter, Mrs. Cos-

ads this week — State gs Bank, First National Mrs. John Josten, Arthur eyer.

ry Behringer returned Minneapolis Thursday, e he has been attending the esota State Fair.

and Mrs. Wallace Pavey last Thursday night for ison, Iowa, for a visit at ome of Wallace's parents.

E. Baumgartner, Fred Hen , Del Countryman, John e and Jim Pavey took in air at Forest City last sday afternoon.

Big Andrew" Anderson and ermiller Bros. sold W. R. a car of money makers that brought the neat of $1255 15. How is that igh?

e German Reformed church a picnic in the Aug. Barz last Friday afternoon. weather was fine, the crowd large and all had the usual yable time.

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Jay Griggs was a Des Moines visitor a few days last week.

Edward Anderson, who has been visiting at the Joseph E. Johnson home, returned last Thursday to Graettinger, Iowa.

Miss Carrie Johnson left Monday for Mason City where she has again taken up her school work at the Memorial University.

Mrs. W. L. Sherwood and sister, Miss Nellie Griggs, have been spending a few days in St. Paul, visiting at the E. J. Bauman home and sight seeing at the fair.

The Times is in receipt of a remittance from Albert Bock, the letter being dated from Plymouth, Wisconsin, where he is attending school. He says the crops are good in that country.

The strength of the First National Bank lies not alone in its capital and resourses, but in the character and financial responsibility of the men who conduct its affairs as well. See their statement in this issue. 1

Dorthea M. Johnson of Morris, Ill., who has been visiting here with her cousins, Carrie and Hulda Johnson, left Thursday for Graettinger, Iowa, for a visit with her aunt. Misses Carrie and Hulda Johnson accompanied her as far as Garner.

Our reporter is told a good story on two local hunters who went out after the elusive ducks one day last week. They came to a very likely looking place for game, where there was a small pond and the rushes were higher than their heads. Hunter No. 1 told Hunter No. 2 to stay at a certain spot and he would go first north a ways and then a short distance west to see what he could scare up. No. 1 did start out in a northerly direction and then traveled west a ways when he thought he saw another pond a short distance away which he decided to investigate. After walking for some time in that direction he suddenly came upon Hunter No. 2. What is the answer? Did No. 1 travel in a circle or did No 2 disobey orders, and if so or not so, what brand of bait had they been using? Answers will be accepted only from the hunters or from "Bum" or "Wooly."

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Klemme merchants did a rushing business last Saturday, the old town being filled with teams all afternoon. The people know where to get well treated, as the town's large trade testifies.

Chas. Anderson has been here the past two weeks visiting his folks. He has been ditching in the vicinity of Gowrie, Iowa, and left on Monday for Laurel, Nebraske, where he will engage in the same kind of work.

Lew Lewis and Hod Lawhorn were at Clear Lake fishing last Friday and Saturday, and they had good success, too. Lew says it is all in having a good guide and taking along the right kind of bait, but he didn't tell us the kind they used.

George Ell was up from Belmond last Saturday on business. While here he called and had his name placed on our subscription list, so as to keep posted on the doings in his old home town. George reports that he has had lots of work this year.

The Farmers Picnic which was to have been held at Garner on Tuesday was not a success from a picnic standpoint, owing to the extreme wetness of the weather. However, the afternoon program was given in the opera house and was well attended considering the very bad state of the atmosphere above and muddy roads below. The Miller band was present and as usual dished up a nice assortment of melodies to enliven the occasion. The address of Mr. Greeley of Chicago was one of the best and most interesting talks we have heard for many moons.

H. Lau & Son are buying poultry every day. 5tf

Eyes tested. Glasses fitted. Dr. W. F. Missman.

Viola Freie is suffering from an attack of appendicitis

C. J. Schneider was down from Garner in his auto last Thursday.

Miss Amanda Arnold returned home one day last week from a visit at Kansas City.

C. C. Suckow was at Buffalo Center and Estherville the first of the week on business.

Miss Avis Sage was down from Garner Wednesday visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Flint.

We issue a supplement this week in which may be found the program for the Hancock County Fair.

The Harry Tarveal sale last Tuesday was well attended despite the rainy weather, and everything sold well.

Miss Lund was at Goodell yesterday and this (Thursday) forenoon, conducting a special millinery sale for Mrs. John Josten.

For all the Ducks you can deliver up to Friday noon, Sept. 17th, we will pay 9c per pound. For Hens 11c and Old Roosters 5c. Ducks will be ½c less if delivered after Friday noon. Hens and Roosters will remain the same. Ell Bros. 1w

Ben, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Swalve, had his upper lip very badly cut last Thursday. While he and his father were climbing through a barbed wire fence, one of the wires slipped and caught the boy on the lip making an ugly wound. The cut was sewed up and the lad is getting along O. K.

German M. E. Church Items

Rev. G. Haefner filled the pulpit in Klemme, very acceptable Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. H. Kraus left for Colesburg last week where she will visit his parents and other relatives.

Anna Griewe opened her fall term of school in district No. 7 of German township, on Monday morning

The Womans Missionary society of Klemme will hold their

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

PERSONAL.

For playing against the Logan Squares in Chicago, John Kling, the holdout catcher of the Cubs, will be barred from participating in major league baseball for three years.

W. E. Hotchkiss of Chicago and Otto J. Habhegger of Milwaukee were appointed by President Taft to supervise the taking of the census in those cities next year.

Lord Kitchener has been appointed field marshal of the British army.

Bishop Edmund M. Dunne was enthroned in the diocese of Peoria in a solemn ceremony in the presence of 500 priests and Catholic dignitaries.

Walter S. Bond of New York has climbed Mont Blanc from Chamonix in nine hours, breaking the record of 9½ hours achieved by Morehead in 1865.

Speaker Cannon while on a visit to New York, said he would return to Danville, Ill., his home, to look after his fences, as, he said, he is a poor man and needs the job.

GENERAL NEWS.

Edward H. Harriman, the greatest railroad financier and organizer the world ever has known died at his home at Arden, N. Y., surrounded by his family and physicians after an illness of several months. Tributes to his greatness and power were received from hundreds of the leaders in the world's finance. Mr. Harriman was 61 years old. Simple arrangements were made for the funeral.

Commander Peary arrived at Battle Harbor, Labrador, and sent a brief summary of his discovery of the north pole. In earlier messages he declared Dr. Frederick Cook never found the pole and quoted the Eskimos as proof of his assertion. Dr. Cook in Copenhagen, replied that he had been there, believed Peary also succeeded and declared he would produce his proof at the proper time.

Dr. Frederick E. Cook sailed from Christiansand, Denmark, for New York, and on his arrival about September 20, will produce proofs in refutation of Commander Peary's charge that he never did reach the north pole.

John Dorsey, an employe of a wild-west show, was arrested at Omaha charged with murdering Othello Ratliff, aged 11 years.

Jack Johnson, the world's heavyweight champion, defeated Al Kaufman in a ten-round fight at San Francisco, although he failed to knock him out.

Scott Sprague was shot and killed in Cincinnati and his wife, formerly Miss Cross of Rockford, Ill., was held by the police until it is determined whether he was slain or had committed suicide.

President Taft summoned Attorney General Wickersham to Beverly to discuss with him the Ballinger-Pinchot quarrel.

John Early, who was held in Washington as a leper, but later declared not to be suffering from the disease, was cut off the United States pension rolls.

Orville Wright, accompanied by the wife of an officer of the German army, made a thrilling airship flight at Berlin.

J. Pierpont Morgan, the New York banker, has offered, it is said, to furnish Dr. Cook with any money he may need to bring proofs from Greenland that he discovered the north pole.

The board of trustees of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church met in Cincinnati. The treasurer's report shows $500,000 raised for home mission work within the last year.

Colorado has received $5,410 as a tax on the estate of the late Gen. W. J. Palmer, founder of Colorado Springs. It was the second largest tax ever paid the state.

Col. George W. Goethals, chief engineer of the Panama isthmian canal commission, arrived at Beverly, Mass., to consult with President Taft concerning a successor to Gov. J. S. Blackburn of the canal zone, who submitted his resignation last week.

LIPS THAT WERE SEALED

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with a scene at a box party. Miss Henrietta Winstanley, sister of Bishop Winstanley overheard Banker Ankony propose to Barbara Hemingray, whose brother Dan was in his employ. Dan was one of the town's popular young men. He showed some nervousness when Attorney Tom Twining told him Barbara refused Ankony. Ankony the following day, summoning Twining, accused Dan of looting the bank. Twining refused to prosecute.

CHAPTER II.—Continued.

"He stole the money—" he broke in.

"Yes, I know he did. I'm not exonerating him; I'm not trying to. It was a crime, and I recognize it, of course, and your right to prosecute, if you are so determined. But put yourself in his place if you can. He is simply prodigal in his kindness. There are more people in town to-day who have been buoyed up and brightened by him than by any other man, old or young. Maybe he did take your money to help do it. But as much as he ever expected to do anything he expected to pay it all back. He stinted himself; it was only with others he was generous. And then his sister—he wanted to make things easy for her if he could. He was ashamed to admit that he couldn't keep it up. Foolish? Of course it was foolish. But you admire him a little for trying to carry his end of the Hemingray string as it had always been kept up, don't you? You see what it has already cost him. Don't make it cost him everything he's got. Give him another chance. He'll redeem himself. You'll see. Try him."

"You ask too much."

"Too much! I only ask what you've done for fellows that were rascals and deep-dyed culprits. Surely you can give him the leniency you gave them As for the bad influence, there won't be any, as you must admit, since no one knows of it, nor will know of it if you do as I ask. Let the boy go, Ankony."

"I can't."

"Rubbish. Will you?"

"I will not, Mr. Twining. I must proceed with the prosecution."

I pulled myself in hand with a strong effort.

"If I did what I want to do, I'd throttle you, Ankony," I said, and I went out and shut the door between him and my rage, which was becoming ungovernable.

I spent the rest of the morning in a determined effort to find something to change the course of events and save Dan. But all my determination and eagerness went for nothing. There was absolutely nothing I could lay hands upon. Ankony was inexorable and vindictive. And no help could come outside of Ankony. There was no further appeal to be made to him.

As I was leaving the office on a further search, which, I admitted even as I undertook it, promised nothing, I ran face to face with Barbara in the hallway. A glance at her showed me that she knew. She had smiled through losses and bereavement and pain, but she was not smiling now. The Hemingrays knew how to meet vicissitude but not dishonor. Shame had burned the brightness from her eyes and seared dry that deeper well of cheer in her brave heart.

She looked at me dimly, as if in that acute moment I did not enter in, and she could not concentrate her half-paralyzed faculties upon me. It was startling to see her so. Her face, without a smile, smote me. An agony of longing to do something, say something, offer something of help, was upon me, but I felt its futility. What could I do, with bound hands?

I bowed to her and moved on to my further office. At the door, however, I turned to look after her, and was astonished to see her pause before Ankony's office. Then I understood: She was going to intercede for Dan. As the comprehension swept over me, I called to her. I would not have her humiliate herself uselessly. But she did not hear me, and passed in, and I told myself that perhaps, after all, she might move him; certainly any man—but Ankony was a monster, not a man. His pride was always keener than his emotion, and his pride was smarting.

I left my door open to be ready if there should be anything I could do for her, but when she came down the hall Ankony was with her. He was all deference and attention, radiating satisfaction and triumph. Yet Barbara was smiling—not the old smile, to be sure, but as if in tremendous relief—and the despair had faded from her eyes, while her head was lifted with the old proud poise, and her step was not leaden as it had been when she passed down the hall.

"Perhaps your brother might like to go to join my brother Jack for a while," Ankony was saying, as they passed my door. "The company rather needs him out there, and he might find the change pleasant."

So she had gained Dan's freedom—his one more chance!

I went out to tramp and settle my nerves. I needed to readjust myself to the situation. When I came back I found my resignation, which I had sent to Ankony several hours earlier, lying on my desk. It had been returned to me with a note from him saying the company refused to consider it, as the reason for my urging it had been removed, and it was therefore hoped that our former relations might continue.

I tore the note and the resignation across.

"So much for the charm and the persuasive powers of a woman," I muttered. "No man is adamant."

CHAPTER III.

"Felicitate me," commanded Mrs. Jack Ankony the next day, as she brought her cart up to the curb and leaned down to me with a smile of complete satisfaction.

"Gladly, if you will give me a new reason for it," I replied. "There are so many well-known ones, but I have heard of nothing new. What is it?"

"Flatterer! But, really, don't you know? Haven't you heard? Am I actually to be the news-bearer?"

"I know nothing, I assure you. I never hear things, Mrs. Ankony, until everyobdy else has heard them. Do take pity on me, won't you?"

"But I supposed you would have heard—you, of all people, not to know! Why, it's in all the papers. That is, it's going to be to-night."

"But I am not the seventh daughter of the seventh daughter, you know; I can't read the future, nor the papers till they come out."

She made a funny little mouth. "If you tease me, Mr. Twining, perhaps I shan't tell you."

"Oh, but you will," I smiled; "nothing could keep you from it."

"Frankly, nothing could," she laughingly admitted.

"Then tell me, do," I begged.

She leaned down to me, composing her face from merriment to tranquility.

"I'm the happiest woman in town to-day; the charming Miss Hemingray is to marry my husband's brother. Don't you think I have a right to be?"

I had just strength to stoop and pat the head of a ridiculous spaniel that sprang out of the cart and frisked about my feet.

"Are you surprised?" she challenged.

I continued to fondle the spaniel.

"I'm never surprised at anything, Mrs. Ankony."

"Oh, how like a very old person that sounds!"

"I am old—very old, in experience."

Mrs. Ankony nodded ready assent. "So I should have said, Mr. Twining, but you are also very clever."

I stood up with recovered equilibrium.

"What a pleasant exchange of compliments!" I observed.

"Do you know," she remarked thoughtfully, "it seems rather a pity we should have known each other so slightly, Mr. Twining. I believe we have each missed something by it."

"The loss I am sure is all mine, and I have often regretted it. Is it, do you think, too late to remedy so lamentable a matter?" I inquired, trying to rise to the situation as a half-hearted fish rises to the fly.

"It is just possible we may see more of each other now, since my brother is very fond of having his friends about him, and, as you are one of his wife's—dear me! how premature I am, but then one is certain there will be no slip here, and that she will be his wife—one of Miss Hemingray's greatest friends — you are, aren't you?"

"She has none better," I replied.

"Yes, so I thought, and of course Edward will wish her to continue to see her old acquaintances and friends just as before, so I dare say we may often meet."

I writhed inwardly beneath her pretty patronage, and understood in a measure little Henrietta Winstanley's feelings for her.

"But in the meantime," she continued pleasantly, "I hope you will come to see Cecelia and me. Good-by. Remember, we shall expect you." She gathered up the reins and then thought better of leaving me to find my way afoot up the avenue.

"Why not let me give you a lift?" she asked.

"Thank you, but I am leaving the avenue a block or two up."

"Ah, too bad! Bless me, look at this, pray! Here is Cecelia now—my cousin Miss Streeter, you know—and the bishop."

"The bishop?" I echoed. "What bishop?"

She laughed gaily.

"I don't wonder you are surprised," she said; "Bishop Winstanley," and, as we turned to look at them, she could not help the complacent little tuck her lips took. I did not blame her for it.

"How she fits her name, doesn't she?" I exclaimed.

"Cecelia? Why, yes, I suppose so. Oh, and the bishop is such a dear! Cecelia is an ardent horsewoman, and when he found we had no good in our stable—I never ride, you —what does he do but insist bringing her one of his. S fellow."

"The mount?" I inquired.

"And the bishop," she smile at me. "Now, if you will, yo hand my dog up. I almost forg in the excitement of the minute

I chased him over the gra captured him finally, tongue out

"Poor dear, you must forgi the exercise he made you tak is so playful. He doesn't kno tiresome playfulness is."

I handed him up with a car was remembering the turn h served me.

"I do believe you like him." s clared.

"I do. But I am killing a littl if I must acknowledge the truth waiting to see the bishop and Streeter go by. How slowly come!"

"They look well together, they?" she murmured critically

"The ensemble is perfect," I s

"How quaint you are!" she la

We turned with smiles and b the bishop and his companion. were indeed imposing. The bowed guardedly, as if she fea disarrange her halo, and the beamed, a little guiltily, it seem me. Later I found it to be a case of the mouse and the abse

Mrs. Ankony whirled along opposite direction after they ha and in a blur of emotions I h down the avenue, not sure w meant to bring up, but presentl ing myself ascending the Wins steps. I was not clearly consci my reason for wanting to see etta Winstanley just then excep she always clarified things for and certainly they had never it worse than now.

To my great disappointment, I that she had gone out of town an invalid friend, and that her and destination were not kno home, depending as they did up caprice of the friend. Her s thought it probable, however, th would not be back in town for s weeks, perhaps a month.

I turned from her door in the est regret, but my tumbling th had already begun to steady selves into something reser calm, and I saw things a little clearly: One thing I perceived startling clearness, and that wa Barbara had given herself for liberty and good name.

What it meant to her drove for the moment, all thought of w meant to me, but later my own lion arose and rioted—to no e was indeed the hopelessness o that smote me from the beginni felt like a paralyzed man in But he listens for the sound rescuers, and for me there co no help. There had been but o to save Dan—a way so hideous not even suggested itself to m Barbara, loving him as she di determined to save him, had t of it at once and had not hesita take it, monstrous as it was cruelty.

That Dan could accept so h price of her astonished me, knew that she dominated him affairs of their every-day life, could understand that, sick as h with despair and remorse, he yield to her fierce persuasion, out at first realizing just wh was offering for his honor.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"I Do Believe You Like Him," She Declared.

Difficult to Do.

A teacher in one of Brooklyn' lic schools is a stickler for c ness. So often have orders com cleanliness must be observed the boys of her class that so the urchins have even inquir their parents what it means to cure your finger nails.

Of course there is a "bad b the class. One day the teache to him: "Tommy, do you know is a great deal of dirt behind ears?"

"There ain't neither," Tommy.

"It is wrong to dispute me," the teacher; "but you need no my word for it. If you really believe me, look for yourself."

The Height of Praise.

The limit of praise for food reached the other day in the avenue restaurant in New where the old-fashioned confid waiters are still to be found. well known to the place came i late at night for supper and ask man who had taken his orde years: "What's good to-day." tell you, sir," was the reply, just got some clams in, fresh fro water and (this in a whisper) I mind telling you, sir, they're so the waiters are eating 'em selves."

Point Sometimes Overlooke

"De man dat squeezes a doll hard," said Uncle Eben, "is lia lose his grip on de coin an' hav fingers besides."

The chief asset of humanity conviction that the game is while. To lose that would mea versal bankruptcy.—Collier's

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ttle Harbor, Labrador, via Wire- Cape Ray, N. F.—As it may be ossible to get my full story through time, partly as a prelude which stimulate interest and partly to stall possible leaks, I am sending a brief summary of my voyage to north pole, which is to be printed tly as written.

Summary of Expedition.

ummary of north polar expedition he Peary Arctic club: The steam- Roosevelt left New York on July 6, ; left Sydney on July 17; arrived Cape York, Greenland, August 1; Etah, Greenland, August 8; ar- Cape Sheridan, at Grant Land, ptember 1; wintered at Cape Sheri- n.

The sledge expedition left the sevelt February 15, 1909, and ted for the north. Arrived at Cape mbia on March 1; passed British rd, March 2; delay by open wa- March 2 and 3; held up by open er, March 4 to 11; crossed the ty-fourth parallel, March 11; en- tered open lead, March 15; ssed eighty-fifth parallel, March 18; ssed eighty-sixth parallel, March encountered open lead, March 23; ssed Norwegian record, March 23; ssed Italian record, March 24; en- tered open lead, March 26; ssed eighty-seventh parallel, March passed American record, March encountered open lead, March 28; d up by open water, March 29; ssed eighty-eighth parallel, April 2; ssed eighty-ninth parallel, April 4; north pole, April 6.

All returning left north pole April 7, reached Cape Columbia April 23, arriving on board Roosevelt April 27.

The Roosevelt left Cape Sheridan July 18; passed Cape Sabine August 8; left Cape York August 26; arrived at Indian Harbor with all members of expedition returning in good health except Prof. Ross G. Marvin, drowned April 10, when 45 miles north of Cape Columbia, returning from 86 degrees north latitude in command of the supporting party.

ROBERT E. PEARY.

EXPLANATION OF MESSAGE.

By Cyrus C. Adams.

[Member of American Geographical Society.]

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New York.—The foregoing dispatch, though condensed, tells clearly the leading facts in the story, not only of Peary's journey to the north pole, but also of a remarkably fast sledge trip over the ice of the open polar sea.

The dispatch says that the Roosevelt passed the winter of 1908-1909 at Cape Sheridan, on the coast of Grant Land. The vessel had threaded the comparatively narrow channels, several hundreds of miles in length, leading from Cape Sabine to the Arctic ocean.

Conditions Were Favorable.

This journey is apt to be difficult and sometimes impossible, but the conditions were evidently favorable. The ship that disappeared in the fog while the crew of Peary's auxiliary steamer Erik were watching its departure from Etah made a good passage through the long channels, and arrived safely on the shores of the sea, where the explorer was to start on his sledges for the north pole.

But at Cape Sheridan Peary was not as far west as he probably had hoped to be. He had announced his intention, in the previous year, of making his sledge route to the pole along some meridian much further to the west of his route in 1906, when he made the highest north attained up to that time—87 d. 6 m.

Impeded by Drift of Ice.

On that occasion he was greatly impeded by the rapid drift of the ice to the east which a little retarded his progress north, and worse still, carried him so far to the east that he had to make his landing on the coast of North Greenland, many days' march from the Roosevelt, his base of supplies.

Eskimos of the Polar Regions.

How the News Reached the World.

On his expedition of 1905-06 he tried hard to force the Roosevelt a good distance to the west of Cape Sheridan, but the ice baffled him. For one reason or another on the edge of the arctic winter last year he did not or could not take his vessel along the northern coast of Grant Land to the west of Cape Sheridan, and so it spent last winter not so far from its old berth in the ice in the winter of 1905-6.

The sledge expedition left the Roosevelt on February 15, while it was still practically dark in that latitude. The sun scarcely begins to peer above the hills for a few minutes a day, even several hundred miles to the south of the coast where the Roosevelt was wintering. It comes into view a little later in that more northern latitude and the party made slow time to the west as it felt its way along.

Coast Difficult to Travel.

The northern Grant Land coast is likely to be exceedingly difficult to traverse, especially in the early spring, on account of the masses of sea ice that have been pressed on the shore or broken into great blocks and stranded along the sea edge.

It is no wonder that it took the party 15 days to travel westward as fas as Cape Columbia. It is likely, however, that Commander Peary succeeded, before winter set in, in cacheing supplies to the westward so as to accelerate a little the westward movement of the sledge party before it struck out northward over the sea.

Peary's summary seems to show that he was a little over 35 days on the journey from the land to the north pole. In this time he was delayed about 14 days by water leads, leaving a little more than three weeks for the actual sledging work.

We may get a good idea of the average rate of travel by taking the first sea and the north pole records. He passed the British record on March 2 and reached the pole on April 6. The distance between them is 460 statute miles, and the time in making the journey was 34 days, including the time of detention by water leads. This is an average of little less than 12 miles a day, which is the best record ever attained for long route sledging on the open polar sea.

Records of Other Explorers.

The Italian, Cagni, of the duke of the Abruzzi expedition, who made the highest record till Peary beat it in 1906, made an average of only about seven miles a day on his great journey, and in ten days, on account of deep snow, they covered only 43½ miles to the north of their ship. Cagni expressed the wish before he started that he might make ten miles a day, but said he knew this was impossible.

Peary has not only reached the pole but he has attained it at an earlier date in the year than any of the other high records in the arctic have been made. He was at the pole one day earlier in the year than Nansen reached 86 degrees and five minutes, 19 days earlier than Cagni reached 86 degrees 34 minutes.

This is significant of the surpassing achievement in sledge work that Peary has accomplished, because all such endeavor is necessarily limited on one side, as far as sea journeys are concerned, by the time of sunrise.

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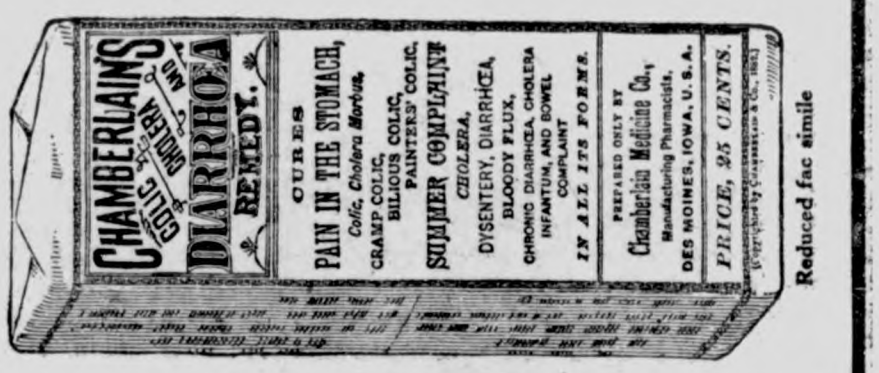

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monthly meeting with Mrs. Arnold this afternoon (Thursday.)

T. Blank went to Estherville last Saturday where he expects to be engaged all of this week.

Mrs. Erdmann, of Oklahoma, has been spending a few weeks among Klemme and Germantown people renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. Goodheil, of Mason City, spent a few days of last week with her sister. Mrs. Geo. Gruetzmacher. She returned Saturdry afternoon.

Minnie Lenz departed Monday evening for Watertown, S. D., where she will remain an indefinite time with her sister Mrs. Adolf Ridder.

Edward Holthaus and family arrived from Colesburg Saturday evening to visit at the home of father and mother Kraus, the parents of Mrs. Holthaus.

Rev. G. Haefner and wife spent a pleasant week among their children after conference. They remain in Tomah. Wis., another year, where their labors are highly appreciated.

A convention of the Sunday Schools of Ell and German townships will be held in the Germantown church, Sunday. Sept. 26. A full program will be published next week.

The writer called on August Wenz last week and found him much improved, at the home of his sister in Britt. We expect him in Klemme this week for a short visit.

The Klemme "Standard Bearer Society" will meet Friday evening at the E. H. Lenz home. This society did good work last year both in their study and support of missions. They begin the new year with a good program if all do their duty.

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Taxes

Twice in each year the taxes levied upon property become due and as the time for the last payment for 1908 tax becomes due on Oct. 1st, we kindly ask that you get in your order for taxes early and avoid the rush which is usually prevalent at the County Treasurer's office on the last few days before due date.....

We have complete lists of everything and will be pleased to pay your taxes without any charge whatever—Phone us if you do not wish to take the time to come to town to order your receipt.....

TAXES

Taxes

State Savings Bank.

Klemme - - Iowa

A CONVINCER

The best convincer on earth is a good, honest trial of any line of goods.
We claim for our lumber and building material that it is as good or better than can be purchased elsewhere, and to substantiate this claim, we ask an honest trial of our goods. We can quote you as good a price as anyone.
May we figure on your next lumber bill?

J. H. Queal & Co. - - Lumber

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J. W. WATERMAN

—Dealer In—

Groceries, Boots, Shoes — Ladies and Gents Furnishings — Dry Goods and Notions

FLOUR FEED SALT

Remember we also pay CASH for cream.

CALL IN J. W. WATERMAN

Gems of Wisdom ?

From our Ponderous Think-Factory

Lots of fellows go "up in the air" who have never seen a flying machine.

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It costs money to buy automobiles. That's the reason we haven't any (auto.)

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Disappointed again. The Harriman will has been read and as usual we are left out in the cold.

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Baseball is nearly over for this year, and the crop of long-haired foot-ball players is reported as about up to the average.

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If Cook and Peary had known what an argument was to arise over the discovery of the north pole, they might have proven their presence at the north end of the earth's axis by bringing back a pole cat.

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Say, men, just between ourselves, have you noticed the new fall styles in ladies' headgear? Really, isn't it awful? Their hats are built this season something like a modern home—some are T-shaped, some ell-shaped and others resemble a silo with a summer kitchen built on the rear. But it's none of our business, you know, because we don't have to wear them.

PROGRAM

Of Ell and German Townships Sunday School Convention to be held in the German M. E. Church in German township Sunday, Sept. 26, 1909:

Opening 10:00 a. m. Study of the S. S lesson.

Responsibility of parents to the child and the Sunday School —G. I Schaper.

The child, and the proper time to start it in the Sunday School—Emelia Lenz

Leading children to a decision for Christ and the Church—Mrs. A. M. Deyoe.

Why a young man should be a Christian—Dr. Heacox.

Teacher training—J. L. Lloyd.

The importance of Sunday School board meetings—Wm. Bredlow.

Prof. L E. Bowker will give a talk on Sunday School work.

Christyna Callison, county secretary, will give a review of the Sunday School work in the county.

County President A. M. Deyoe will conduct a round table discussion.

GOODELL

From the Globe:

Wm. and John Nolte were Klemme visitors Tuesday.

Rasmus Johnson went to Belmond to work Tuesday.

Mrs. Tom Elder, of Klemme, visited with relatives here Friday.

The White family and A. F. Churchs' were Klemme visitors Sunday.

Mrs. L. Africa and daughter Blanche returned from Sioux City Monday evening.

TAXES

Among the many things the First National Bank does for its customers is to order receipts without extra charge.

The Second Installment is Now Due

We have complete lists of Ell, Avery, German and Twin Lake townships and the several drainage districts therein, and Town of Klemme.

The First National Bank
CAPITAL $25,000

DON'T FORGET

This store when you need anything in the line of Hardware and Farm Implements. Full line of Heaters, Cook Stoves and Ranges. The best makes in Farm Machinery. We also handle the best Paints, Oils and Varnish.

Groceries, Flour and Feed

Our prices are right. You are invited to call.

GRUETZMACHER BROS.

Rev. C. Nolte was called to Cedar Falls Thursday by the death of his sister.

S. S. Matson and daughter Mildred left Monday for Dubuque, Iowa, where Miss Mildred will enter Mount St. Joseph Academy.

Joe Heginger returned home from Cherokee, Iowa, last Friday, where he has been receiving treatment at the State Hospital.

C. E. Haynes, formerly in the drug business here, was calling on old friends Saturday. He is traveling for a wholesale drug firm in Iowa City.

MESERVEY

From the Messenger:

Jim Courtney is reported as being a little better as we go to press.

Mrs. Hartfelder and daughter went to Mason City Monday where her daughter will attend school.

Herman Zieman returned home from Rochester, Minn.

August Guth left Thursday to visit his brother at Minneapolis.

Irvin Bier went to Minneapolis Thursday to take in the fair, returning home Thursday.

Clarence Alber returned to his home at St. Louis, Mo., Monday, after visiting with his relatives.

A Meservey man has discovered the north pole. He will have it on exhibition packed in ice on Field Day.

Misses Maude and Nellie Griggs came over from Goodell Thursday and went from here to Minneapolis to attend the fair.

Chas. and Will Quandt departed Saturday for Wilsman Station, Ill., called there by the death of their brother Henry.

Misses Ethel and Lillian Dowdell spent Thursday and Friday visiting their brother here. Their home is in Artesian, S. D., and they were on their way to Notre Dame, Ind., to attend St. Mary's Academy.

Colic Quickly Cured

Colic is one of the most severe and painful diseases. It is quite common too. Almost everyone has an occasional attack. Fortunately there is a remedy that always affords quick relief and that has never been known to fail in any case. It is called Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Mr. Tod Robinson, a prominent merchant of Point Blank, Texas, says, "I have had several attacks of colic and in every instance one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy relieved me, and I never had to take more than two doses to effect a cure." For sale by G. A. Pabst & Co.

BRITT

From the News:

Harry Wright is at home from an extended visit to Montana.

Flossie Benton has returned to her home at Albia after a two weeks' visit in Britt.

Ora Lister has purchased the Gardner property occupied by the Barret family. He will occupy it for a home.

Frank Healy returned Sunday morning from the woods of Wisconsin where he spent the summer in camp.

E. H. Vernell, who has been at the hospital at Mason City, is expected to return home this week.

Jos. Bullis has sold his eighty acre farm in Orthel township to Wayne Whitney, the consideration being $80 per acre.

The house on the Cobb farm in German township, occupied by Joe Sobil, was struck by lightning Sunday morning and burned down. Mr. Sobil lost all his household goods.

Information comes from DesMoines that J. P. Peterson, who is in the Methodist hospital at that place, is doing well and will soon return home.

Abbie Gardner Sharp, the heroine of the Spirit Lake massacre, now living at Arnold's Park, was in Britt Tuesday on her way to Clear Lake to attend the old settlers reunion.

Night on Bald Mountain

On a lonely night Alex Benton of Fort Edward, N Y. climbed Bald Mountain to the home of a neighbor, tortured by asthma, bent on curing him with Dr. King's New Discovery, that had cured himself of asthma. This wonderful medicine soon relieved and quickly cured his neighbor. Later it cured his son's wife of a severe lung trouble. Millions believe it is the greatest throat and lung cure on earth. Coughs, colds, croup, hemorrhages and sore lungs are surely cured by it. Best for hay fever, grip and whooping cough. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co.

Governor Johnson Dead

Governor John A. Johnson, of Minnesota, died Tuesday morning at St. Mary's Hospital at Rochester, Minn. Governor Johnson was a national character and one of the most popular democrats in public life.

NEW STRENGTH FOR WOMEN'S BACKS.

How to Make a Bad Back Better.

Women who suffer with backache, bearing down pains, dizzy spells and that constant feeling of dullness and tiredness, will find hope in the advice of Mrs. Mary Hinson of 21 Strother St., Mt. Sterling, Ky. "Had I not used Doan's Kidney Pills, I believe I would not be living today," says Mrs. Hinson. "My eyesight was poor, I suffered with nervous, splitting headaches, spots would dance before my eyes and at times I would be so dizzy I would have to grasp something for support. My back was so weak and painful I could hardly bend over to button my shoes and could not get around without suffering severely. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me from the first, and I continued until practically well again."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Big Berlin Philanthropy.

More than 50,000 children were enabled by the authorities of Berlin to spend this summer on land within easy reach of the city limits. They were assigned plots where they could play and cultivate gardens profitably with the help of their families and the advice of public instructors.

To Check Disease Among Indians.

It has been reported that the disease known as trachoma, or granular eyelids, has been spreading rapidly among the Indians. To check this trouble congress appropriated $12,000, placing it in the hands of the commissioner of Indian affairs, for the immediate investigation and treatment of the disease and to check its spread.

Carnations Go to Sleep.

Florists often suffer losses through a habit carnations have of sometimes "going to sleep" and never opening again. A series of experiments made in the Hull botanical laboratory and described in the Botanical Gazette makes it seems probable that this "sleep" is caused by the effect of illuminating gas, to which, even in very small quantities, these flowers are surprisingly sensitive.

His Size Was Known.

"I want some collars and neckties for my husband!" she snapped.

"Yes, madam."

The clerk offered her the latest thing.

"What size are these?" asked the lady.

"Why, twelve and a half, madam!"

"How on earth did you guess that?"

"Ah," replied the clerk, smiling, "gentlemen who let their wives select their collars and ties always take that size!"

Whee Sitting Bull Was.

Doane Robinson, head of the department of history of the state of South Dakota, says of Sitting Bull and the Custer massacre: "The Indians tell me that Sitting Bull was a medicine chief; that he was the greatest influence among the Sioux at that time by reason of his constant agitation against the whites, and that he did not personally engage in the fight against Custer, but that he was back on an elevation between the Little Big Horn and the Big Horn making medicine."—Indian School Journal.

THE DOCTOR'S WIFE

Agrees with Him About Food.

A trained nurse says: "In the practice of my profession I have found so many points in favor of Grape-Nuts food that I unhesitatingly recommend it to all my patients.

"It is delicate and pleasing to the palate (an essential in food for the sick), and can be adapted to all ages, being softened with milk or cream for babies or the aged when deficiency of teeth renders mastication impossible. For fever patients or those on liquid diet I find 'Grape-Nuts and albumen water very nourishing and refreshing.'

"This recipe is my own idea and is made as follows: Soak a teaspoonful of Grape-Nuts in a glass of water for an hour, strain and serve with the beaten white of an egg and a spoonful of fruit juice for flavouring. This affords a great deal of nourishment that even the weakest stomach can assimilate without any distress.

"My husband is a physician and he uses Grape-Nuts himself and orders it many times for his patients.

"Personally I regard a dish of Grape-Nuts with fresh or stewed fruit as the ideal breakfast for anyone—well or sick."

In any case of stomach trouble, nervous prostration or brain fag, a 10 day trial of Grape-Nuts will work wonders toward nourishing and rebuilding and in this way ending the trouble.

"There's a Reason," and trial proves.

Look in pkgs. for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

A GAIN IN DEPOSITS

State Institutions Show Big Growth in Three Months.

THIRTEEN BANKS ORGANIZED

A Difference in Deposits of $6,942,000 Is Registered Between May 18 and August 10, According to Clerk Ellis' Report.

Des Moines, Sept. 18.—Deposits in Iowa's state and savings banks and trust companies made an increase of $6,942,069.74 from May 18 to August 10 of the present year. The number of banks was increased by thirteen and their total deposits advanced $6,508,291.54.

These are a few of the interesting facts shown in the report of Chief Clerk Ellis of the state banking department made up from the bank statements filed in response to Auditor Bleakly's call. On August 10, according to the report, Iowa had 631 savings banks, 265 state banks and 15 trust companies. The total assets of the savings banks on August 10 were $183,327,568.65 while the assets of the state banks and the trust companies amounted to $92,911,246.10.

Following is the consolidated statement of the assets and liabilities of state and savings banks and trust companies on August 10, 1909:

ASSETS.

Bills receivable	$218,266,093.47
Gold coin	2,169,349.86
Silver coin	797,609.11
Legal tender, national bank notes, etc	5,114,063.18
Credits subject to sight draft	39,686,591.04
Overdrafts increase	193,933.41
Real and personal property	7,996,379.64
Total	$276,238,814.75

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$ 31,096,800.00
Due depositors	232,097,261.35
Due banks and others	854,665.37
Surplus	6,790,501.31
Undivided profits	5,399,586.72
Total	$276,238,814.75

Average reserve in all banks Aug. 10, 1909—21 per cent.

State's Receipts Grow.

Secretary of State Hayward has turned over to Treasurer Morrow the sum of $110,771.60, which represents his collections during the past month. It was probably the largest sum ever turned into the state treasury by a secretary of state at one time. The increase was caused by the payment of the $96,000 incorporation fee for the Great Western by J. Pierpont Morgan.

However, the receipts of the office of the secretary of state have been growing steadily. In July they amounted to $18,163.59, while in June they were only $15,716.79. Mr. Hayward estimates that he will take in a quarter of a million dollars during the present year.

Automobile licenses are helping to swell the receipts of the secretary of state's office. During the first eight months of the present year a total of $27,719 was secured from this source, while the total receipts for all of last year amounted to only $20,880.

No Bumper Corn Crop.

Iowa will produce 257,354,768 bushels of corn this year, according to the estimate of George A. Wells, secretary of the Westeri Grain Dealers' association. The government estimates the yield at 295,000,000 bushels, a difference of more than 38,000,000. Conditions have been very unfavorable for corn this season, so it is known that the crop will not be a bumper one.

Following is the final estimate of small grain crops for the year as compiled by Mr. Wells:

	Acres	Yield	Ttl. Crop
Corn	7,654,401	33.6	257,354,768
Winter wheat	138,844	21	2,896,244
Spring wheat	260,557	14	3,659,604
Oats	4,303,795	28	120,397,792
Rye	46,381	17	778,418
Barley	430,549	22	9,422,771

Iowa Phone Leases the Mutual.

The expected consolidation of the Mutual Telephone company and the Iowa Telephone company failed to materialize at a meeting of the board of directors of the former company, though the Iowa company presented a proposition looking to the ultimate consolidation of the two plants. G. E. McFarland, vice-president and general manager of the Iowa company, stated after the meeting that a lease of the property of the Mutual company at $26,000 per annum is contemplated and will doubtless be closed in the near future.

Fined for Selling Impure Oil.

In the state food and dairy commission crusade against impure and adulterated linseed oil, A. P. Kirby of Andrew paid a fine of $10 for having raw linseed oil and Henry Koose of LaMott paid $25 for having a quantity of adulterated boiled oil. They both pleaded guilty, saying they purchased the oil of the Central Linseed Oil company of Omaha.

Synod Meeting in October.

The Lutheran church synod meeting of Iowa will be held in the St. John's Lutheran church for five days beginning Oct. 14. Rev. J. A. McCullough of Burlington will preside and give the synodical sermon. At the same time will be hald the meeting of the women's home and foreign missionary societies of the state. The women will have charge of the services of the synod one evening when an address will be given by Mrs. A. J. Burge of Iowa City, vice-president of the national organization. This is the first time that Des Moines has entertained the synod in fifteen years.

Would Establish School.

Judge Miller of the district court, judge of the criminal and juvenile divisions, is in favor of the establishment of a central school for incorrigible children, similar to the schools maintained in Chicago. In this manner the judge believes the bad boys and girls can be handled in better manner and with better results than if they are permitted to attend the public schools, where it is impossible to give them the attention they need to correct and reform them.

Baily Says City Can Force Brakes.

After Corporation Counsel Baily had declared in a report to the council that the Des Moines Street Railway company can be compelled to equip all its cars with air brakes, an ordinance making it compulsory to place air brakes on cars received its first reading at a meeting of the council. Mr. Hamery's ordinance was prepared following the accident at First street and the Rock Island tracks several nights ago, in which more than thirty people were injured.

Blonde Girls are In Demand.

If the records of the juvenile officers and the heads of orphans' homes, children's homes and similar institutions can be taken as a correct criterion, the people of Iowa, especially the women, have a failing for blonde baby girls. The applications for children which come to these officers show that more than two-thirds of the people seeking children to adopt, prefer baby girls about 2½ years old with blue eyes and light hair.

Officers File Their Claims.

Louis E. Roddewig has filed in the office of Governor Carroll the claims of the Davenport police officers who assisted in securing confessions from the murderers of Thomas Reed in Poweshiek county several years ago. Chief of Police Atkinson, Captain Phelan, Detective John Quinn and Mrs. George Shanley, widow of Detective George Shanley claim a portion of the reward offered by the governor.

Visited State Homes.

Governor Carroll and Judge G. S. Robinson have returned from a visit to the state insane hospital at Clarinda, the school for the deaf at Council Bluffs and the home for feeble minded children at Glenwood. These visits were the first of a series Governor Carroll will make to the various state institutions in order to familiarize himself with their needs and what they are doing.

Killed at Death Curve.

With his head crushed almost beyond recognition and both arms severed above the wrists, the lifeless body of Benjamin H. Brown, a coal miner employed at Enterprise previous to the strike, was found by his brother William by the side of the Northwestern railroad tracks about a half mile north of Hull avenue.

Iowa Boy Writes Book of Travels.

Robert H. Whitaker, a Marshalltown boy, who is chief yeoman on one of the battleships of the navy, has written two booklets on his travels in Africa, which are copiously illustrated. Copies of the books have been received at the state house by his brother, Harry.

Wilson Quits Street Railway.

C. P. Wilson, for the past eight months superintendent of the Des Moines City Railway company, has resigned that position. His resignation takes place immediately. The duties of the office of superintendent will be taken over by A. G. Maish, the general manager.

Pay Tribute to Brandt's Memory.

The last sad rites over the body of Isaac Brandt, aged pioneer, who died suddenly at his home on East Ninth street, were held at the First Presbyterian church. Despite the inclement weather, a host of friends gathered at the bier to accord the last tribute of respect.

Belated Relief Money Comes.

The first and only money to be received by State Treasurer W. W. Morrow, treasurer of the Iowa Red Cross society, for the relief of flood sufferers of Mexico was $2.50. The name of the donor was not given.

FALL PAINTING.

The majority of property owners are under the impression that spring time is the only painting time. But the fall of the year offers several advantages to the painter. One of the most important is that surfaces are almost sure to be dry, and there is no frost or inner moisture to work out after the paint is applied.

Pure white lead—the Dutch Boy Painter kind—mixed with pure linseed oil (tinted as desired) gives a winter coat to a building that is an armor against the severest attacks of the winter rain, sleet, winds and snow.

National Lead Company, 1902 Trinity Bldg., New York city, makers of pure white lead, Dutch Boy Painter trademark, are offering to those interested a complete painter's outfit, consisting of a blow pipe and lead tester, book of color schemes, etc. State whether you want exterior or interior decorating.

FOR A SONG.

Thomas Tabby—Yes, I fitted up my flat at a ridiculously low price. In fact, it cost me but a song.

Tabby Tiger—A song?

Thomas Tabby—Well, you see, I started up a solo on the back fence at 2 a. m. and the donations I received in the shape of furniture, etc., just filled the bill.

From Overhead.

A canary hung directly over the big square table in the Hungarian restaurant.

"Once," said a woman who was dining there, "the bottom dropped out of the cage, the bird flew at the orchestra yonder, and we had bird seed in our soup. It was awful."

"That reminds me," said the cross-eyed man, "of one time when we were having a little game of poker on the B. & O. You know how those trains roll. Well, just about the middle of the game down came all the grips and dress suit cases straight into the kitty and broke up the game. Money flew everywhere. We got so mixed we couldn't tell which had won or where the money was that whoever had won it won. Talk about bird seed!"

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Standard Oil Wails.

The Standard Oil Company's real estate holdings in Bayonne, N. J., where its largest oil refining plant in the east is situated, have been increased from $7,360,000, the value fixed upon them in 1908 for taxation, to $13,000,000. The company is appealing against the increases fixed upon the realty by the Hudson county board of equalization.

Itching Piles Permanently Cured by a Jar of Resinol Ointment.

About three weeks since I was suffering agony from itching piles, I got a sample jar of Resinol and after bathing with warm water and applying the Resinol, I was in a few days entirely relieved of the itching and believe I am permanently cured.

W. W. Evans, Carrollton, Ky.

The Old Man's Joke.

"Mary," called her father, "has that young man gone yet?"

"No, pa," replied the maid. "But he's going right now."

"Then ask him to empty the pail underneath the ice box before he goes, will you? I forgot it."

Cobblestones for Baltimore.

The Brooklyn Standard Union says that "those people from the rural regions who jeer at Manhattan's horse cars may take note that the Baltimore city council is preparing to pave a street with cobblestones."

Many a man has sustained a compound fracture of the reputation by falling off the water wagon.

A little bottle of Hamlins Wizard Oil is a medicine chest in itself. It can be applied in a larger number of painful ailments than any other remedy known.

Many a man attributes his business success to the fact that his wife needs the money.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets first put up 40 years ago. They regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated tiny granules.

A brain is worth little without a tongue.—French.

HOW HE DID THE CHORE

Wound Up the Music Box and Put the Corkscrew in the Barometer.

"You needn't wait for me," explained the head of the house; "I have a dinner engagement, an important business affair, and no doubt I shall be kept quite late."

At breakfast next morning an ominous silence had fallen upon all. The head of the house had no appetite and was evidently far from feeling well. After a painful silence the husband, without meeting his wife's eye, essayed to start conversation.

It's funny about that clock," he said. "It's stopped, and I'm sure I wound it last night."

"You are mistaken," said his wife icily; "you wound up Willie's music box instead and it played 'Home Sweet Home' till daylight. The clock in the hall has also stopped, but I find that you screwed your corkscrew into the barometer."

COVERED WITH HIVES.

Child a Mass of Dreadful Sore, Itching, Irritating Humor for 2 Months—Little Sufferer in Terrible Plight.

Disease Cured by Cuticura.

"My six year old daughter had the dreadful disease called hives for two months. She became affected by playing with children who had it. By scratching she caused large sores which were irritating. Her body was a complete sore but it was worse on her arms and back. We employed a physician who left medicine but it did not help her and I tried several remedies but without avail. Seeing the Cuticura Remedies advertised, I thought I would try them. I gave her a hot bath daily with Cuticura Soap and anointed her body with Cuticura Ointment. The first treatment relieved the itching and in a short time the disease disappeared. Mrs. George L. Fridhoff, Warren, Mich., June 3 and July 13, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

St. Louis First in This.

The largest tobacco manufacturing center in the world is St. Louis. Its annual sales aggregate $45,000,000 which is equal to 18 per cent. of the total tobacco output of the United States.

Opportunism.

Knicker—I have ideas for a new political party, a new religion and a new diet.

Bocker—Better wait till the baseball season is over.

DON'T USE IMITATION BLUE.
Use genuine RUSS BLUE. It preserves clothes and makes them white as snow. 5c

Occasionally you come across a man in public life whose silence is so intense you can almost hear it.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

In India there are nearly 26,000,000 widows.

AFTER SUFFERING TEN YEARS

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

MARLTON, N.J.—I feel that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has given me new life. I suffered for ten years with serious female troubles, inflammation, ulceration, indigestion, nervousness, and could not sleep. Doctors gave me up, as they said my troubles were chronic. I was in despair, and did not care whether I lived or died, when I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; so I began to take it, and am well again and relieved of all my suffering."—Mrs. GEORGE JORDY, Box 40, Marlton, N.J.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotics or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record for the largest number of actual cures of female diseases we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials are on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., from women who have been cured from almost every form of female complaints, inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion and nervous prostration. Every suffering woman owes it to herself to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

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Cleanses the System Effectually;
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Light in weight
It does not vary

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SELF DEFENSE PLEA

Strong Effort to be Made to Free Hutchinson of Murder Charge.

NO TRIAL AT PRESENT TERM

Boy Charged With Murdering Thos. Carraher, His Stepfather, Committed to Indianola Jail to Await Day in Court.

Indianola, Ia., Sept. 20—Self-defense will be the plea of 12-year-old Harry Hutchinson when he faces the charge of murdering his step-father, Thomas Carraher, on the night of March 1.

Frank P. Henderson of the firm of Henderson & Henderson, who have been retained to defend the boy, stated positively that his client would not plead guilty to the charge of murder in the first degree, which was the indictment found by the grand jury.

The evidence which was placed before the grand jury furnishes some ground, it is said, for the boy's claim that his stepfather was brutal toward him. The boy when he appeared before the grand jury told exactly the same story which he had previously related to Sheriff Kimer. He declared, also, that Carraher had chased him with a butcher knife, and threatened to kill him.

It is because it is believed by his attorneys that this fact can be established that the boy will plead self-defense.

The boy, against whom no information was filed until after his indictment, was immediately committed to jail without bond. It was hoped that the trial would come up this term of court, but it has been postponed until the November term, which begins Nov. 2.

Iowa Endeavorers Elect Officers.

Iowa Falls.—At the annual state convention of the Christian Endeavor societies of Iowa in this city, Vinton was chosen as the place for the next convention in July, 1910. The following officers of the state association were elected: President, Rev. C. J. Ensign of Cedar Rapids; vice president, Rev. H. E. Van Horn of Des Moines; secretary, Miss Zerilda Black of Clinton; treasurer, George Walker of Grinnell; junior superintendent, Miss Minnie Thomas of Iowa Falls; intermediate superintendent, Mrs. E. L. Condon of LeGrand; good citizenship, Rev. W. A. Schwimley of Sibley; Bible study, Rev. C. H. Doane of New Providence; missionary superintendent, Rev. W. H. Ensign of Manchester; prison superintendent, B. W. Garrett of Des Moines; editorial superintendent, Rev. C. T. Tower of Mason City.

License to Aged Hunter.

Logan.—Two hundred and sixty licenses have been issued to hunters in Harrison county, the greater number being to those on the Missouri bottom. Mr. William Arthur, aged 82, of Logan, a well-to-do and retired farmer, and one man at Woodbine, 77 years of age, are among those receiving the permits to hunt. Years ago Mr. Arthur was considered a fine shot with a rifle, but today he handles a shot gun with a skill which would be creditable to a far younger man.

Des Moines Man President.

Rhodes.—The sixty-fourth annual session of the Iowa Methodist Protestant conference which was held here, elected for the coming years Rev. C. J. Nutt of Des Moines, president; J. W. Murphy of Murphy, secretary; and Rev. T. F. Martin, conference steward. Mr. Murphy's election as secretary was for the twenty-ninth consecutive term.

Falls Through Bridge.

Nora Springs.—A collapse of a wagon bridge let a manure spreader and three horses, driven by James Hennis, a farmer near here, to the creek bed some twenty feet below. The machine was badly broken, but Hennis escaped with slight injuries by jumping. The horses were not hurt.

Win Homesteads in Idaho.

Logan.—J. A. Barr of Logan and Vern Van Scoy received a dispatch notifying them that they had been successful in the Idaho land drawing, which has been just opened by the government north of Blackfoot. Mr. Barr's number is 116, Mr. Van Scoy's, 16.

New Terminal for Des Moines.

Des Moines.—The Des Moines and Sioux City interurban line has acquired a fifty year lease on the block at Eighth and Market street from F. M. Hubbell for a terminal for the proposed Sioux City road.

Ready to Try Maybray's Aide.

Council Bluffs.—T. W. Ballew of Princeton, Mo., millionaire lumberman, banker and aristocrat who claims to have lost $30,000 through the operations of the famous Mabary gang of alleged swindlers, is in Council Bluffs, his appearance here at this time occasioning much comment and interest, in view of the fact that the trial of the man whom Ballew charges with being the author of his troubles which resulted in his being brought into public scandal in his home town, besides suffering the loss of $30,000. John D. Dobbins, erstwhile of Princeton and other Missouri towns, is scheduled for this term of district court.

Bees Hive on Tree Limb.

Creston.—A few months ago a swarm of bees took possession of a limb of an apple tree on the farm of Frank Leccco, six miles south of Macksburg, and on this limb they proceeded to make their honey. Faithfully have they toiled, and through all the rainstorms of the season they have kept right on "making honey," until now there hangs from the limb of the tree about 60 pounds of honey, and the limb of the tree is bent nearly to the ground with its load of sweetness.

Prank Costs Sight of Eye.

Clinton.—The prank of a mischevous boy ruined the eyesight of Ernest Otto, a well known Clintonite. The boy, whose name is Johnny Edens, fired a shot from an airgun at an automobile which was passing along so, it is said, by some of his comthe street, having been dared to do panions. The bullet struck Mr. Otto who was riding in the rear seat of the machine, squarely in the eye, completely destroying the sight of the organ.

Made Rush for Market.

Logan.—Advice has reached Logan that F. F. Latta, the farmer, near Magnolia, who received quotations of the Chicago markets, and jumpid out of bed collected a force of men, loaded up and hauled to Logan, a distance of five miles, six car loads of hogs by sun up, and rushed the same to the Chicago markets, has received $8,559.73 for his hogs. This is a record-breaker for action and prices.

House Famine at Sac City.

Sac City.—Owing to the rapid growth of our little city, the residents that have to rent houses are being forced to build new homes, as there is a scarcity of houses for rent. There is a large number of new residences being built, but not enough to supply the demand ,and unless many new houses are built before winter, many families will have to move elsewhere.

Rev. McGee to Rest a Year.

Fayette.—Rev. J. C. McGee, D. D., pastor of the Methodist church of this place, and for many years well known as a presiding elder in various parts of Iowa is contemplating a year's rest at the home of his sons, who are prominent lawyers in Oklahoma. Magee underwent a very severe operation in Dubuque. He still is in a weak condition.

Wedding at Burlington.

Burlington.—One of the most beautiful of September weddings was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Brooks when their daughter, Flora Carpenter Brooks and Benjamin Perly Poor were united in marriage, Rev. R. G. Jones of the Christ Episcopal church officiating, after which a reception to about eighty friends was held.

Manual Training in Schools.

Humboldt.—The Humboldt schools have installed a system of manual training. A fine, large room has been fitted up, with benches, tools, lockers, etc., for the purpose. Prof. Moffet, the instructor, says it is one of the best equipped manual training shops in Iowa.

May Lose Eyes.

Nashua.—M. L. Woodbridge, a druggist, spilled a quantity of carbolic acid in his eyes while filling a vial several days ago. He had a clerk in the store who threw some vinegar into his eyes at once and although this has helped him there is little hope of saving his eyes

Grinnell Freshmen Breaking Records.

Grinnell.—Students are pouring in to this city to be on hand for the collegiate year, and the close of the second day's enrollment indicates that Grinnell will number more students this season than ever before in the history of Iowa's oldest college.

Iowa Land Soars.

Fort Dodge.—A farm in Burnside township, owned by John F. Engstrom, was sold to Mrs. Hannah Stromberg for $125 per acre. Six hours later Mrs. Stromberg was offered $145 an acre for the ground and would not sell.

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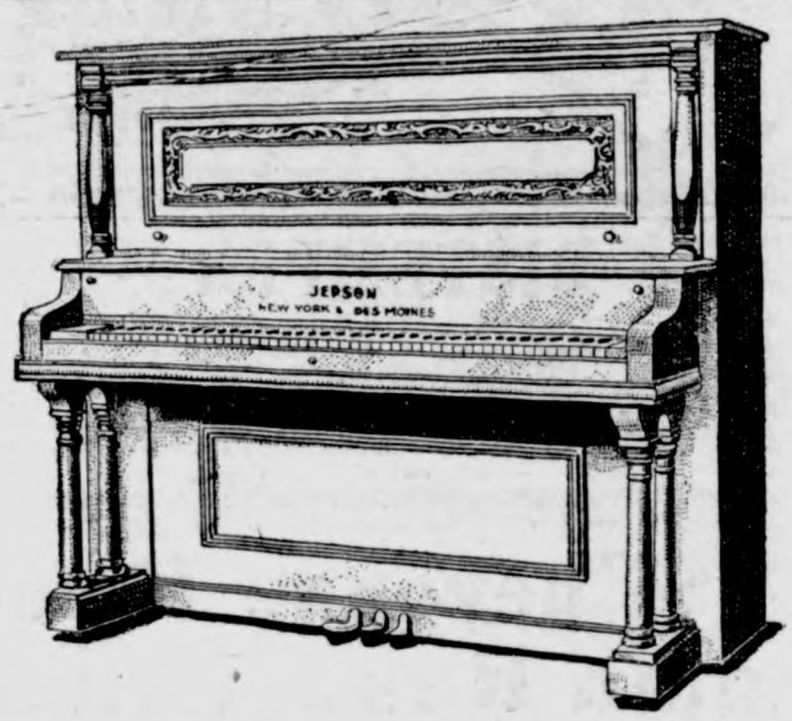

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The home of Charles Barnes, about six miles north of Britt, was the scene of a dastardly crime last Friday afternoon. Mr. Barnes lives about four miles from Miller and was in town with his family Friday. Sixteen-year-old Ida Wilson, who was employed to help at the Barnes home, was left alone at the house. About 4:30 o'clock a tramp came to the house and threatened the girl with a revolver telling her that he would shoot her if she moved or made an alarm. Then he went upstairs and looked through all the rooms. The girl, terrified, made no effort to escape and when the tramp had satisfied himself that no one was in the house or nearby he descended the stairs and knocked the girl down and then he assaulted her.

Trembling and horrified the girl finally recovered from the brutal assault and ran to the home of her parents about two and one-half miles distant. There she told of the crime and Sheriff Sourbalie was at once notified by telephone, and he immediately wired for bloodhounds to F. O. Lockard, of Boone.

We understand that the bloodhounds failed to find the trail of the human hound and were sent back home. The victim's condition was reported as being very critical.

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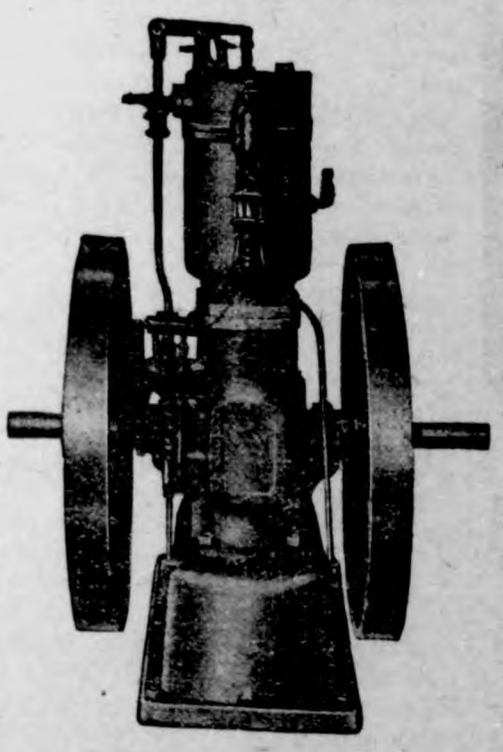

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Frank Freie was here a few days last week visiting at the home of his parents. He is now located at Eagle Grove.

Tom Blank was at home a few hours between trains Tuesday. He is now acting road master for a time with headquarters at Estherville.

Mrs. L A. Turgasen returned to her home at Swea City last Thursday. Her brother Chas. Kluckhohn, has taken a position as helper in the depot at Swea City where Louie is agent.

Rev. Earl Baker closed his pastorate in the English M E. church here last week and has returned to his school work. He has made many friends in Klemme who will ever remember him with a kindly and cordial feeling.

And now comes Chas. W. Stiehl, the notorious Watkins man, sporting a brand new automobile and he wont look at a common printer any more. Nothing to it, except that in order to hold our own in this fast day and age, we've just got to buy, borrow or steal a go-devil of some kind.

The Klemme boys organized a baseball team on short notice last week and on Sunday went over to Ventura to tackle the husky bunch of ball tossers who reside in or around that hustling little village and also a few players from Clear Lake. The final score was rather disastrous to our boys, the count being 5 to 4, but it took eleven innings to decide the contest. Earl Clark and Charley Kluckhohn officiated as battery for Klemme and their work was good thruout the game. It is reported that the umpire's decisions were somewhat raw which caused considerable rag chewing. We understand that arrangements are being made for a return game to be played here soon.

Court is in session at Garner this week.

H. C. Lau shipped a car of hogs Sunday morning.

P. M. Griesemer was a Garner visitor yesterday

Mrs. John Gruetzmacher was a Garner caller last Friday.

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The annual meeting of Hancock County Teachers will be held in the public school building at Garner on Saturday, Oct. 2, at 9:45 a. m. sharp.

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The Times family changed residences with Ralph Blank this week and the work of moving and slight sickness in the family has caused us to be slightly neglectful of our business a few days.

S. Kleinmeier, John Schuldt, and Oscar Swanson are here from Seneca, Illinois, this week. These gentlemen are all owners of Hancock county soil and are here looking after their land interests and showing off a good country to one of their friends who accompanied them.

Three husky sportsmen who do not live a thousand miles from Klemme had quite an experience while fishing near Ventura quite recently. They are not running around telling people about the deal but a Klemme man was over there since the accident and was told by an eye witness just how it happened. The three happy piscatorial artists were out on the lake in one of those oval bottomed boats and in an exciting moment forgot how easy these boats tip, when —splash! and out they all went into about five feet of water and mud. After getting their heads above water they attempted to get the boat right side up and get into it but they couldn't make it and had to wait for help to arrive from the shore. When the boys came home with faded shirts and neckties, etc., they claimed they had got caught out in a shower. It sure was an awful shower.

Obituary

Mrs. Friedericke Gast, nee Stroemer, was born October 18, 1827, in the village Karzin of Pomerania in Germany. She was united in marriage to Fred Gast. About 25 years ago the Gast couple came to America and settled down in this vicinity. Mr. Gast died from sunstroke in the first summer here in America, and so Mrs. Gast, having no family of her own, has stayed with her relatives from that time on. She enjoyed good health until three years ago when she suffered a stroke of paralysis, from which she recovered. This summer she had another stroke, from which she did not rally, but grew weaker and weaker from day to day. She died last Friday evening. Sept. 17, 1909, aged 81 years, 10 months and 29 days. Two brothers, August and Charley Stroemer, and many other relatives mourn her loss.

She was buried from Emanuel's Reformed Church last Sunday afternoon, Rev. Achtermann officiating.

Viola Freie is holding her own, but is still quite a sick little girl.

We are glad to report that Joe Sweely is making a good recovery from his recent serious illness.

Frank Ufken returned last Saturday from an extended trip through South Dakota and Minnesota on a land inspecting tour. He reports corn and small grain in South Dakota about the same as here but found places in Minnesota that suit him better and where he says the small grain crop this year is immense.

German M. E. Church Items

E. H. Lenz had a severe attack of neuralgia the first of the week.

Hugo and Camilla Neff were in Mason City, Tuesday, between trains.

Mrs. W. H. Kraus returned Tuesday from her trip to the eastern part of the state.

Nettie Greffen opened her first term as schoolma'am in District No. 9, German township last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gruetzmacher were in Garner Monday between trains visiting relatives and on business.

Grandma Schwichtenberg left for Colesburg Monday morning, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Brockmeyer, and family.

Theo. Bastian, of Charles City, passed through Klemme on his way to Vincent last week and stopped off with E. H. Bettin one night.

Mrs. Bettin and son Wesley left Sunday evening for Charles City, where the latter will take up his studies in the city high school again.

Some of our young people attended the Kossuth County Fair at Algona last week, and from there—well—they went to Fenton to turn around and then came right straight home.

We have been informed that a few pastoral changes were made since the close of conference. and Rev. W. H. Klaus comes to Garner instead of Rev Gauger, and Rev. C. A. Schuldt goes to Mason City.

Edward Greffen moved into his new house, the first of this

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

TOUR OF THE PRESIDENT.

President Taft, in the most important speech he has delivered since his election, told an audience at Winona, Minn., that the new tariff law is the best revenue measure the Republicans ever passed and denounced the insurgents who voted against it.

In a speech in Chicago President Taft renewed his promises to labor to obtain legislation against injunctions in strike cases.

PERSONAL.

Marvin Hughitt, president of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company, in an interview in New York, predicted an era of great industrial activity and record crops.

J. P. Morgan, Jr., was elected a director of the National City bank in New York, to fill the place caused by the death of E. H. Harriman.

W. W. Rockhill, the newly-appointed American ambassador to Russia, arrived in St. Petersburg from Berlin.

Edward H. Graham, editor of a newspaper at Clarks Hill, Ind.,, has been informed that he is heir to an estate of $400,000 in New York city.

Former Judge Robert S. Lovett of Texas, who began railroad work as a clerk at $40 a month, was elected to succeed Edward H. Harriman as chairman of the executive committee of the Union Pacific Railroad Company.

W. W. Baldwin, assistant to President George B. Harris of the Burlington railway, has been made fourth vice-president of the Burlington, the office having been created for him.

GENERAL NOTES.

Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota was operated on for an intestinal abscess at Rochester, Minn., and his condition was reported as critical. He was on the operating table nearly three hours.

Eight men were killed in a wreck of passenger and freight trains on the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad near Pegram Station in Tennesee.

Miss Gerda Sebbelov, a Danish girl, who is attending college in New York, claims to have received letters from Eskimos in Greenland, where she spent three years, saying Dr. Cook did discover the north pole.

President Taft decided in favor of Secretary Ballinger in the controversy with Gifford Pinchot and ordered the discharge of L. H. Glavis, chief of the field division of the general land offices.

The convention of the Yeomen of America rescinded at Springfield, Ill., its action making the temporary organization of the convention permanent.

Commercial fishermen along the Illinois river in central Illinois are favored by a decision of Circuit Judge Higbee in refusing to grant an injunction asked by wealthy members of Chicago, St. Louis and Indianapolis clubs controlling lands in that section.

Besides electing James Sweeney of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad as president, the Roadmasters' and Maintenance of Way association, in session at Washington, picked Chicago for the meeting place in 1910.

By an agreement between the attorney general and counsel at Union, Tenn., in the indictments against 100 men as night riders, the cases are continued until November and bonds of $25,000 are allowed.

The twenty-third annual convention of the Association of American Cemetery Superintendents is in session at New York. Their hosts are entertaining them with trips to the metropolitan cemeteries.

Virginia has obtained from the federal government the large figure-head which formerly adorned the prow of the battleship Virginia, but the state officers are at a loss to make proper use of the ornament now that they have it.

Mrs. Will Nowling was slain near Pollard, Ala., by Mrs. Henry Nowling, her nephew's wife, who used a shotgun. The women had quarreled about the use of a storehouse. The victim was wealthy.

Nearly all the cities of Iowa were represented at the twelfth annual convention of the League of Iowa Municipalities, which was held in Fort Dodge, Mayor T. J. Phelps of Ottumwa, presiding.

The second annual national good roads convention opened in Cleveland, O., under the auspices of the American Automobile association, the National Grange and other national bodies interested in the improvement of highways.

Hundreds of experts on taxation met in Louisville, Ky., in the third international conference on state and local taxation. Forty-three states and five Canadian provinces were represented, besides many colleges and universities.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, in a wireless message sent from the steamship Oscar II on which he reaches New York Tuesday, assured the American people of his ability to prove his claim to the discovery of the north pole.

Prof. Donald B. McMillan of Worcester, Mass., one of Commander Peary's aides, was accidentally wounded in the shoulder by the discharge of a gun which one of the other explorers was cleaning on board the Roosevelt.

Bandits held up a Denver & Rio Grande express train near Leadville, Col., and dynamited an express car, but, according to officials, obtained no booty.

Nat Nakala and Isaac Santi were killed in a mine 800 feet below the surface near Bessemer, Mich., when a miner's candle accidentally set off a quantity of dynamite. Two others were cut off by gas.

Announcement was made at a meeting of the Cincinnati Aero club that two wealthy men had pledged themselves as backers to the extent of $100,000 to secure the international aerial meet for Cincinnati in 1910.

Considerable excitement was aroused at the national negro Baptist convention at Columbus, O., by a report that a resolution had been offered withdrawing the privileges of the floor to Dr. Booker T. Washington.

American business men are planning to organize a Russo-American chamber of commerce in St. Petersburg. The state department in Washington favors the move.

Ferdinand Pinney Earle, the artist, whose divorce from his first wife that he might wed his "soul mate" brought him much publicity, has returned secretly to his home at Monroe, N. Y., from Europe, and is denying himself to callers.

Imports from te United States into New Zealand fell off nearly 48 per cent. in the first quarter of 1909, compared with the first quarter of 1908, according to a report by Consul-General William A. Prickitt of Auckland.

Commander Peary told of new observations at the north pole and stood pat on his declaration that Dr. Cook had handed the world a "gold brick."

Each of the 100 words in the will of Edward H. Harriman is worth $1,000,000 to his widow, who, under its provisions, probably becomes the wealthiest woman in the world.

Fire in the Ernst Kerns dry goods store at Detroit did $75,000 damage.

Fire destroyed the flour mills and elevators of Iglehart Brothers of Evansville, Ind. The loss probably will reach $200,000; partly covered by insurance.

David and Bascom Bogges, brothers, were instantly killed and App Garner so badly injured that he died a few hours later by a boiler explosion at a saw mill at Middle Fork, W. Va.

"He is not the man," was the discouraging declaration made by little Fanny Infusino to the authorities when Michele Rizzo, the man arrested as a suspect in last Sunday night's double murder at Utica, N. Y., was brought before her for identification.

While officers and relatives at Canal Dover, O., investigating the death of Miss Florence Weber, whose body was found in the Tuscarawas river, are unable to build up a theory of murder, they are equally at a loss to find a motive for suicide.

A petition seeking the annulment of a franchise granted the Vicksburg Waterworks Company was filed in the Mississippi city. The proceeding follows numerous "breakdowns" at the plant and plans the taking over of the management of the plant by the city.

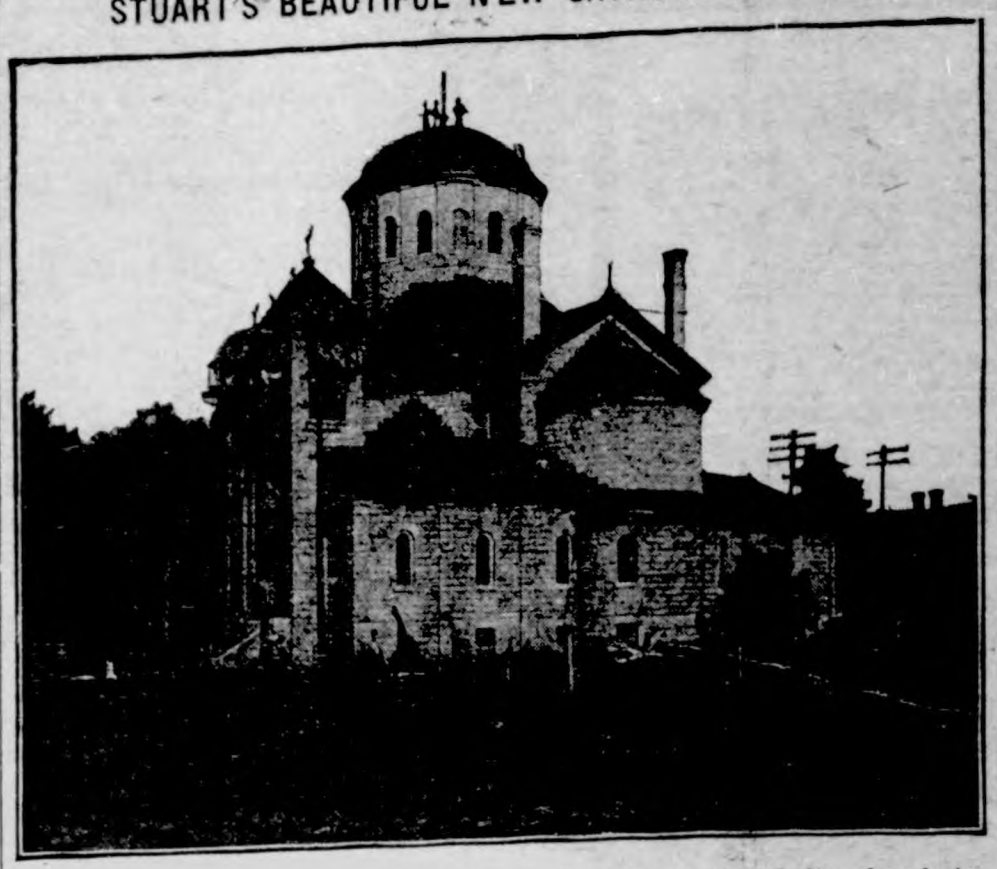
Lieut. Moon of the artillery corps, who pleaded guilty to having failed to return books borrowed from the corps library, was ordered by a court-martial reprimanded and confined within the post for three months.

Fraternities and sororities in the high schools of Washington will be allowed to flourish and multiply so long as they continue to be conducted in an unobjectionable manner.

A central bank with a capital of $100,000,000, the government to share in its profits, was urged in the annual address of George M. Reynolds, president of the American Bankers' association, in Chicago.

Fargo, N. D., entertained the Japanese commercial commissioners, who are making a tour of the United States. The travelers visited North Dakota Agricultural college.

STUART'S BEAUTIFUL NEW CATHOLIC CHURCH



Work has progressed sufficiently on Stuart's new Catholic church to give a good general view of its appearance. The church is built of Bedford stone following the old Italian renaissance type of architecture. It will have a capacity of 650, is 70x120 feet over all and 120 feet to the top of the dome. Ground was broken for the building September 14, 1907, and the corner-stone laid June 15, 1908. The exterior of the building is largely completed and the decorators are at work on the interior, which will be completed by November 1. The total cost exceeds $100,000. This will be one of the finest church buildings in that section of the state.

HIRAM C. WHEELER WENT WEST

Something over a half-million Iowans have migrated to the west, or southwest, under the impression that they could better themselves financially by the change. Part have succeeded and part have failed. The successes have been heralded from the house-tops. The man with western land to sell has paid his money freely to have such stories well told. But the failures have been carefully shielded from the citizens of Iowa. The fellow who failed didn't care to tell, and the others wouldn't.

Hiram C. Wheeler, candidate for governor of Iowa on the Republican ticket in 1890 against Horace Boies, sold his farm a few months later and moved to Texas. It has been alleged, by his political enemies, that his defeat for the governorship soured him on Iowa and caused him to leave the state. His close personal friends, however, know that he went to Texas expecting to make more money there than he could in Iowa. Like 500,000 other Iowans he "went west" to get some cheap land and grow rich with the country.

A year ago Hiram C. Wheeler met some of his old-time political allies in Chicago at the national convention. He was then a broken man financially and physically.

Hiram C. Wheeler owned nine sections—5,760 acres of the finest farm land in Iowa, prior to 1890. It was located near Odebolt and on this magnificent farm Wheeler lived like a king.

The owner of 5,000 acres of Iowa land can afford to indulge in pastimes. Hiram C. Wheeler concluded that he wanted to be governor of Iowa. It seemed fitting that the greatest farmer in the commonwealth should aspire to rule it. But politics in Iowa could not be classed as a pastime. The absence of cities, of commerce and manufacturing left but two fields of activity open to ambitious citizens. Agriculture and politics were the two chief occupations of the state. Having achieved success in agriculture, Hiram C. Wheeler turned to politics. Sherman's characterization of war would not have been far amiss in describing the political game in Iowa for half a century.

Wheeler started out well for the nomination. There were plenty of aspirants for gubernatorial honors among the Republicans. Wheeler beat them to it by introducing a new element into politics. He was the first man to use advertising successfully in a state-wide campaign. He sent out circulars to nearly every farmer in Iowa asking for support. These letters were so well done that the recipient believed he had been personally and particularly addressed. Wheeler's opponents ridiculed the personal letter campaign, but when the convention met Wheeler was first and there was no second.

Having nailed the nomination on the Republican ticket, it seemed as though election was pretty nearly assured, but the unsettled condition of public opinion reversed the usual result and Horace Boies defeated Hiram C. Wheeler.

Had Hiram C. Wheeler been content to reign over his magnificent homestead, he would have been to-day, one of the wealthiest men in Iowa. The land is believed to have cost originally about four dollars an acre. It was located just at the edge of a growing town. Its fame was statewide. In fact, at that time Iowa was noted for two things, the Whiting grove of walnut trees and the Wheeler farm. He had been president of the early 70's a poor man. But the glamour of Texas land distorted his judgment and he forgot the splendid prosperity Iowa had given him.

The sale of a farm like Wheeler's was no small transaction. The men who can buy them are very scarce. Wheeler himself believed the price of land in his region had about reached the top notch. In his opinion Iowa land could not be expected to increase much more. He had seen it bound from four dollars an acre to $40. "Go to Texas" was his thought, "and repeat the ten-fold increase in value." So he looked for a purchaser and found one.

The man who bought the Wheeler farm is rich, prosperous and successful to-day.

Wheler died a broken man.

It is reported that the Wheeler farm brought $40 an acre when he sold it. In round numbers the purchase price was a quarter of a million dollars the state board of agriculture. He had a fine family of two daughters and a son. He had come to Iowa in

A man who goes to Texas with a quarter million dollars is certainly able to finance a farm in good shape. Wheeler located near Beaumont, Tex., and bought a great place that he converted into a dairy farm. When one of his Iowa neighbors visited him shortly afterr getting established, he had a dairy of 300 cows and was preparing to supply Galveston with milk.

The Texas farm began to lose money for Wheeler from the start. At first he thought that was only what ought to be expected in launching a new enterprise. But month after month and year after year he continued to lose. He found that the wealth he had accumulated in Iowa was not going to last until the expected increase in Texas land values appeared.

Finally his only son was stricken with the fever. This blow was staggering. To lose one's competence is severe, but to lose the only boy is terrible. To Hiram C. Wheeler both these misfortunes came simultaneously.

Texas utterly failed to make good the glittering prospects that had attracted him. His Iowa fortune utterly melted away in the "Great Southwest." Unlike others who have suffered reverses, his failure in Texas was not the result of bad habits or the extravagance of the spendthrift. Mr. Wheeler's habits were exemplary. He indulged in no expensive luxuries. He failed in Texas because the same effort and judgment that had made a distinct success in Iowa was not sufficient to wrench success from a less favored region.

The land that Wheeler thought had reached its maximum selling price in 1890 when it brought $40 an acre, is now finding a ready market at $100 and above. A prominent Iowa insurance man who owns land near the Wheeler farm said a few days ago that he would not sell his farm for $150 an acre because it was making him over ten per cent. interest on that valuation.

In figuring the losses that Wheeler suffered by his unfortunate Texas move the $225,000 he received for his Iowa land is only a portion. He also lost the $500,000 that has been since added to the value of the farm by the development of the state.

If Hiram C. Wheeler had remained in Iowa, he would to-day be worth three-quarters of a million.

Iowa land at $100 an acre would have been cheaper than Texas land was at $2.50.—Wealth.

TOURNAMENT OPE

Brigadier General Morton No Holds the Reins.

CAMP CORSE IS COMPLET

Patriotism Shown in Oceans of Re White and Blue, and Old Town Bids Fair to Outdo Itself on Memorable Occasion.

Des Moines, Sept. 20—Camp Joh M. Corse breathed life under stri military law by Brigadier Gener Morton's order when reveille sounde from a dozen clear throated bugles.

Five thousand troops rolled o from between Uncle Sam's blue blan ets before the last clarion note of th call had echoed itself away in th crimson hills and hustled into kha to keep step with the orders of th day.

Every move is to an order toda General Morton from his headquar ers tent has announced the movemen of every troop in camp. The compan streets are ready for the visitin hordes. Horses have been groome and mules curried spotless. Brass an steel are like mirrors.

City a Mass of Color.

When President William Howar Taft arrived in Des Moines this mor ing he found Iowa's capital in readi ness to greet him.

The city was in festive array. Flag were flying in the streets throughou the downtown section. Busines blocks and residences draped in na tional colors. Pictures of the nation chief executive were seen everywhere Everybody was talking about Pres dent Taft and the military tourna ment. Everybody felt civic pride an patriotism at the opportunity of be ing one of the thousands that wer hosts to the president.

President Opens Tournament.

On his arrival, the president wa escorted to the home of Senator Cum mins by the reception committee where he had breakfast, and then le for the reviewing stand at the sold iers monument on East Walnut street south of the state house, where he re viewed the military parade, afte which he made a brief address fro the reviewing stand.

He then went to the state fai grounds and opened the great mil tary tournament, which continues un til Saturday night next, and the about noon left for Omaha.

In a general order issued yesterda afternoon, Gen. Chas. E. Morton, wh is in command of the troops that wil participate in the military tourna men opening today, designated th order of the troops that will form th parade to be reviewed by Presiden Taft.

The parade will be made up of th following troops, appearing in line o march in the order named.

Provisional infantry brigade; provi ional cavalry brigade; Company D o the signal corps; quartermaster' pack train No. 24; engineering bridg train; Sixteenth infantry; Thirteent infantry; Second cavalry; Fourth ca alry; Seventh cavalry; Fourth cava ry; Seventh cavalry; Battery E, Fift Field artillery; Battery E, Sixth Fiel artillery; Company K, Third engi eers, followed by the remaining de tachments of the signal corps.

DETECTIVE DELMEGE KILLE

City Officer Shot Down in Cold Bloo by John Smelzer—Smelzer Then Shot by Ross.

Des Moines, Sept. 20—City Dete tive Frank Delmege was shot and a most instantly killed at 9 o'clock las night while attempting to arrest John Smelzer, a meat cutter employed i the Sixth avenue meat market. Th tragedy occurred at Smelzer's home 1129 West Second street, almost with in the shadow of Delmage's own home.

Smelzer was shot three times b Patrolman Sam Ross immediately a ter the shooting of Delmege, but wil live. He was placed under arrest an is now at the city jail.

Delmege had been sent out with Patrolman Ross by Assistant Chief o Police Day to investigate a report that a man was running amuck with shot gun, the report coming from Del mege's own home, where Fred Fagan and his wife, with whom Smelze roomed, had taken refuge from the man. Delmege lived at 1119 Wes Second street, two doors from the Fa gan residence.

Woman Found Guilty.

Sidney, Ia., Sept. 20—Mrs. C. M Swearingen was found guilty of as sault with intent to do great bodily injury. She filed a motion for a new trial.

LIPS THAT WERE SEALED

BY ALMA MARTIN ESTABROOK

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AUTHOR OF "MY COUSIN PATRICIA."

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with a scene at a box party. Miss Henrietta Winstanley, sister of Bishop Winstanley overheard Banker Ankony propose to Barbara Hemingray, whose brother Dan was in his employ. Dan was one of the town's popular young men. He showed some nervousness when Attorney Tom Twining told him Barbara refused Ankony. Ankony the following day, summoning Twining, accused Dan of looting the bank. Twining refused to prosecute. Barbara persuaded Ankony to postpone starting prosecution.

CHAPTER III.—Continued.

My mind refused to conceive of the enormity of the sacrifice. I walked on rapidly, having no notion where I was going, but feeling that I must keep going. The avenue was filled with vehicles. It was its most fashionable hour, and several of my friends were passing; but I affected to see none of them. To save me, I could not have met their smiles with unsummoned ones, and I was not minded to try. But, looking straight ahead as I was, I yet felt them coming—Barbara and Ankony, and they were upon me before I could turn into a side street and avoid them.

Ankony's turnout was the smartest in the street, and it was fitting, perhaps, that the most charming girl in town should sit beside him. She wore a simple blue gown—perhaps it, too, was made-over; I reflected hastily that she would not have to wear that kind after she married Ankony—and to the casual observer she must have looked happy and serene, but to me, in the instant of our meeting, there was something back of her smiles that startled me, something that surely looked forth in terror—the impotent terror that is vague and still and does not realize its own appeal. It was as if unconsciously, she had put out a sudden hand to me.

I went out to the curb to speak with them.

"You will want to give us your blessing, Twining, if you have heard the good news," Ankony said, with great geniality.

"Yes, I have just heard," I said.

I held out my hand to Barbara, and she gave me hers, a little, cold, unsteady hand. Her eyes tried not to falter beneath mine, and she smiled. I wished to heaven she had not, for I carried that smile with me for weeks.

"Miss Hemingray knows that I desire nothing so much as her happiness," said I.

She pressed the tips of my fingers as I withdrew them.

Ankony extended his hand, but I was stooping to fleck something from my trousers.

"Well," said he, in a simulation of great amiability, "my taste can't be denied, you will have to agree with me, no matter what may be said of others."

"You are right," I said heartily; "you are a fortunate man."

"So I am being told on every hand. But I didn't need that, to know it. I thought you would say so, Twining."

"No one so heartily."

"It's gratifying to find that one's fiancee is so generally beloved, I'm sure."

Barbara turned upon us with a flush and a smile.

"Oh, do stop saying nice things of me! It's horrid of you. I don't like it. You make me feel as if I were walking around my own bier."

Ankony smiled at her whimsicalness, but I knew her to be on the verge of undoing.

"Our friends tell us they are surprised; that nothing like this was to have been expected," he observed, looking at me.

I could have throttled him: his blade was cutting both ways now, and he knew it. Barbara went very white and shut her lips with an odd fierceness.

"Perhaps," he went on, in that smooth voice of his, "it has been a bit sudden—a little surprising."

"Many things are surprising," I said, and met his eyes with my indignant ones. His shifted.

"We are blocking the street," Barbara cried. "Let us go on."

"As you please," Ankony answered. "Always as you please—dear."

I saw the color splash over her white cheeks at the endearment. This was part of the cost—the outrageous, impossible cost.

CHAPTER IV.

I went to see Barbara a few days later.

It is queer how a changed atmosphere seems to affect the material as well as the immaterial—even the Hemingray doorsteps appeared changed as I stood on them in the dusk of the spring evening, waiting to be admitted.

I was shown into the south drawing room to wait for Barbara; I have been shown into the south drawing room to wait for her a hundred times, and I had always before found it a pleasant, inviting place; but I got no further than the threshold this evening: the change in it was amazing. The prodigality of light struck me first, and then its gala-air; it was as if it, too, were receiving congratulations in its best clothes along with its mistress. There were flowers everywhere. I am fond of all flowers but those taken by another man to the girl I love. Ankony's flowers overran the south drawing room; they were on the three-cornered piano that had belonged to Barbara's mother, on the quaint cabinet with ormolu mounts and parquetry paneling that had been her great-grandmother's, on her grandmother's mahogany table, and on mantels and shelves and cases.

Their fragrance met me at the threshold and stopped me there as if it had been funeral fragrance. With a shiver I crossed quickly to the library. There was no light there but a dim

"I Hate Myself When I Think of What You Must Think of Me," She Flashed.

firelight. The library, evidently, was not receiving congratulations, and I entered with a sigh of thankfulness for something unchanged, when, mockery of mockeries, just as I was throwing myself down to wait for Barbara I discovered a great bowl of Soliel d'Or roses glowing in the middle of the table. The Forlorn Hope had offered its tribute of American Beauties and Jacqueminots and Marechal Neils to Barbara, but it had always been my privilege to take her the splendid Soliel d'Or. I stood for a minute looking at these upon the table, then I picked up the big crystal bowl and carried it across to the drawing room, where I set it down not too gently.

Presently I heard Barbara's step in the hall. It sounded a little languid, I thought.

"I am here," I said, from the library.

"What are you doing there in the dark?"

"I like the dark and the library."

"How capricious you are! I never knew you to wait here before."

I made no reply, but I stirred the fire in the hope that she would not ring for lights.

"I am tired," she said, as she sank into a chair I drew for her.

"Pleasantly?" I inquired with sympathy.

"No, downrightly. People have been coming for days to say nice things to me. I suppose I ought to be glad."

"Oh, I don't know. Nice things can become awfully tiresome."

She nodded wearily.

"I promise in the beginning to say nothing nice whatever," I hastened to assure her.

She smiled a little.

"You rarely do," she observed; "but I think I shall rather like it to-night. I've about exhausted all my replies. You've no idea how quickly you run out of replies to the sort of amiable platitudes that have been showered on me lately."

"I dare say. You know I've never experienced anything like it. People make phrases, and you make phrases back at them. Is that it? But you wouldn't make them for me, I am sure."

"No, I think I shouldn't consider it worth while."

"It wouldn't be good for you if I caught you at it."

"That's the real cleverness," she mused, "to make a catchword sound pristine in its freshness. A lot of women I know can do it. I never could. It's art, or—"

"Do you remember the story of the fairy godmother who put pearls instead the words in the mouth of one of her godchildren?" I asked. "If these were still the blessed days of fairies, I know a lot of good folks who would ask for catchwords, don't you?"

She laughed softly.

"Instead of brains," she said. "They would be so much easier managed."

"Exactly!"

We laughed again. For a moment I think we forgot. We were so accustomed to being gay.

"You are very amiable to-night," she remarked after a moment. "It's so nice to find you that way. You are not always so, you know. For instance—"

"You mistake," I interrupted; "I'm not amiable at all to-night. I am exceedingly out of sorts. I have lost something, and I don't like losing things; it makes me cross."

"Careless people always lose things," said she severely; "I always told you how careless you were."

"I'm afraid you were right," I admitted; "but I didn't mean to be."

"Oh, one never means to be, of course. Don't urge that as an excuse."

"The fault is not all mine," I extenuated.

She laughed.

"Whom are you trying to put it on?" she asked.

But I did not reply, and presently she inquired more kindly:

"Was what you lost of much value?"

"Of the greatest value."

"Pshaw! that's too bad. Have you tried to recover it?" And now a friendly interest warmed her tones.

"It's no use," said I hopelessly.

"But I should think you'd try, at least," she urged.

I looked at her speculatively.

"I wish I dared," I sighed.

"How queer! Why don't you dare?"

"There are several reasons."

She faced me accusingly.

"Are you talking in epigram?" she suddenly demanded. "You know how I hate it."

"Not at all," I protested; "but, you see, this didn't really belong to me. I never possessed it. I hoped that some day it would be mine, and now I have lost the hope of it. Do you see what I mean?"

She put her chin in her palm and stared into the fire.

"That is so different—so altogether different," she said.

"But quite as hard to bear," I insisted. "It is no easier to lose the hope of a thing than to lose the thing itself."

"Perhaps not," she admitted, thoughtfully; "but we have all had a great many losses of that kind."

"I never had a loss like this," I replied seriously, and I arose to punch the fire and change the subject.

Barbara, however, was both sympathetic and interested, and also, I think, she considered this a safe and comfortable topic and she wished to avoid others that might not prove so. So she said:

"I can't see why you have given up all hope of getting this thing that you want. You say you dare not make another try at it. But I don't understand. Is it some sort of a chairmanship, and has it been given to some one else?"

"It is not a chairmanship," I answered her; "but, yes, it has been given to some one else."

"Quite irrevocably?"

"I am afraid so."

"I'm so sorry for you."

"Thank you. I need your sympathy."

"Then it meant a great deal to you?"

She turned in her chair quite suddenly and looked at me, the question in her eyes. At the moment the fire began to flame and crackle, falling full on my unwilling face, and her eyes, meeting mine, comprehended in spite of me, wavered, and dropped.

"Oh!" she breathed very softly, "oh, why did you—did you do it?"

"He isn't much of a man who goes about whimpering, is he?" I asked, trying to smile but making a dismal failure of it. "If the fire had only smouldered a minute longer you need never have known. Don't remember it, and don't let it make any difference in your—your happiness."

"Don't!" she cried. She put her face down on the arm of the chair and left it there a minute, while I stood looking helplessly down at her. Presently she lifted her head and looked at me with eyes filled with scorn.

"I hate myself when I think of what you must think of me," she flashed. "Can you think one kindly thing?"

"Not one," said I, "but a thousand."

Her smile wavered through tears, and she put out her hand to me. She ought not—it was a dangerous moment: there are times when the hardest thing in the world is to take the hand of the woman you love. But she didn't know it, and I took it.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

His First Taste of Mustard.

Harry, aged three, seeing the mustard pot on the table for the first time, teased for some of the unknown contents. His uncle, who was carving, to keep him quiet placed a liberal helping on his plate. The little fellow took it all into his mouth at once. In the endeavor to swallow it and not cry out, he stood on the rung of his chair with the tears rolling down his cheeks. His sister, a year older, asked: "How did you like it, Harry?"

He replied: "Well, it made my nose 'nervous.'"—The Delineator.

Do Well the Thing at Hand.

Don't waste life in doubts and fears; spend yourself on the work before you, well assured that the right performance of the hour's duties will be the best preparation for the hours of ages that follow.—Emerson.

God's Plans for Mankind.

We were planned on lines of nobility; we were intended to be something grand; not mean and stingy, but large and generous; we were made to God's image that we might be Godlike.—Exchange.

The Difference.

Stubbornness is fighting to have in a certain way what you want. Strength of purpose is getting in the most convenient way that presents itself what you desire.

Deadly Sleeping Sickness.

Two-thirds of the native population of Uganda has been wiped out by the sleeping sickness in seven years.

Trackless Trolley a Success.

A trackless trolley in the streets of Vienna nearly a mile and a half long operates with success.

IN YOKOHAMA.

Jack—I wish I had my signal book. Bust me, I'll bet that bend of the wrist means something saucy.

Dodging Work.

"It's too hot to do housework," sighed the wife.

"I know it is."

"Let's go and spend a few days with the Browns at their summer cottage. They'll be tickled to death to have us."

Important to Mothers.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Plump.

Maud—I saw Jack kiss Belle last night on the corner.

Ethel—But Belle hasn't any corners.

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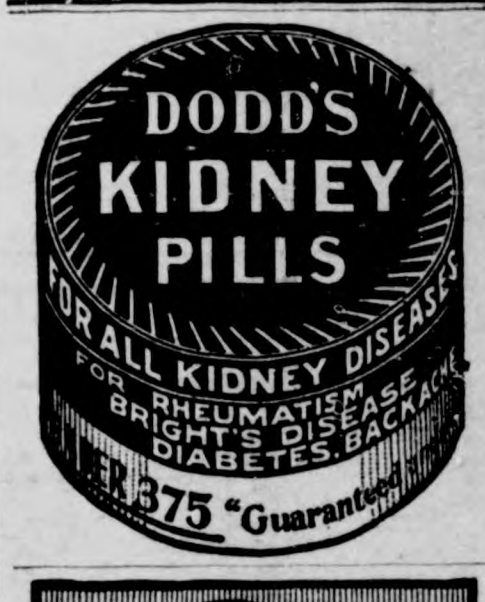

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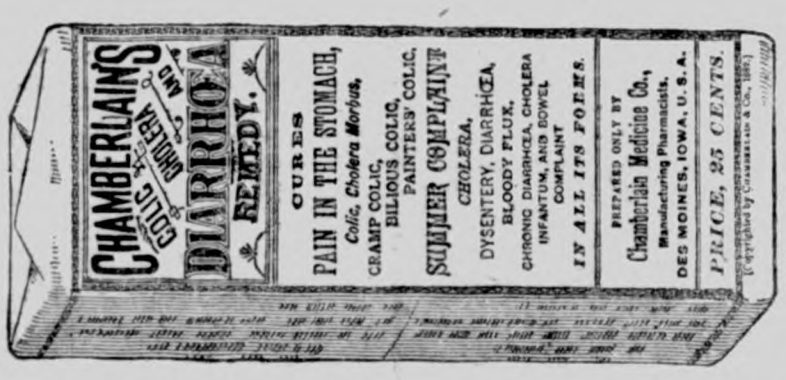

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week, which he had erected on the south side of his farm. Mr. and Mrs. Greffen now have a fine home in which to spend their declining years.

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Chas. Stiehl, our popular Watkins medicine man, is not to be outdone by anyone, and now sports a brand new automobile. The fine roads we have been having of late are quite tempting for those who enjoy a fast ride.

To our surprise, for once John Griewe's team ran faster than he cared to ride comfortably one day last week. In trying to get out of the buggy he sprained his ankle so that he had to resort to a pair of crutches for a few days. When the horses saw John left behind, they kindly left the buggy also, and ran about 40 rods where they were stopped in their flight.

The Shy Child.

The first important step toward helping a child of this kind is to give her self-confidence, even if you run the risk of making her vain and conceited. She needs a little wholesome praise to make her feel that her playmates will like her. Make her look as attractive as possible, and tell her that she is attractive; see that she is trained in all the arts and graces that will make her attractive; send her to dancing school. As she gets older see that she excels in games, in athletics, in anything that will give her confidence in herself when she associates with her schoolmates. If she is going away to school or college give her lessons on the banjo and guitar so that she can join the banjo and guitar clubs. If she has any talent of any kind by which she can entertain her friends help her to develop it. She must be taught to feel that she can help others to have a good time and that consequently she is welcome among them. Once that feeling is established the battle is won.—Harper's Bazar.

Was in a Tight Place.

For many years old Col. Lee resided in Ninth street, New York, near the Hotel St. Denis. He is still remembered by hundreds of New Yorkers for his bright manner and happy, apt remarks. When the project for erecting an equestrian statue to Gen. Washington in Union square was proposed Col. Lee was intrusted with one of the subscription papers for circulation. Shortly after receiving it he approached a well-known citizen and asked for a subscription. But the citizen declined to subscribe, stating in a rather pompous manner:

"I do not consider, sir, that there is any necessity for a monument to Mr. Washington. His fame is undying, sir; he is enshrined in the hearts of his countrymen."

"Is he enshrined in your heart?" softly inquired the colonel.

"He is, sir."

"Well, all I have to say," retorted Col. Lee, "is that he is in a tight place."—New York Press.

Elephant Turned Off Water.

Jule, one of the elephants at the Central park zoo in New York, gave a clever demonstration the other day of the wisdom of her tribe. There is a hydrant just outside of Jule's cage and until Saturday it had been fitted with a round handle to turn on and off the flow of water. On Saturday William Walker, the zoo plumber, fitted a new spigot on the hydrant and put it on a permanent T shaped handle. Jule carefully examined the handle several times Sunday. She looked it over again, and after much fumbling, turned it and produced a flow of water. Then she put her trunk under the stream, filled it and drank copiously. What pleased Keeper Snyder more than anything else was that she carefully turned off the flow of water after drinking.

A Mistake.

"I thought from the way that girl talked, she was the whole thing in the vaudeville sketch, and when I went to see the act, all she did was to appear as an assistant in a milliner's shop, pasting inside bands on hats."

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Taxes

Twice in each year the taxes levied upon property become due and as the time for the last payment for 1908 tax becomes due on Oct. 1st, we kindly ask that you get in your order for taxes early and avoid the rush which is usually prevalent at the County Treasurer's office on the last few days before due date.....

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KLEMME COMPANY FINALLY GETS PATENT

Papers Issued September 21st to Nissen Co-Operative Patent Company.

At last, after over two years of waiting, a patent has been issued to the Nissen Co-Operative Patent Company of Klemme, Ia. for their "Drive Connection for Sickle Bars," a patent gotten up by George Nissen, formerly of this place, but now at Livermore, Iowa. This contrivance is calculated to be used on any sickle machine and has many points which look to be a vast improvement over sickle drives in use today. The bar moves without producing unnecessary jotting and noise and has but few parts. It is so constructed that one revolution of the wheel drives the sickle out and back twice, thus giving the same motion to the sickle when geared only one half as high

The patent was applied for on April 10, 1907, and has been hanging fire all this time, the patent finally being issued on Sept. 21, 1909. The Company consists of George Nissen, of Livermore; G. W. Kluckhohn, Frank Kluckhohn and E. G. Ell, of Klemme; and John A. Berry, of Cedar Rapids.

It looks like this new device would be a winner and we hope that all interested will "make good" on the proposition and it seems certain they will.

School Notes

Enrollment now reaches seventy-four.

Time waits for no one. This week will close the first month of the school year.

Many of the grades will take their first month's examination Friday. All tests cover the work gone over during the month.

Ray Swartz was absent Tuesday on account of sickness,

The county fair did not affect our attendance very much as only two were in attendance at the fair last week Thursday.

We are expecting a new globe soon, which will be a valuable addition to our school apparatus.

Great Alteration Piano Sale

We have received word that Lyon & Healy, of Chicago, known everywhere as "The World's Largest Music House" is conducting an unprecedented alteration sale in their Piano Department.

This great sale was made necessary in order to move the large number of pianos on their third floor so as to facilitate the work of carpenters who are engaged in putting in new flooring.

In the list of pianos offered in this sale are included many standard and well-known makes, such as Steinway, Lyon & Healy, Weber, Fischer, A. B. Chase, Knabe, and Chickering, and prices have been reduced from 20 to 40 per cent.

If you have in mind the purchase of a piano you should drop a postal to Lyon & Healy for a copy of their alteration sale list, as you will save considerable money on your purchase by so doing.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

TOUR OF THE PRESIDENT.

President Taft reviewed the troops at Fort Douglas during his stay at Salt Lake City, and was the guest of the Commercial and Alta clubs and the Yale Alumni association.

President Taft in a speech at Denver Tuesday declared that the corporation tax, passed as part of the Payne tariff bill, was far better than an income tax and urged all states to adopt it.

During President Taft's visit at Omaha, Mayor Dahlman prevented the running of all street cars, fearing that there might be trouble from the striking car employes while the chief executive was in the city.

PERSONAL.

Friends of Dr. Cook anticipate a bitter attack on his record and the explorer has sent for Edward Burrill, at Hamilton, Mont., his guide in the ascent of Mount McKinley, to come to New York at once.

Lee McClurg, the treasurer of Yale university, has been selected by President Taft to succeed Charles H. Treat as treasurer of the United States.

M. F. Ryan of Kansas City was elected grand chief of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen of America at Atlanta, Ga. Frank Paquin of Chicago was elected first vice-president.

Until the question of the north pole has been decided Commander Robert E. Peary will accept no public honors or invitations to receptions. He will reach his home on Eagle island Friday.

Ralph M. Easley of the National Civic federation announced in New York on returning from Europe that the leading industrial nations of Europe would take part in an international congress to be held in this country next year.

To stimulate interest in church, Rev. T. W. Cook, Episcopal rector of Dayton, O., has announced that he will permit smoking during services.

GENERAL NOTES.

Fifty-six lives were lost in the West Indian hurricane which swept over the gulf coast. The property damage was enormous.

Remains of John A. Johnson, governor of Minnesota, now lie beside that of his mother, in the Johnson family lot at St. Peter, Minn.

Eleven lives were lost and more than a million dollars' worth of property was destroyed in Louisiana by Monday's tropical huricane. Other gulf states suffered to a lesser degree.

Over 400 miners had a narrow escape from a burning mine at Ellsworth, Pa., Tuesday. Almost suffocated by smoke, they fought their way to the surface through an unused exit.

W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and wife of New York have signed an agreement to separate, notwithstanding efforts on the part of relatives to prevent the separation. Mrs. Vanderbilt was formerly Mis Virgiina Fair of San Francisco.

The body of Gov. Johnson of Minnesota lay in state at St. Paul Wednesday and was viewed by thousands. Funeral services were held Thursday from the Presbyterian church at St. Peter, his birthplace.

Dr. Frederick E. Cook made the statement Tuesday that he is willing to abide by the final verdict of competent judges and that he will bring human witnesses to America to prove that he reached the north pole.

The 12-cent stamp just ordered prepared for the post-office department was last issued in 1870. The new stamp will bear a likeness of Washington.

Lieut. Hazelhurst and Private Elam of the Seventeenth infantry, who were charged with killing Private Coulter of that regiment, were acquitted by a general court-martial at Atlanta, Ga.

In view of the turbulent scenes, and the frequent annoying collisions between the imported crews and the strike sympathizers, the Omaha officials of the street car company have decided to cease attempting to run cars at night for an indefinite period.

Complications have arisen between Spain and the sultan of Morocco and it is believed that war may result between Spain and the Moorish forces, distinct from that now prevailing, which is limited to Moorish tribesmen.

According to a New York newspaper Theodore P. Shonts, the well-known railroad man, has been sued by Frederick P. Hipsch, New York manager of a Kentucky distilling company for $200,000 damages. Hipsch alleges Shonts alienated his wife's affections.

The National Guard association of the United States began its annual convention in Los Angeles, Cal.

Among those who recently received medals from the government for life-saving are Capt. F. J. Dodge, Harold Dodge, Wilbur L. Dodge and Peter Peterson for rescues at Mackinac, Mich.

The interstate-commerce commission must specify what is "a crowded street car" before the act of congress giving that body jurisdiction over the car lines of the District of Columbia can be enforced, says Judge Malloney of Washington in a decision.

When the launch Madegare struck the towline of a tug in New York harbor and capsized it was believed three occupants of the launch were drowned. E. P. Lawson and a friend, two of the men, got ashore after being an hour in the water. The third man, a boatman, has not been found.

Anna Gelish, wife of a soldier, tossed her baby out of a window when fire started in her home in Indianapolis and then jumped herself. The mother's legs were broken. The baby was unhurt.

Government meteorological tests to be made at Indianapolis and at Omaha simultaneously have been delayed by the explosion of two of 15 balloons imported from France especially for these experiments.

Milton McClure, Republican candidate for the Illinois supreme court in the Fourth district, feels confident that he will be elected over G. A. Cooke, the Democratic candidate.

Police Inspector Edward McCann was found guilty by a Chicago jury of extorting bribes from fallen women and degraded men in the "Red Light" district. Sentence was deferred.

Secretary Wilson says he is convinced that federal control of railroad capitalization would lead to large investments in railroad securities by American farmers.

Three days were devoted by the duke of the Abruzzi to visiting Miss Katherine Elkins and her mother near Geneva, Switzerland, according to Rome reports.

Commander Peary reached his home city, Portland, Me. His journey through the state was one continuous ovation, large crowds greeting at every station.

It is feared the loss of life occasioned by the West Indian hurricane will reach 100 in Louisiana. Hundreds of people are destitute and the loss runs into the millions.

The Hudson-Fulton celebration opened at New York with a naval parade of merchant marine vessels led by the replicas of Hudson's Half Moon and Fulton's Clermont, and the assembling of more than 70 warships from the navies of the United States, the Netherlands, Great Britain, France, Germany and other countries.

The fortieth anniversary of the birth of the Prohibition party was celebrated in Chicago with a monster parade of temperance, church and law and order organizations.

The Japanese Commercial commission, comprising 75 persons, arrived in Chicago and began an inspection of the industries of that district by visiting the stock yards and the steel works at Gary, Ind.

The completion of the Gunnison river tunnel project was signalized by the presence of President Taft, who opened the gates which admitted the waters of the Gunnison river into the Uncompahgre valley.

Prof. Edgar S. Hewitt, president of the School of American Archaelogy, who has been excavating near Santa Fe, N. M., believes the ancient cliff dwellers abandoned their homes because the land dried up and were mixed with the lower order of Indians.

Estimates of the Tanana, Alaska, gold output this year place it at more than $12,000,000. Scarcity of water curtailed the yield.

Arguments for the two disinherited sons of Claus Spreckels against distribution of a part of the estate, opened the will contest at San Francisco involving from $5,000,000 to $10,000,000.

During August 16,000 new settlers entered western Canada, 7,500 being from the United States. This is an increase of 64 per cent. over August last year.

Three men were killed when the Montreal express, bound for Boston, crashed into the rear of the disabled Quebec express, from Quebec for Boston, about a mile and a half from Pattee, N. H. The dead are: Engineer John P. Callahan, Fireman George Parmenter of the Montreal express and a tramp.

Opera singers in New York have been the victims of a company of blackmailers with inventive minds, who obtained money through threats of hissing at performances and promises of applause.

FIND BURIED GOLD

More Than$ 12,000 Dug Up From a Palmyra Farm.

BELIEVE MORE BURIED THERE

Andy Dickson Had Planted Gold for Fifty Years, and It Is Thought Fully $25,000 Was Buried By Him on Farm.

Indianola, Ia., Sept. 27.—More than $12,000 has been dug out of the ground where the late Andy Dickson buried it on his farm near Palmyra, and the authorities were directed by Judge Edmund Nichols to resort again to the farm and continue the search. It is believed that more than $25,000 in gold pieces will be found on the place when it is thoroughly searched.

Dickson died at the age of 80 years, at his home, three miles from Palmyra, and thirteen miles from Indianola, on Aug. 20. To the amazement of his widow and his other relatives—he had no children—he was found not to have any money in the bank. The nephew of his wife, Andrew Smith, was made administrator of the estate, and when it got to be common gossip in the neighborhood that there was countless treasure on the farm, he went to digging about the place.

At a shed, old and dilapidated, about twenty yards from the house in which Dickson and his wife lived and where he died. Smith discovered $2,300 in gold pieces, many of them being $1.00 coins. He at once reported the matter here, and Judge Nichols directed Sheriff Kimer, who took Lee Hiatt of the board of supervisors with him, to search the Dickson premises. They went to the farm and, digging about the same old shed, used as a smokehouse, unearthed $10,005 in gold pieces.

They were found in two jars. In a glass one was $4,005 and in an earthenware jar was found $6,000. The money was brought here and placed in safe custody, and the court directed the sheriff to return and prosecute further the search for treasure which is still believed to be buried on the farm.

Dickson was miserly. He had few relatives. He was childless and of his four brothers and four sisters but one is living and his whereabouts are unknown. He owned 260 acres of very fine land which made him an annual rental of from $1,200 to $1,500. He owned 1,000 chickens and from these he secured the income on which he and his wife lived. His farm he began to rent out twenty years ago.

As he approached death a relative of his wife, named Garrett, sitting by his bedside, thought to prepare the old man for death by suggesting to him the possibility of his demise He was unaffected. The visitor suggested that probably it would be wise for him, nder the circumstances to tell his wife of the money he had, for it was neighborhood gossip that he had an immense amount of money somewhere.

"Yes," whispered the dying man, "I have lots of money, lots of money, in many, many places. But I would have to show you where it is." They were his last words, but just before he died he placed in the hands of his wife the key to the little house where $12,305 already has been unearthed. She, wondering what he had done with his money, nevertheless, did not think of finding the fortune in the shed, the key to which he had given her with shaking fingers.

The income of the old man's farm for twenty-eight years has not been accounted for, and it is believed that from $4,000 to $8,000 will yet be found on the place, possibly vastly more. The place is covered with little old houses and sheds and tree stumps. They will be diligently searched.

Central College Opens.

Pella.—Central college began its fifty-seventh year with a large registration. There are seven new teachers who were presentet to the students at chapel amid great enthusiasm. The college chapel was repaired and frescoed during the summer vacation, and various other changes and improvements made. Until a new president is chosen, which is expected soon, Dean H. H. Severn is acting in that capacity.

Suddenly Drops Dead.

Rockwell City.—Frank Glaez, a prominent citizen of Calhoun county, dropped dead while listening to the trial of a case in Judge Church's court He had been troubled with heart disease. Deceased was foreman of the grand jury, which had finished its work.

Waverly Man Heads Fruit Show.

Council Bluffs, Iowa.—The announcement that Elmer Reeves of Waverly had been selected by the National Horticultural congress to act as superintendent of the show to be held here in December, has been received with pleasure by fruit growers of Iowa and elsewhere where Mr. Reeves is known. Mr. Reeves was superintendent last year and made friends of the association of every exhibitor. He has been superintendent of horticulture at the state fair for many years, has had a wide and ripe experience, and is otherwise well qualified for the place.

The congress this year is already assured of being a record breaker. An aggregate of $35,000 in premiums is to be given and exhibits of apples and other products will be shown from almost every state in the union. Every day brings good news regarding the exhibits. A letter to Superintendent Reed from North Carolina tells about a fine exhibit of nuts, as well as an exhibit of grasses, green stuff and vegetables. In south Texas the citrus fruit growers have appropriated money and are coming here with the avowed intention of carrying home some of the big prizes. Liberati's band will give concerts each evening and afternoon in the auditorium, while other musical and amusement features are provided. The preliminary premium list has just been published and another premium list will be issued soon.

Synod Meets in Golden Jubilee.

Burlington.—The German Evangelistic synod of North America convened in this city in its nineteenth general conference for a ten days' session that will be of great importance to the church.

The occasion is a golden jubilee of the organization of the First Evangelical synod in this country in 1859. Since then the church has grown from seven ministers to one thousand, with over a quarter of a million communicants in their churches. The men forming the delegates and law bodies in session here are all of high rank in the affairs of the church and the body is an august and highly intellectual one. The conference will decide upon matters of great and lasting importance to the evangelical bodies in this country. Among the things to be considered is establishing of one or more schools and colleges in this part of the country including Iowa.

A number of cities in this state will in time become candidates for an educational institution of this church. Several hundred delegates are in Burlington and in order to feed them without inconvenience one of the evangelical churches has been turned into a large caravansary, where dinner and supper is served in banquet style, the meals usually taking on the nature of a great social function.

Methodist Conference at Estherville.

Estherville.—The thirty-eighth annual session of the Northwest Iowa conference of the Methodist Episcopal church convened here with Bishop Joseph F. Berry of Buffalo, New York, presiding.

The session opened with the administration of the holy communion by the bishop assisted by the district superintendents.

The roll of the conference was called, and most of the members responded, and of the absentees practically all will arrive during the day. The bishop made a brief address which received great applause. In this address he severely denounced the attempt of local churches to call their pastors, which he said was unmethodistic and usually productive of trouble.

T. S. Bassett of Clear Lake was reelected secretary of the conference. C. M. Stuart, D. D., of Chicago, editor of the Northwestern Christian Advocate, addressed the conference briefly.

Iowa City Farmers' Celebration.

Iowa City.—All Iowa City is looking forward to the great farmers' day program and celebration which will take place on Clinton and adjacent streets on October 6. Great preparations are being made for the event. These include schedules of races for men, women and children. Races will be run on Clinton street and in the afternoon the city park will be the scene of a monster barbecue. The committee in charge consists of G. W. Schmidt, William Carson, George Dvorsky, Henry Louis and E. A. Miller.

New Home for Iowa City Elks.

Iowa City.—The Iowa City Elks are planning a monster dedication service for their new headquarters here. The carpenter work is completed and only the decorating remains unfinished. October 6 will be the date for a meeting of the local body to complete dedicatory plans and further arrangements for the dedication. Exalted Ruler J. U. Sammis of LeMars will be here for the dedication, as will also Fred Robinson of Dubuque.

MANY HEAR TAF

Delivers Preachment in Morma Temple at Salt Lake City.

MAKES APPEAL FOR AMIT

President Wildly Cheered When I troduced by Reed Smoot, and Refers to Predecessor's Capacity for Impressing Multitude.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Sept. 27—I the pulpit of the famous Mormon tabernacle in this city, where four years ago Theodore Roosevelt, then president, preached a long sermon on right living and the duties of good citizens, audience which he said inspired him to try to follow in the footsteps of his predecessor and deliver a preachment.

Mr. Taft did preach a sermon—text and all. The immense audience in the flag draped edifice, the splendid musical program of operatic and patriotic selections, the enthusiastic cheering as President Taft appeared and the quick response of the audience to points which he endeavored to impress upon his hearers, inspired him, the president declared, with higher thoughts of country and patriotism. The president's sermon was an appeal for amity between the people, attributing the best rather than the worst motives to the action of others when possible to do so, and not to harbor hatred or animosity.

"A soft answer turneth away wrath but grievous words stir up anger," was the text Mr. Taft selected from the book of Proverbs. The sermon was a homely utterance, largely made up of a relation of stories to give emphasis to the points.

From the tabernacle the president was driven to review about 20,000 school children. At one point along the line a thousand or more children had been arranged in a living flag, red, white and blue caps serving to outline the national emblem. Thence the president proceeded to the Young Men's Christian association, where he made a brief address to an audience composed entirely of men. Lastly the president attended a service especially arranged for him at the Unitarian church. After this unusually busy Sunday morning he left Salt Lake at noon for Ogden, where he enjoyed an eighteen mile ride through Ogden canyon, and made his third address of the day at Lester park there.

WHITNEY MESSAGE HITS PEARY

Declares Commander Barred Cook's Records from the Roosevelt—Doctor Keeps Silence.

New York, Sept. 27—Commander Robert E. Peary refused absolutely to allow any of the records or instruments of Dr. Frederick A. Cook to be brought aboard the steamer Roosevelt and was thus instrumental in causing these records to be put in a cache at Etah, Greenland, according to Harry Whtiney, the New Haven sportsman, in a dispatch received in this city by Dr. Cook. The message which came as a response to one sent by Dr. Cook, is as follows:

"Strathcona, via Indian Harbor and Cape Race, N. F., Sept. 25—Dr. F. A. Cook, Waldorf, New York: Started home on the Roosevelt. Nothing arrived for me. Peary would allow nothing belonging to you on board. Said to leave everything in cache in Etah.

"Met Captain Samm, North Star. Did not go back after going, School er bound St. Johns take steamer home. Hope you well. See you soon. Explain all. Good shooting.

"Harry Whitney."

Tipton Mother Released.

Tipton, Ia., Sept. 27.—Mrs. Olli Oliphant of West Branch was found not guilty of murder because insane at the time she poisoned her 18 months-old baby on July 13. The woman was crazed by fear. Experts claim the woman is sane now. Mrs. Oliphant at the same time fed three other children poisoned candy, but they recovered.

Slayer of Infant Insane.

Des Moines, Sept. 27—Mrs. Nell Taylor, the Ottumwa woman held in the county jail for the murder of her baby, was in an improved physical condition yesterday, but mentally was unchanged, according to County Physician Thomas Buchanan. She is believed to be insane.

Train Robber Tries to Escape.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 27.—While the patrol wagon was taking G. W. Marvin, the alleged Union Pacific train robber, back to jail from a barber shop, the wagon ran into a small street car riot on Farnam street and the prisoner made an attempt to escape.

LIPS THAT WERE SEALED

BY ALMA MARTIN ESTABROOK

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AUTHOR of "MY COUSIN PATRICIA"

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with a scene at a box party. Miss Henrietta Winstanley, sister of Bishop Winstanley overheard Banker Ankony propose to Barbara Hemingray, whose brother Dan was in his employ. Dan was one of the town's popular young men. He showed some nervousness when Attorney Tom Twining told him Barbara refused Ankony. Ankony the following day, summoning Twining, accused Dan of looting the bank. Twining refused to prosecute. Barbara persuaded Ankony to postpone starting prosecution. Twining learned of the engagement of Ankony and Barbara. He congratulated both.

CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

"Then you won't—you won't—oh, will you—" she cried chaotically.

"I won't," I declared. "It's all right. Why, Barbara, bless you, you knew that, didn't you?"

She nodded slowly. "Of course there never was—oh, why do you make me say such things?—there never was anything—anything between us, Mr. Twining. You don't care for me, really, I am sure. You—never told me so, and—"

"No, I never told you so," I repeated. "I was waiting—"

"Don't," she begged. "But, you see, I didn't know. And, oh, it couldn't have—"

I stooped and touched her hair with my lips.

"Never mind," said I; "tell me about who has been to see you. I want to know everything, you know."

She lifted me a grateful glance.

"Mrs. Tyson Potter was here," she said, and a new, stinging smile touched her lips. "She came to say pleasantly unpleasant things. She told me quite frankly that it was a wise thing for a poor girl like me to marry rich. You wouldn't—"

"I am not a Mrs. Tyson Potter. The old heathen!"

Barbara flashed me a smile.

"But it's rather the natural thing for people to say of such an engagement," she protested a moment later. "You know it is."

"Nonsense! It isn't. And what do you care what they say? Was there ever a betrothal that was not the signal-gun for a perfect volley of silly chatter?"

She smoothed a crumpled frill of lace.

"Miss Winstanley has not been here," she said significantly.

"She's not in town. She left the day before your engagement was announced. Didn't you know?"

"No. Oh, I'm so glad. I thought she disapproved. And I'm so very fond of her I couldn't bear—"

"Nothing of the sort. She'll write you the minute she hears, of course. She has gone off somewhere with a sick friend and probably hasn't heard the news yet."

"How comforting you are! It's such a relief to hear it. I couldn't bear to feel estranged from her. The bishop was very kind. He sent me those beautiful roses there."

"Where?" questioned I eagerly.

"There on the table. Wasn't it odd he should have chosen Soleil d'Or beauties? Why, where are they?" she asked, as she turned to look at them, and so to avoid looking at me.

"They are in the south drawing room," I replied gravely; "I'll go and get them."

I caught the glimmer in her eyes as I passed her.

When I came back she was stooping so I could not see her face, but she spoke softly, "I have asked Mr. Ankony always to send me the paler roses."

It was the point beyond which I could not keep my head, nor my lips.

"Barbara!" I cried out foolishly.

"You know how I dislike reminders," she said quietly. "And ours has been a pleasant—friendship."

I had got hold of myself again.

"What did the bishop write you?" I asked.

"Oh, a charming little note. He said the most beautiful things in it."

"It is a part of his mission—to say beautiful things."

"And how well he fills it! He is such a dear."

"So Mrs. Ankony says," I remarked.

"Mrs. Ankony?"

"Mrs. Jack—when he rides in the park with Miss Streeter."

"Oh," and she smiled politely. How many women smile politely when their husband's relatives are mentioned!

"Oh, perhaps you don't like her. Is that it?"

"I suppose you will go to the Canadian Rockies for your bridal trip?" I suggested presently.

"No, no!" she cried sharply.

"You always said you would like that you know."

"I have changed my mind."

I fingered an old Spanish cooking pot of copper that stood on the table between us. That old Spanish cooking-pot! How many times, in crucial moments, we have bent to examine it, Barbara and I. There is not a scratch or dent on its polished surface that I cannot see with my eyes shut.

"There is something I want you to understand," I said slowly, "and then we won't talk any more about it."

"Ye—es?" she encouraged, rather doubtfully.

"It is only that, no matter what comes, you are to remember that I have not changed."

She put her hand to her throat with a gesture new to me, and full of pain. "Why will you?" she pleaded. "Don't, please don't!"

"I don't want to hurt you, dear. It can't matter to you one way or the other now. And you are to understand that I don't blame you one bit. Jove! how could I? You couldn't care for me if you couldn't. And heaven knows I don't wonder that you couldn't. But I want you to know, that's all. I think perhaps you have always known, a little—haven't you? Such things between some people don't have to be put into words. Voicing them seems somehow to rob them of their exquisiteness. You know what I mean, don't you? 'I love you' sounds so empty, while it is so overflowingly replete. I fancied you felt as I did about it, dear. I was waiting, indeed, to know a little better just how you did feel. I wanted not to lose your friendship if you could not give me your love. Failing that, I was determined to have for my own the perfect relationship that has so long endured between us, and I knew I should spoil it by declaring my love for you prematurely."

"Yes," she breathed.

"So I never told you I loved you, Barbara, and I am telling you now that you may be sure that, little as it amounts to, my devotion is yours to command, if you need it. If you can ever lean a little on it, won't you? Do, dear. I want so much to serve you—if I may, at any time, in any way. No, don't say anything, please. I know you would like to say something kind. Bless your heart! Let me take it for granted. I'm going now."

She lifted her head, with a gesture for silence.

"Some one is coming," she whispered.

There were voices in the hall—Ankony's and that of his sister-in-law, and others that I did not stop to recognize. I was in a distinctly un-Ankony mood, and I caught up my hat and moved toward the side door; by that same side door had I made many exits.

Barbara followed me, her hand extended.

"Don't go," she pleaded. "How can you desert me so?"

"I would do anything else for you," I murmured. "Anything but stay."

Then I let myself out as they came down the hall, and found my way to the street through the familiar rose garden.

CHAPTER V.

Bishop Winstanley sent for me the next day. His unexpected summons came late in the afternoon, when I was very busy, and I could not answer it at once. I drove promptly to his house the moment I was released from my last engagement, but it was late and the lights were on. He sent word down that he was dressing for dinner, but that he would be glad to have me come directly to his dressing room. I went up, to find him in a rather flamboyant gown, sitting incongruously beside his sister's dainty little dressing table, with its pink-shaded candles.

He put down a silver-backed brush and rose to greet me. I knew him better in canonicals and broadcloth than in this bizarre attire, and he rather embarrassed me, but, as usual, he was serene and apparently quite undisturbed, as if he were as accustomed to granting audiences here as in the stately rooms below.

"They are doing over my suite while my sister is away," he explained, "and I have taken possession here. Sit down, if you can find room for the pillows. Such trifling pillows as they are," with a smile. "For so sensible a woman as my sister, she amazes me with her furbelows."

"I suppose she would call them comforts," I suggested.

"Oh, doubtless," said he. "They are more like little pink and yellow cotton puffs than anything that might give real comfort." He tossed a couple of them out of a brocaded armchair and, indicating it, drew up another for himself.

"I hope my summons did not inconvenience you, arriving at such an hour?" he remarked. "But my mind has been greatly perturbed, and I wished to have it put at peace one way or the other. The matter upon which I wish you to advise me is one of exceeding delicacy and unusualness."

I bowed.

"Perhaps you know Mrs. Anson Dines," he remarked, by way of beginning.

"I have the misfortune not to," said I.

"Well, I don't know that I should put it quite like that, Mr. Twining," he said, with a smile; "but she is certainly a most estimable person, of—I think I may truthfully say—the most original and startling ideas, particularly as to—but we shall touch upon that later. Mrs. Dines has long been a friend of my sister's."

"Ah, so I recall," I interrupted. Mrs. Dines was the widow whom I heard Miss Winstanley speak of to the bishop the evening at the opera when his glasses had been so persistently leveled where she thought they ought not to be. I imagined something interesting was about to be unfolded, but I was in no way prepared for what came.

"You have—ah, seen Mrs. Dines?" the bishop asked.

"Once," said I; "a somewhat stout lady with copious—"

"Chins," supplied he gravely.

"Dear me," said I.

The bishop nodded solemnly.

"A trifle elderly?" I ventured, encouraged by something in his eyes.

"A trifle! She is 60."

"Ah, is it possible?"

"Mrs. Dines admits 60," he replied. "She may be more. But 60—is enough."

I nodded, not quite understanding, and waiting for that which I knew would make it plain.

"Mrs. Dines is a lady of very large means and equally generous inclinations," he continued. "A woman who has done much good and should continue to do more. Charitable work is her passion. She is an enthusiast along that particular line. My sister finds in her a most beautiful and commendable character.

"I have often heard her called so."

"There are undoubtedly many admirable things about the lady."

"As a young woman I imagine she may have been attractive," I ventured, watching the bishop out of the tail of my eye.

"As a young woman," he repeated.

"And clever," said I.

He smiled. "She is still clever enough," he commented.

There was a long pause, during which his shapely fingers caressed the tassel of his dressing gown.

"Mrs. Dines is in Africa at present,' he continued. "She says she desires to remain there indefinitely. Wishing to further to its utmost the work she has undertaken, and to be entirely unhampered and unharassed by restrictions, she has sent this most remarkable proposition to my sister, who in turn has indorsed it and sent it on to me with all promptness. I wish you to tell me what you think of it, sir."

He handed me a decorous-looking document, which I opened with much interest. It was exceedingly direct and simple—as unadorned and simple as the lady who had indited it: Mrs. Anson Dines, for the privilege of using the powerful name of Bishop Charles Winstanley, would dedicate her undivided effort and her undivided fortune to the church which the bishop so brilliantly adorned, especially to that portion of it which she had taken under her special care and loving direction, there in a country so far from her home. The marriage should be performed by proxy, and Bishop Winstanley should continue, then and always, at perfect liberty to pursue his own helpful and shining career in his own land, and in his own manner, quite as if she did not bear his name.

I finished what was so curiously and so plainly set forth, and looked up to meet the bishop's questioning eyes.

"A most remarkable document," I observed.

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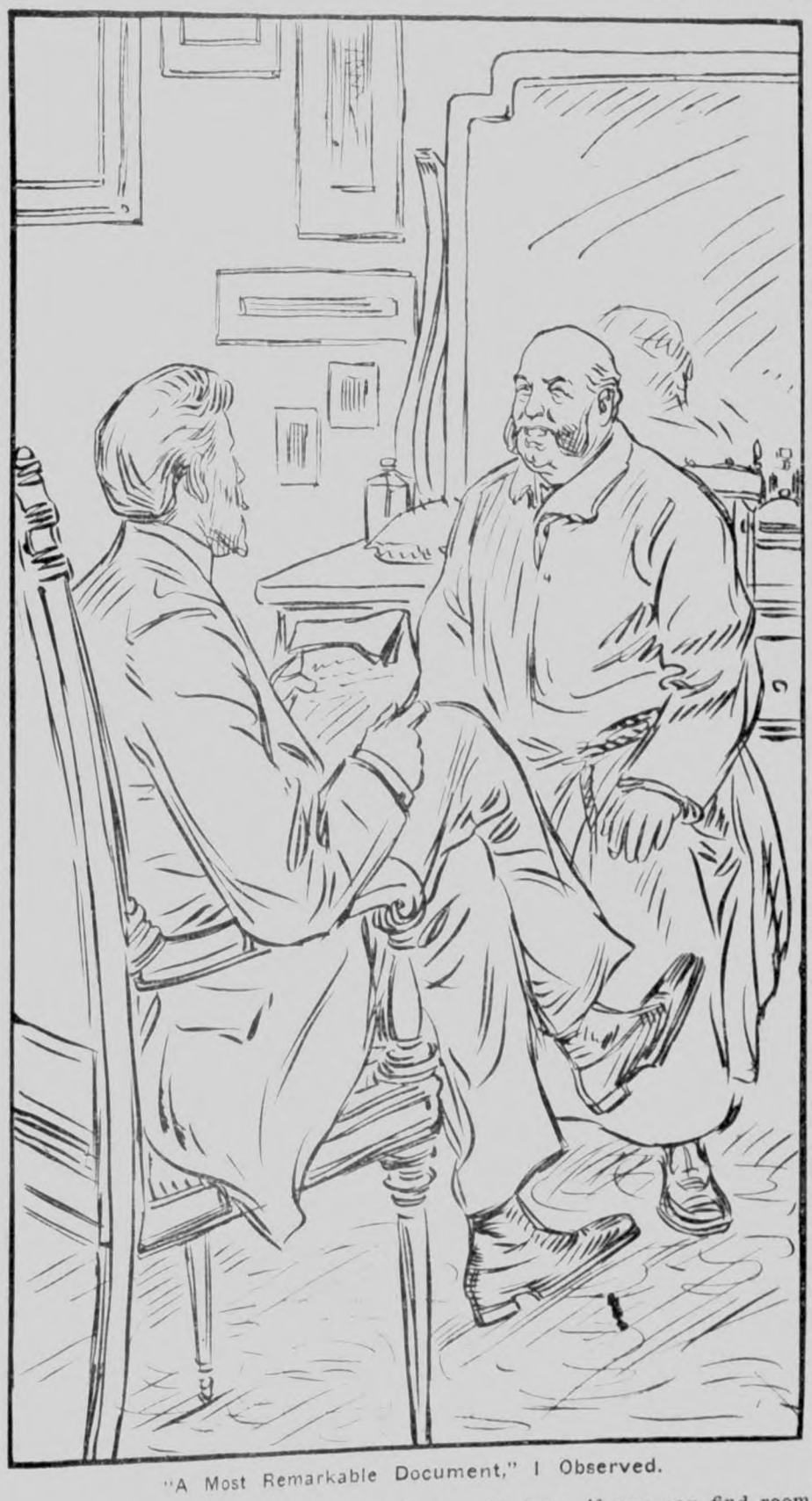

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Has Long Been Subject of Discussion, and Many Are the Theories Advanced.

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2. An adaptation or modification of 8/8, once used to denote a piece of eight reals, or, as a dollar was then called, a piece of eight.

3. A form of H. S., which was used to mark the Roman unit of money.

4. A contraction of P. and S., used in Spanish accounts to indicate peso, (dollar).

5. A device formerly seen on the reverse of a Mexican Pillar dollar, (a Spanish coin), representing the Pillars of Hercules, connected by a scroll displaying the words Plus Ultra.

6. A contraction of the Spanish "fuertes," (hard), to distinguish the silver, or hard, dollar from paper money.

In all of these cases it must be admitted that there is no little speculation, and up to this time there is no prospect that the question will ever be definitely settled. The student of the subject can take his choice, and doubtless will be able to find some kind of authority for any one of these diverse explanations.

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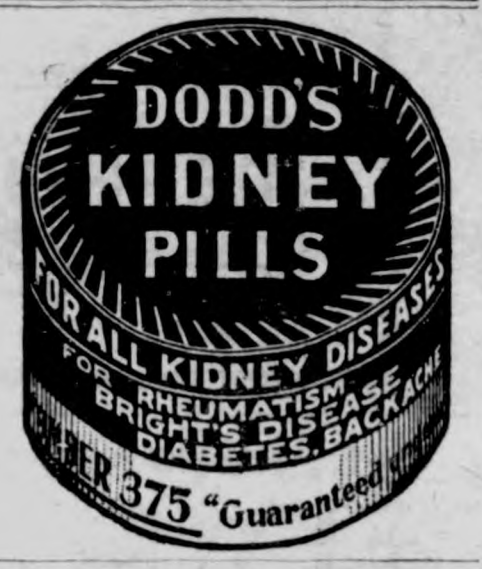

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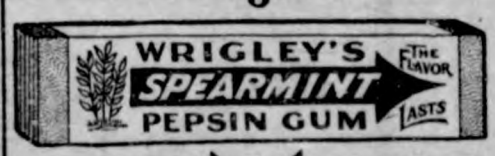

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George Gruetzmacher has treated the interior of his house to new paper and paint.

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society will meet next week Thursday with Mrs. Chas. Kraus.

Mrs. Wm. Bredlow went to Maynard, Minn., last week to visit with her daughter, Mrs. Kropp.

Carl Wellemeyer of Colesburg spent a day in our burg last week, looking after business interests.

The "Standard Bearers" will meet Friday evening at the H. F. Ludeke home for their monthly study.

Mrs. Bettin returned from Charles City last Saturday and will keep house for her son Emil several weeks.

Mrs. Geo. Ulrich is spending a few weeks in Clayton county at the old homestead and numerous other places of her former acquaintance.

The first quarterly meeting of this conference year will be held in Klemme Saturday and Sunday. District Superintendent Rolfing will conduct the same.

The township convention was a success last Sunday. The day being ideal, the attendance was very good. Every one on the program was present and well prepared, except Miss Callison, who found it impossible to come. All seemed deeply interested in the different subjects taken up. We believe that every one present was more fully convinced than ever that the work of the Sunday School is a great and most important one and that all good and truly great men are deeply interested in it.

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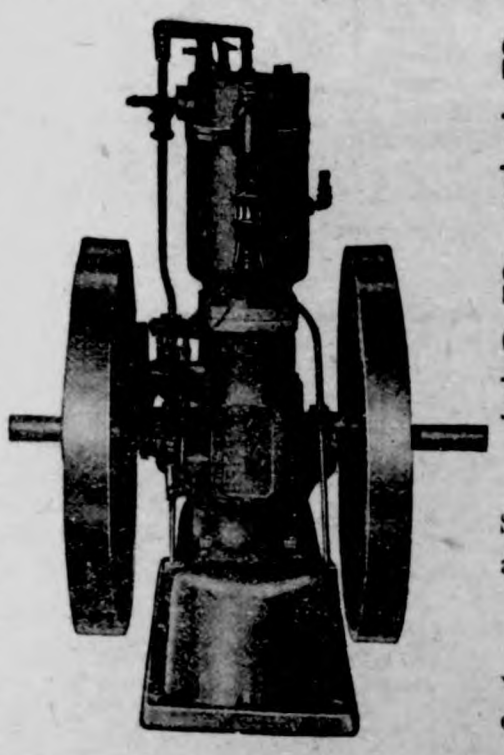

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BIG SNAP Cloak Sale!

I bought 51 Cloaks at less than 25 cents on the Dollar and am going to close them out AT ONCE at the following prices:

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Edgar Zinn was a Mason visitor two or three days week.

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m Blank now has his new eat walk completed which is ce improvement to his fine ence property.

W. Kluckhohn went to City Tuesday for a visit he home of his daughter, L. A. Turgasen.

ng obliged to take it for I will sell it out cheap;
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Terhufen Bros have a talk on Stoves in their ad.

W. R. Bloom shipped a car of hogs Sunday morning.

Don't forget that the lecture course this year comprises the very best talent obtainable.

The Eng. M. E. church here was not assigned a pastor at the conference just closed at Estherville.

Those owing us by note or on account, please call and settle at once and save costs. H. Lau & Son.

This office printed some nice stationery the past week for J. T. Griggs, proprietor of the Duroc Stock Farm.

Bargains in Kemp Twentieth Century manure spreaders and Hero grinders and horse powers. H. Lau & Son.

Lew Lewis and Wm. Lau were over to Clear Lake on a fishing expedition last week and they got a fine string. One pickerel weighing 9¾ pounds was the best fish and they had many more nearly as large. We believe these two men have some way of hypnotizing the finny tribe as they are always successful and never fail to land a handsome bunch.

Charley Kluckhohn just literally smeared himself all over with glory at Swea City one day recently. He was playing with Swea City in a ball game against Germania. Two scores had been made by each team in the first inning and the game then run along a tie until the last half of the twelfth inning, when with one strike called on him, Charley leaned against a ball to his liking and slammed it out for a home run, winning the game for Swea City, 3 to 2. The ball went so far they didn't even attempt to go after it. It is reported that Charley now owns the town up there.

Wait! Coming!

We will hold an Exposition Sale of Men's to-order tailored clothes at our store on Wednesday, October 6th. An expert designer and custom cutter will be here with all the New Fall and Winter Woolens for Men's Clothes. Every pattern shown in a full bolt. Be sure and call on the above date and see the fine samples of the very latest shades and textures.

G. W. KLUCKHOHN.

There will be Sunday School at the Eng. M. E. church next Sunday at 10:45 a. m.

Jos. E. Johnson went in to Chicago last Sunday morning with a car of fat cattle.

Hear Edwin W. Lanham, the noted lecturer, at Klemme opera house, next Tuesday evening.

Arthur Wellemeyer has a large ad on the 5th page this week in which he quotes some very interesting prices on seasonable goods Don't fail to read it.

It is reported that some of our young people who had intended to attend the Sunday School Convention at Germantown last Sunday, got ready but did not go.

A deal has been made the past week whereby John Tanner becomes the owner of the farm on which he resides, formerly owned and for many years occupied by Wm. Schaper. This is one of the best farms in this country and Mr. Tanner is fortunate in becoming its possessor.

George Hugh Birney, pastor of the First M. E. church, Cedar Falls, Iowa, says: "Dr. Edwin W. Lanham is a perfect master of himself and his subject. He wins and holds his audience from the first. Of prepossessing appearance, clear, resonant voice, forceful and elegant in expression, sincere earnestness, large vision, he is worthy of a large hearing upon the vital subjects which he presents to the public." Hear him at Klemme opera house Oct. 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Pavey returned home from Garrison, Iowa, last Saturday, and are now getting settled to housekeeping in the rooms over F. Gruetzmacher's store.

A card received by the writer from Gustav P. Baack states that he has taken up his studies in the University of Valparaiso, Indiana, and that he is highly pleased with his surroundings there.

All members of the fire company are requested to be present at the meeting to be held next Monday evening, Oct. 4th. Important business, including the election of officers for the ensuing year.

If anyone wishes to see a genuine Swiss cow that not only gives the milk but also takes the cream to the creamery, call on Dr. Zinn. He has received one on a postal card from Rev. Muehlmeier, of Monticello, Wis. It certainly is a pretty picture.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Waterman and daughter, of Luzerne, Iowa, visited here last Friday and Saturday at the homes of J. W. and G. R. Waterman. They visited at Garner Sunday and from there returned to their home at Luzerne.

Comfortably seated in the furniture department of the Wellemeyer store, 68 of our school children, from near and far, listened to the talk by Mr. Wellemeyer on "Judging Merchandise" last Saturday forenoon. In the contest which followed, the children were asked one by one to pick out the ten cent tablet from a bunch of forty tablets arranged upon a table. These were all five cent tablets but one and they were asked to find the one and only ten cent tablet. To the surprise of the judges more than half of the children picked out the correct tablet. The prize of $1.00 was won by Gail Bloom.

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"Yes, sir, marvelous. But last year one of the tourists insulted it and now it won't answer."

HUMOR BURNED AND ITCHED.

Eczema on Hand, Arms, Legs and Face—It Was Something Terrible.

Complete Cure by Cuticura.

"About fifteen or eighteen years ago eczema developed on top of my hand. It burned and itched so much that I was compelled to show it to a doctor. He pronounced it ringworm. After trying his different remedies the disease increased and went up my arms and to my legs and finally on my face. The burning was something terrible. I went to another doctor who had the reputation of being the best in town. He told me it was eczema. His medicine checked the advance of the disease, but no further. I finally concluded to try the Cuticura Remedies and found relief in the first trial. I continued until I was completely cured from the disease, and I have not been troubled since. C. Burkhart, 236 W. Market St., Chambersburg, Pa., Sept. 19, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

As St. Louis Lawyers Talk.

Circuit Judge Reynolds had announced that he would hear jurors who had excuses to offer for not serving, and a dozen American citizens crowded up to the bench to tell their troubles. Their excuses were as varied as those who were bidden to the feast that the Bible tells about. One had an important engagement and another could not hear very well, and another had sickness in his family, and another had duties to perform which nobody else on earth could perform, and another was going on a journey. And so it went.

The last man in the line wanted to be let off because he was a German. He might have been excused if he had not presented his excuse wrong end forward.

"Judge," he said, "I can't understand good English."

"Oh, you'll do all right," said the judge. "There is no good English spoken in here."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

They Didn't Have to Change.

During the years in which our pure food laws have been put into effect there has been a great hurrying and scurrying on the part of the food manufacturers to change their methods to make them conform to the law.

The Quaker Oats Company is a conspicuous exception. It was admitted that Quaker Oats was as pure and clean as possible and that it was an ideal food.

It is so cheap that any one can afford it and so nourishing that everyone needs it. The result of last year's experiments at Yale and other points where food values were tested is that Quaker Oats has been adopted by many persons as their food on which they rely for adding vigor and endurance of muscle and brain.

The Quaker Oats Company meets all demands in the way it packs Quaker Oats; regular size packages and the large size family package; the latter, both with and without china. 4

Changed Farm Life.

The dull silence that hung over that New England dinner table has been lifted of late. It is gone like the dew in the sunlight of the new social influences. The isolation of the farm was the chilling cause that drove men into the cities. Now, by telephone and free mail delivery, all the warm world currents are being carried to the country and are vitalizing the rural community into a life that is rich and abundant in the variety of its interests. A real heart hunger has been answered. Over hill and down dale flashes the impulse that electrifies existence with the thrill of human life touching other human life.—Delineator.

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Hub—Reckless and extravagant—I? When did I ever make a useless purchase?

Wife—Why, there's that fire extinguisher you bought a year ago; we've never used it once.

MYSTERIES OF NATURE

By George Frederick Wright, A. M., LL. D.

Continent Tilted Up and Down

The level of the ocean is more constant than that of the land. The expanse of the ocean is three times as great as that of the land, and its depth more than ten times as great. If all the land should be sunk in the ocean, it would raise the general water level only about 300 feet. In general we may say with perfect confidence that the ocean beds represent portions of the earth's crust which have been sinking from the earliest geological times, while the continents represent those portions which, with many oscillations, have, on the whole, been rising. It probably is not true, as is often stated, that the areas of land and water have shifted places in past time, so that continents were found where the main ocean beds now lie, and oceans swept without interruption over the continental areas. Still there is the best of evidence that large portions of the existing continents were at various times below the level of the sea.

But, while this is true, it seems equally certain that during the subsidence of these areas below the sea level, they existed either as shallow water borders of the main continental areas or as internal seas. For example, the great depth of sedimentary rocks which cover the Mississippi basin, extending from the Allegheny mountains to the Rocky mountains, are shallow-water deposits. So shallow, indeed, was the water during long periods that it was little more than a swamp in which the vegetation that formed the numerous seams of coal could grow and flourish. But the level was not constant. After a large accumulation of vegetable matter that could be turned into coal had taken place, there was a slight and very gentle sinking of the whole area, so that mud and sand were brought in from the neighboring higher lands to form a complete covering for the coal; so that when it was turned into rock it was able to protect it, and preserve it for future ages. This process of slow but irregular sinking of the Mississippi basin continued until thousands of feet of sedimentary material had been washed into it, as the Mississippi is carrying sediment into the Gulf of Mexico at the present time. These successive strata, like the leaves of a book, record the various downward movements of the long coal period. In other countries, especially in England and China, there is the same record of long-continued downward movements of continental areas during the coal period.

If this downward movement had continued always, the coal would have been inaccessible beneath the depths of the sea, where, indeed, much of it does still remain. In Nova Scotia the best seams of coal are mined many miles and at a depth of many hundred feet below the bottom of the sea. In England also some of the best seams of coal are followed out underneath the sea, and it is supposed that coal veins are continuous from southern England to the continent far beneath the bottom of Dover strait. But fortunately the downward motion of the coal area was in due time arrested, and the contrary movement begun, which has brought this priceless material within easy reach of men in the mountains of Pennsylvania and China, in the hills of England and in the plateaux of the central and western states of America. Other illustrations of great changes in land levels are too numerous to be mentioned in detail. In Colorado there was a gradual subsidence of land below sea level during the carboniferous and cretaceons eras until from 12,000 to 15,000 feet of sediment had accumulated over the sinking area. But at the end of that period the area began to rise, and this rise has continued until the present time, when it stands many thousand feet above the level of the sea.

Similar witness to such changes of level is borne by extensive sedimentary rocks containing abundant sea shells of late geological age, which are found at a height of 10,000 feet above the sea on the Pyrenees, the Alps and the Caucasus mountains, and at a height of 14,000 feet upon the mountains of central Asia. A map of the eastern continent during the early part of the tertiary period shows a great Mediterranean sea covering all central Europe and extending into Asia, submerging the highlands of Thibet and most of the mountains of Turkestan. But that this was not a general subsidence of the continents is evident from the simple fact that these areas are covered with sedimentary strata. If mud and sand and gravel are deposited in water there must be some area not far away from which they could be derived.

While these general facts concerning changes in land level in ancient geological times beyond all question are very impressive, less attention than they merit has been given to the facts showing that corresponding changes are still going on, and have produced striking results within recent times, and point to interesting conclusions with reference to the future. In connection with the glacial period, which is the most recent of all the geological epochs, these changes of level are very evident, and connect themselves with the early history of mankind. At the close of the tertiary period, which culminated in the glacial era, the central and northern part of North America stood at a level of 2,000 or 3,000 feet above that it at present occupies. This is proved by the existence of innumerable channels now deeply buried by glacial debris, or extending out into the ocean across the shallow, submerged shelf of the continent both upon the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. In Illinois, in Ohio and in central New York these buried channels are found down below sea level, showing that the land must have been very much elevated to allow the streams which crossed these rocky gorges to make their way to the sea from these distant inland points. The cities of Cleveland, O., and Syracuse, N. Y., are built over such buried gorges. The Delaware, the Hudson and the St. Lawrence rivers then emptied into the sea, running through deep gorges or canyons, which crossed a level coastal plain. The fiords of Greenland and of Norway and of the Pacific coast of North America bear similar testimony, since they probably, in most cases, mark the lines of ancient rivers which coursed through them to the sea when the land was so much elevated that what are now the bottoms of these channels were occupied by rushing mountain torrents. In short, these fiords are drowned river valleys.

But at the close of the glacial period the land levels in all this northern region were much lower than at the present time. On the southern coast of New England sea beaches were thrown up about fifty feet higher than those which are formed now. Along the southern shore of Maine the land had sunk so much that sea shells are found in clay deposits 250 feet above the present sea level. The Champlain and St. Lawrence valley was so much depressed that whales sported in salt water over the site of Middlebury college, Vermont, and seals ventured into an arm of the sea extending far up into the Ottawa river, while at Montreal modern sea shells are found 500 feet above present tide water upon the top of the mountain which gives the city its name. Going farther north the indications are that upon the shores of the Arctic sea post-glacial subsidence amounted to 1,000 feet. Everywhere across the continent there is cumulative evidence that this post-glacial subsidence was as extensive as the glaciated region, and that it increased in amount from south to north. This is a very important consideration to be kept in mind in working out glacial and post-glacial problems. This differential northerly depression at the close of the glacial period caused the great lakes to flow at first into the Ottawa river across Lake Nippissing over the site of North bay into the Mattaway river, and so into the Ottawa along the line through which the Canadian government is talking of building a ship canal, and which is already utilized by the Canadian Pacific railroad. This pass is now less than 100 feet above the level of the lakes.

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He'll Make a Citizen.

"That man couldn't interpret a single passage of the constitution."

"Yet you naturalized him, judge."

"Well, he was away up on the batting averages. I guess he'll make a good American."

To Please Her.

"I didn't want anyone to know I was here," she remarked as he found her in the parlor.

"It's all right," he assured her, "I'll keep it dark."

Grudging Praise.

"Did the critics say anything favorable about your performance of Hamlet?" "Yes," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes. "They admitted that I had selected a pretty good play."

PAINT FAULTS.

It is a common occurrence nowadays to hear a man remark with disgust: "It is impossible to have good painting done these days; either the paint is not good or there are no good painters." This, however, is not true. There is good paint, and there are good painters. But the question is, bringing them together.

One cannot expect a satisfactory painting job without pure white lead. There is a way to make sure you are getting pure white lead without testing it. See that the keg bears National Lead Company's famous Dutch Boy Painter trademark, which is a positive guarantee of purity. However, anyone can test white lead. National Lead Company, 1902 Trinity Bldg., New York City, will send you a lead tester and painter's outfit, consisting of book of color schemes, specifications, etc., upon request.

STARTLING NEWS.

Old Skinflint—Here, boys, what's this you were shouting? "Great swindle—60 victims!" I can see nothing about it in the paper.

Sharp Sam—That's the swindle; you are the sixty-first.

HUNTING FOR BIG GAME.

The Highlands of Ontario is an ideal spot for the sportsman during the open hunting season for big game. In the Temagami region moose are plentiful and may be killed during the period from October 16th to November 15th. This territory is a forest preserve of vast expanse, and in addition to being the hunter's paradise, its waters abound with game fish of many species. The home of the red deer is located somewhat to the south of Temagami, particularly in the districts known as "Muskoka Lakes," "Lake of Bays," "Maganetawan River," "Lake Nipissing," and "Kawartha Lakes" territories.

Write to W. S. Cookson, A. G. P. A., 135 Adams St., Chicago, for a copy of "Haunts of Fish and Game" issued by the Grand Trunk Railway System which fully describes the hunting territories reached by this line, giving game laws, maps and all information.

HIS CHANCE.

"Hey, mister! Gimme a nickel an' I'll tell youse who trew dat peel down dere!"

A GREAT ANNOYANCE.

Kidney Disease Shows Many Painful and Unpleasant Symptoms.

George S. Crowell, 1109 Broadway, Helena, Mont., says: "I was troubled with a disordered condition of the kidneys, some backache and irregular passages of secretions. At times I was obliged to get up out of bed at night, and the urine was unnatural in appearance. On the advice of a friend I procured Doan's Kidney Pills and began using them. This remedy helped me at once, strengthened my kidneys and corrected the disordered condition."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Good Roads Mean Money.

The people need to be educated to the fact that money spent for good roads is not money thrown away, whereas money spent for makeshift improvements is worse than thrown away.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Palm tree prosperity does not depend upon weather or climate.

If you wish beautiful, clear white clothes, use the new RUSS BLUE. All grocers sell it.

The people who don't want to stay little must read big books.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules. Easy to take as candy.

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Compiled by Stat Auditor Amounts That Taxpayers Remit to Keep Iowa Above Surface.

Moines, Sept. 25.—Some idea vast outlay of money required the great state of Iowa is ob- from a perusal of the list of ts issued by State Auditor during the first half of the year, or from January 1 to 0, inclusive. In that space of e issued warrants in the sum 27,833.76.

ded in that amount are the ts issued to cover the expenses last meeting of the state legis- an expense which occurs but very two years. This expense nter was $135,779.24. Deducting ount from the sumtotal given it is found that the erpense of Iowa for the first half of the year, exclusive of the legisla- ession, was $1,792,054.52. Multi- this sum by two, the approxi- ost of running Iowa for the year shown to be $3,584,109.04. This an be taken as a fair estimate cost per annum of government when the legislature is not in n. Of course it will vary some- each year, but the figures pre- give a fair idea of what the ers of Iowa are paying per year eir magnificent system of state ment.

expense of the last legislature, e taken as a fair estimate of the each session of the legislature, as follows: Salary of senators, 1.31; salary of representatives, .90; mileage of senators, $672.- ileage of representatives, $1,- ; salaries of senate employes, 3.50; salaries of house employ- 1,596.00; miscellaneous expenses, 5.93; total cost of legislature, 79.24.

to Rule on Auto Risks.

orney General Byers has an- ed that he will submit an opin- the right of insurance com- to indemnify automobile own- for damages awarded against on account of accidents, caus- their automobiles. Auditor ley has ruled that under the law the owner of an automobile contract insurance indemni- him against liability imposed ury court, for accident to persons roperty, caused by the assured's mobile.

Up Vicious Dogs or Lose Mail.

Moines people who own vicious will have to keep them tied up ely or they will not receive a piece of mail from the United s government at their homes un- they take it there hemselves. postoffice department at Wash- n has adopted a new regulation ing that mail carriers need not at houses where such animals ept. The new rule says that per- keeping vicious canines will to call at the postoffice for their

re Are New Druggists.

t of a class of forty taking the pharmacy examination the fol- twelve were successful: Ar- N Fisher, Des Moines; Milton ngley, Algona; Maurice C. Mc- Guthrie Center; Allen A. Dal- Moines; Paul T. Logué, Sear- Nellie M. Anderson, Ainsworth; C. Recker, Des Moines; R. W. e, Council Bluffs, George W. r, Washington· C. C. Johnson, n and A. B. Patterson, Des es.

Duyn After Employment Men.

te Labor Commissioner E. W. Duyn intends to ask the next ature to amend the law in re- e to allowing employment agen- to charge a filing fee of one dol- whether they obtain a position person or not. The vast number mplaints that are reaching this e to the effect that employment ies are charging the dollar al- by law and then never getting pplicant a position, has stirred commissioner to action.

er William Miller Passes Away.

illiam Miller, the oldest resident mp township, and the builder of first barn in that part of the y, died at his home nine miles the city at the age of 90 years. Miller has been a resident of township for the past eighty- years.

Hamilton Quits State Control Board.

Hon. John T. Hamilton of Cedar Rapids has tendered to Governor Carroll his resignation as a member of the board of control of state institutions. The resignation becomes effective October 1.

In his formal letter of acceptance Mr. Hamilton assigns no cause for his resignation, but in presenting the same he stated that the pressure of business interests, since the death of his son, had become so great that he felt obliged to take the step. He expressed regret at leaving the work, declaring that his relations with both Governor Carroll and other members of the board had always been most pleasant. He also told Governor Carroll that he would continue in the work until a suitable man was found to succeed him.

Mr. Hamlton was appointed to the board as a democratic member in 1908 and his term would have expired April 4, 1914.

The announcement of his resignation came as a great surprise to state house officials, and occasioned much speculation as to whom Governor Carroll would name in his place.

Smeltzer Charged With Murder.

John Smeltzer, slayer of Detective Frank Delmege, was charged with murder in an information drawn up in police court by Col. E. E. Johnston, chief of detectives. Smeltzer is now at Mercy hospital, where he was taken after he had complained of terrible pains in his back.

However, an examination by the city physicians revealed the fact that the first bullet fired by Officer Sam Ross penetrated the right breast and took a course underneath the ribs, passing out the left side of his body. The wound is not dangerous and as soon as he is arraigned Smeltzer will be taken to the county jail.

It is believed that upon his arraignment the murderer will merely waive to the grand jury.

The funeral services of Detective Delmege were held at the late home, 1119 Second street, conducted by the Rev. A. C. Douglass, pastor of the First United Presbyterian church. Following the services at the home, the body was placed on a Great Western train and taken to Lorimor, Ia., where interment was made.

Iowans to New Orleans.

The delegates named by Governor Carroll to the fourth annual convention of the Lakes to the Gulf Deep Waterways association include a member from each of the eleven congressional districts. The list is as follows: First district, Irwin M. Wells, Keokuk; Second district, S. L. Johnson, Muscatine; Third district, Peter Kiene, Dubuque; Fourth district, W. L. Turner, New Hampton; Fifth district, H. M. Rebley, Anamosa; Sixth district, Austin P. Haines, Grinnell; Seventh district, Clinton Price, Indianola; Eighth district, D. W. Higbee, Creston; Ninth district, A. D. Lemon, Guthrie Center; Tenth district, J. A. Ericson, Boone, and Eleventh district, C. W. Lister, Sibley.

Governor Carroll and Congressmen, Good, Woods, Haugen, Kendall and Pickett will also make the trip.

Iowa Merges With Mutual Tolls.

Officers of the Iowa Telephone company filed articles of incorporation with Mrs. Frank W. Dodson, county recorder, organizing what is believed to be a subsidiary concern known as the Hawkeye Telephone company. The creation of the new concern is thought to be for the purpose of handling all toll line business that was done by the Mutual Telephone company before its purchase by the Iowa people, which amounts to a consolidation of the two companies.

Guiberson is a Life Member.

In appreciation of his services in producing the sketch, "An Hour at the City Hall," at the Press club frolic at Ingersoll park recently, the club has elected W. P. Guiberson a life member. A vote of thanks was extended to S. H. Cobb, who was instrumental in organizing the club, and who served as chairman of the executive board. He resigned because of leaving the city.

Garrity New Assistant.

Capt. Chester W. Fenton of Fort Des Moines has been appointed aid on the staff of Gen. Frederick D. Grant, and instead of remaining with the Second cavalry when the regiment goes to the Philippines he will go to Chicago, where General Grant has his headquarters. Lieut. George Garrity succeeds Captain Fenton as adjutant at the local post.

Did Not Make Money.

The annual report of the Iowa & Illinois Railway company has been filed with the railroad commission and shows a net loss of 10,881.22 for the interurban road. There was a net revenue of $48,313.58, but this was eaten up by fixed charges, interest on debt and taxes. The road runs from Clinton to Davenport.

WIPES OUT SPECIAL TAXES

SWEEPING DECISION BY JUDGE AT IOWA CITY.

Improvement Levies Amounting to Many Thousands of Dollars Inalidated by Technicality.

Iowa City, Ia., Sept, 27—Judge Howell has made a ruling in the district court which unless overturned by a higher tribunal will invalidate almost every improvement made in recent years by the city council of Iowa City. The total amount involved reaches several hundreds of thousands of dollars, nearly the whole amount outstanding in bonds to be paid off by the property owners who are subject to taxes for abutting street improvements, both paving and sewer.

Judge Howell has held that where there is a failure to file at the office of the county auditor, as required by section 816 of the code, a certificate of the passage of the ordinance or resolution ordering the improvement, no legal tax can be levied against the property abutting on the improvement. After the filing of this notice, the code states, "all special taxes for the cost thereof, or any part of said cost, which are to be assessed and levied against real property, together with all interest and penalties on all of said assessments, shall become and remain a lien on such property from the date of the filing of said papers with the county auditor until paid."

In the case before the court, the attorneys for the W. J. Haddock estate sought to have the tax declared void because this notice was not served, and Judge Howell upheld the motion of the attorneys. The sum involved was only $60, but identically the same condition prevails with respect to taxes amounting to hundreds of thousands.

It has been the ruling of city attorneys that this notice was merely to secure a lien from the time of the execution of the contract until the completion of the work with the filing of the plat and schedule with the county auditor, but Judge Howell holds that the failure to obtain the lien invalidates the entire tax.

LAND PAGEANT AT GOTHAM

Historical Parade of the Hudson-Fulton Celebration Witnessed by a Million Spectators.

New York, Sept. 28.—American history in visible form passed in review today before the eyes of more than a million spectators that lined the route of the first Hudson-Fulton land pageant from the upper end of Central park to Washington square. Thousands of dollars and months of effort were spent to make this parade of 54 floats an accurate reproduction of the life in New York state from legendary Indian times that preceded the first settlement to the first voyage of the Clermont in 1807.

The line of parade had to be selected with great care because of the size of the floats, which are said to be the largest and most elaborate ever exhibited. They vary in dimensions from 20 to 40 feet high, 32 feet long, and 14 feet wide. They could not pass under the elevated railroad, and even the electric decorations of the Court of Honor and reviewing stands on Fifth avenue, opposite the new public library, had to be changed at the last moment to accommodate them.

JAPS AT GARY STEEL PLANT

Commercial Commissioners From Orient Are Inspecting Industries In the Chicago District.

Chicago, Sept. 25.—Baron Eiighi Shibusawa and his fellow members of the Japanese commercial commission arrived in Chicago for a visit of four days as guests of the Chicago Association of Commerce. The party numbers 75 persons, including the wives and retinues of many of the members.

Yesterday the visitors were taken first in automobiles to the stock yards for a tour of inspection and luncheon at the Saddle and Sirloin club. Then a special train carried them to Gary, Ind., where they were shown the wonders of the great steel works.

This morning the Japanese were shown the Western Electric and Commonwealth-Edison plants, and in the afternoon they visited the University of Chicago, the south parks and the public playgrounds. The climax of their visit will come Monday evening when they will be tendered an elaborate banquet in Congress hotel.

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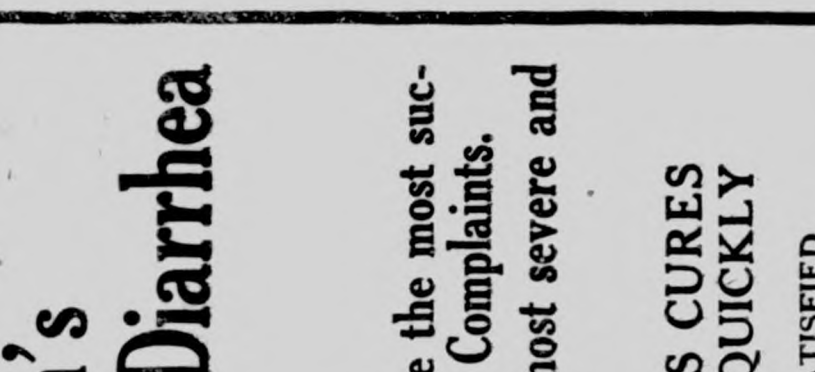

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ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Mrs. Bert Auchampach visited her parents at Ventura last Friday.

Martha Gilbert, teacher of the Groesbeck school, took a vacation last Friday and visited the Britt fair.

Mrs. J. P. Groye has recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. Mark Adwell has been on the sick list.

Hans Hanson and family were at the Mason City fair last week.

Luella Yohn visited with her parents Sunday.

Gertie Wessels came up from Goodell Saturday to spend a few days at home.

Cora Lawhorn was home from Garner Sunday.

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From the Globe:

John Hughes transacted business at Klemme Tuesday.

J. E. Savogue and Jas. Trumbell were business visitors at Garner Saturday.

Miss Mamie White went to Mason City Wednesday for a short visit with friends.

Miss Mary Ahrenkiel of near Klemme was visiting with her cousin, Ina Ahrenkiel, the first of the week.

Mrs. Henry Christensen went to Berlin, N. D., Friday, for a few weeks' visit at the home of her uncle, W. W. Christie and family.

B. H. Luken was at Des Moines the latter part of last week on business, also to take in the city while President Taft was a guest there.

Mrs. C. Brogan and son Merle drove over from Meservey Monday, for little Miss Marvel who had been here since last Friday. They returned home Tuesday.

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BRITT

From the News:

Information comes from Terril, Ia., of the birth of a baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dana on Saturday, September 18, 1909.

Carl Summers will leave this week for a visit at the home of his wife's parents in Oklahoma, where Mrs. Summers has been visiting for a few weeks.

The Vinton, Iowa, canning factory paid $160 per acre for a quarter section farm three-fourths of a mile from that place.

E. H. Vernell returned the last of the week from Mason City where he was operated upon for appendicitis. He is able to be around town and is recovering very nicely.

The sorrowful information came to Britton Monday afternoon, September 20, 1909, that J. P. Peterson had died that morning at 11 o'clock. About a week ago he went to Des Moines for an operation for gall stones and appendicitis, at the Methodist hospital at that place. The operation was apparently successful. Encouraging news came from Des Moines and it was thought that he would recover, but he grew worse on Sunday night and he passed away Monday morning.

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The Hancock County Fair was held at Britt on Tuesday, Wednesday Thursday and Friday of last week at which the attendance was only fair and the receipts hardly enough to pay expenses.

Tuesday was entry day when no admission was charged, and as it rained on Tuesday night no exhibition was given and no admission was charged on Wednesday. The attendance was fairly good on Thursday but not as large as on the big days of former years. On Friday the attendance was small, considering that the program was the best on that day.

The exhibits were not numerous but the quality was better than usual, especially in agricultural products and fruits. The exhibit of school work was large and reflected great credit on the school workers of the county and attracted much attention. The display in the fancy work department and pantry stores was light.

The display of stock was very light. In cattle the herds of Ed Widiams and Pat Durnin made good showing. The hogs, sheep, etc, were very few, but some good animals were exhibited. There was a good show of poultry.

The baseball game on Tuesday was between Garner and Britt and resulted in a score of 6 to 4 in favor of Garner.

On Friday the game was between Forest City and Garner and resulted in a score of 4 to 1 in favor of Forest City.

On account of the disagreeable weather the races on Thursday were not very exciting, but some good races were put on Friday afternoon.

On Friday afternoon a very nice balloon ascension was made, going up about 1000 feet and landing safely near Charley Williams' place.—Britt News.

ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

C. B. Groesbeck and family were at Clear Lake in their auto Sunday.

Mrs. Grove entertained friends from Forest City last Saturday.

A. Kelly, of Garner, was looking after the thrashing on his farm Monday.

Mae Yohn and Ruth Bonar attended the teachers meeting at Garner Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Glanville and Mrs. Hod Lawhorn spent Sunday with Mrs. Charley Lawhorn.

Ruth Bonar came down from Forest City Friday evening and visited with Yohn's until Sunday.

Jim Gilbert and family drove to Forest City Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Gilbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Flint.

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MESERVEY

From the Messenger:

Rev. Winterstein, of Colorado, was here last Sunday calling on his many friends.

Miss Sophia Manz left Friday night for Minneapolis where she will work the coming winter.

Miss Carrie Grosz returned home Saturday from Des Moines, where she has been working at the millinery trade.

Mrs. Herman Fischer left Thursday for Atwater, Minn., where she will attend the wedding of her brother Gust. She was accompanied by Miss Thina Hoppe.

C. F. Quandt returned home Saturday from Illinois, where he attended the funeral of his brother.

Geo. W. Griggs, of Goodell, was in town Saturday. He is preparing for a busy season in the fur buying business and in the sale of his "Perfect" fur stretcher.

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A Successful Meeting

Quite a delegation of teachers from this and adjoining vicinities were in attendance at the county teachers' meeting at Garner last Saturday. Mrs. Miller of Des Moines gave a very interesting and helpful talk to the teachers during the forenoon and afternoon sessions.

These meetings are largely attended, being recognized by true teachers as the food of the teacher which cannot fail to be helpful to the schools in general. Farmers are always after and glad to adopt any improved implement. So ought the teacher be anxious and willing to put into practice any and all methods that show improvement in educational lines.

The afternoon session was held in the court house so as to better accommodate the large attendance. After the meeting the teachers received many supplies for their schools and all went home feeling well paid for being in attendance.— Communicated.

School Notes

Harry Gibbs has been out a few days helping fill a silo.

Ernest Lewis and Clarence Lauden were absent from school part of Monday on account of sickness.

The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy during the first month ending Oct. 1st:

High School room — Esther Bloom, Gail Bloom, Esther Lenz, Verner Lewis, Oscar Musfelt and Clarence Waterman.

Intermediate room—Agnes Elder, Ada Bowker, Florence Sampson, Harold Ridder and Cyrus Griewe.

Primary room—Ernest Lewis, Flossie Bowker, Frank Bowker, Mabel Waterman, Erwin Lau, Walter Bloom, Evelyn Elder and Sadie Bowker.

Public Auction

As I have rented the greater part of my farm, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, without reserve, on my farm 2 miles south of Klemme, the following described property, on

Thursday, October 14, 1909
Beginning at ten o'clock, a. m.
Free Lunch at Noon.

98 Cattle— 33 milch cows, 8 heifers 2 years old, 11 heifers 1 year old, 11 steers 2 yrs old, 11 steers 1 year old, 23 head spring calves, 1 high grade bull.

2 Horses—1 bay gelding 5 yrs old wt about 1450; 1 grey gelding 9 yrs old wt about 1500.

Machinery—Milwaukee binder, McCormick corn binder, Champion mower, hay rake, International manure spreader, 24-ft harrow, 16-in Rock Island sulky plow, 16-in Deere sulky plow, Clinton wagon, 3 riding corn plows, 1 No. 6 Sharpies cream separator, 2 sets double harness.

Terms—$10 and under, cash; over $10 a credit of 12 months on approved notes at 8 per cent. No property to be removed until settled for.

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WHERE THEY LEARN ECONOMY

Matron Knew What She Was About When She Went to Engage Maid.

The manager of the employment agency was used to hearing women in search of maids ask applicants all sorts of queer questions, says the New York Tribune, but this matron made him mildly curious. Of 14 girls in turn she had inquired: "Have you worked in a minister's family?" None of them had. "Too bad," said the matron to the manager. "None of these girls will do."

"May I ask," said the manager, "why you are anxious to know if these girls have worked in ministers' families?"

"Why, the fact is, we're very hard up just now," said the matron, candidly; "I want a girl who knows how to economize, and those who have worked in clergymen's families, I've discovered, have learned that lesson."

Feeding Farm Hands.

Every farmer's wife knows what tremendous appetites farm hands usually have; but while they eat well they work well, too.

Here's a good suggestion about feeding farm hands. Give them plenty of Quaker Oats. A big dish of Quaker Oats porridge with sugar and cream or milk is the greatest breakfast in the world for a man who needs vigor and strength for a long day's work. The man that eats Quaker Oats plentifully and often is the man who does good work without excessive fatigue. There is a sustaining quality in Quaker Oats not found in other foods, and for economy it is at the head of the list. Besides the regular size packages Quaker Oats is packed in large size family packages, with and without china. 5

Ours and Theirs.

"A play on names unconsciously perpetrated by my youngest son was very funny," said a Flatbush man the other day. "We live next door to a family named Feitenour, and the other night while my family was busy reading in the library we heard a racket on the back porch. My son went out to investigate, and on his return my wife, always inquisitive, asked what had caused the noise.

"'Nothin' but a couple of cats,' Jim told her, and then I heard her ask: 'Did you see whose they were?'

"'Yes; one was ours and the other was Feitenour's.'"

On a Time Limitation.

In spite of the reputation for latitudinarianism he gained from his early trial for heresy, the late Prof. Jowett of Oxford was intolerant of pretentiousness and shallow conceit. One self-satisfied undergraduate met the master one day. "Master," he said, "I have searched everywhere in all philosophies, ancient and modern, and nowhere do I find the evidence of a God." "Mr. ——," replied the master, after a shorter pause than usual, "if you don't find a God by five o'clock this afternoon you must leave this college."

A Work of Supererogation.

Henry dislikes being bathed and argues with his mother over every square inch of his four-year-old anatomy.

One night, when his patience was especially tried by what he considered wholly unnecessary work, he exclaimed:

"Oh, mamma, couldn't you skip my stomach? Nobody ever sees my stomach!"—Judge's Library.

CHILDREN SHOWED IT

Effect of Their Warm Drink in the Morning.

A year ago I was a wreck from coffee drinking and was on the point of giving up my position in the school room because of nervousness.

"I was telling a friend about it and she said, 'We drink nothing at meal time but Postum, and it is such a comfort to have something we can enjoy drinking with the children.'

"I was astonished that she would allow the children to drink any kind of coffee, but she said Postum was the most healthful drink in the world for children as well as for older ones, and that the condition of both the children and adults showed that to be a fact.

"My first trial was a failure. The cook boiled it four or five minutes and it tasted so flat that I was in despair but determined to give it one more trial. This time we followed the directions and boiled it fifteen minutes after the boiling began. It was a decided success and I was completely won by its rich delicious flavour. In a short time I noticed a decided improvement in my condition and kept growing better month after month, until now I am perfectly healthy, and do my work in the school room with ease and pleasure. I would not return to the nerve-destroying regular coffee for any money."

Read the famous little "Health Classic," "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Seeing France with Uncle John

By ANNE WARNER

UNCLE JOHN IN ROUEN

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"Well, girls, are you ready to get up and out and set about improving your minds? I've been reading the guide-book and spilling my coffee with trying to do two things at once, ever since eight o'clock. But what your Uncle John doesn't know about Rouen now isn't worth stopping to look up in the index. Why, I've got the real French twang to the pronunciation. It's Rooank; only you stop short of the 'n' and the 'k,' so to speak. The waiter who brought my breakfast showed me how to do it—said he never saw a foreigner catch on to the trick so quick before. I gave him one of those slim little quarters they have here, and he was so pleased that he taught me how to say 'Joan of Arc' for nothing. It's Shondark—Shondark. I learned it in no time. Well, come on, if you're ready. I've been waiting almost an hour.

"I declare, but this fresh, free atmosphere is refreshing. As soon as you get outside of your bedroom door you begin to get the full benefit of the continental climate. I presume, if you're poor, you get it as soon as you get outside of your bed clothes. Rather a medieval starcase, eh? And four orange trees at the bottom to try and fool us into feeling balmy. However, I don't mind little discomforts. All I mind is being shut up on a ship with a darned fool like that man Sibbilly. I shouldn't wonder if his mother was his wife, after all. I could believe anything of him. I didn't like him.

"We'll go to take in the cathedral first; it isn't far, and I've got it all by heart. Thirteenth century and unsymmetrical—you must remember that. There, that's it ahead there—with the scaffolding. They're bolstering it up somewhat, so as to keep on hooking tourists, I presume. The biggest tower is the Butter Tower, built out of paid-for permissions to eat butter in Lent. Rather a rough joke, its being so much the biggest, isn't it? The whole cathedral's lop-sided from eating butter, so to speak. I believe it's the thing to stop in front and act as if you were overcome; so we'll just call a halt here and take in the general effect of the scaffolding.

"Now we'll walk around the whole thing. I haven't come abroad to take life with a hop, skip and jump; I've come to be thorough, and I want you girls to form the habit of being thorough, too. Good job of scaffolding, isn't it? You see, they make the scaffolding out of young trees withed together, and use them over and over. Economical.

"This dark, damp little stone-paved alley is the celebrated Portail des Libraires, so called because those arcades used to be full of book-stalls. We go along on the cobble-stones, throw ourselves hard against this little swinging door; it creaks, yields, we enter—hush!

"Great Scott, isn't it big, and isn't it damp? Will you look up in that roof? I feel solemn in spite of myself; but, then, feeling solemn is no use: what we want to do is to find some one to open those big iron gates, for the most of what is to see is in back there. Edna, you ask that man how we can get hold of some other man. Well, what did he say? Said to ask the Swiss, did he? What does he mean by that? Is it a joke, or can't they trust a Frenchman with their old relics? I've been told that in Japanese banks they always have to have a Chinaman to handle the money, and maybe it's equally the thing in a French cathedral to have a Swiss look after the relics. But the guide-book never said a word about a Swiss: it said 'fee,' and I've got my pocket full of them.

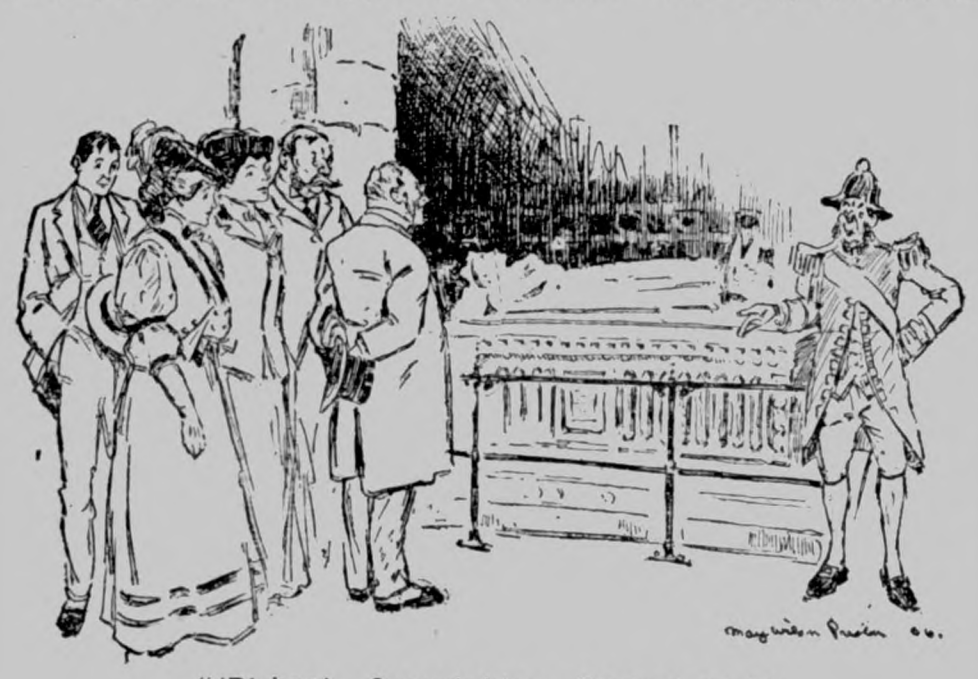
"Well, where can we get a Swiss? I should think he'd be more handy than he appears to be. There's another man looking for him, too. He—Great Scott! if it isn't—no, that's impossible. Yes, it is!

"I beg your pardon, sir, but is your name Porter? Yes? Robert Porter—Bobby Porter that went to the Washington school? Bob, do you remember me? Well, of all the larks!

"Girls, this man and I went to school side by side for eight years, and he's the finest—my nieces, Bob. That's Edna and this Yvonne, and—you don't say he's your son? Didn't know you ever married. Oh!, I'll take your word for it, of course; but, I say, Bob, you've got to come and dine with us to-night. You must; I won't have it any other way. You and I'll have to just sit down and overhaul our old memories together. Do you remember—but how do you come to be in Europe, anyhow; and what liner did you line up on? We had a beastly trip,—only came from Havre last night,—and, by the way, how in thunder can we get hold of the man who opens these iron gates? Everything in the place is back there.

"Is that a Swiss—that splendid circus-chariot driver? Give you my word, I thought he was a cardinal! How much of a tip is that much gold lace going to look forward to getting? I wish he was plainer, somehow. I'll tell you, Bob; you pay, and I'll settle up later. I certainly am glad to see the gates open; I felt more like a serpent shut out of paradise than I ever expected to feel in all my life.

"Well, now we begin. Who's buried here? Henry II. of England, eh? I can't read Latin, so Henry's virtues and dates are all one to me. Which Henry was he, anyhow—the one with six wives or the one who never shed a smile? Either way, let's move on.



"'Richard Coeur-de-Lion — Petrified, Eh?'"

"What comes next? Richard Coeur-de-Lion—petrified, eh? Oh, only a statue of him; that's less interesting. I thought at last I was looking at Richard when he was himself again. What is our Swiss friend hissing about? Heart buried underneath? Whose heart?—Richard's? Ask if it's his bona fide heart or only a death-mask of it? Strikes me as a pretty big statue to put up to a heart, don't you think Bob? But come on; I want to be looking at something else.

"So this is the tomb of the husband of Diana of Poitiers? I didn't know she ever had a husband—thought she only had a king. I've never been brought up to think of Diana of Poitiers mourning a husband. But maybe she did, maybe she did. They say you must check your common sense at the hotel when you set out to inspect Europe, and I believe it—I believe it. It's a nice tomb, and if they kneel and mourn in a gown with a train, she certainly is doing it up brown. However, let's go on.

"What's he saying? Well, ask him again. Whose grave? Well, ask him again. Rollo's! What, Rollo that was 'At Work' and 'At Play' and at everything else when we were kids? Another? What other? Well, ask him. Rollo the Norman? I don't see anything very remarkable in a Norman being buried in Normandy, do you, Bob? When did he die? Well, ask him. What are we paying him for, anyway? Died about 900, eh! And this church wasn't built till 400 years later. Where did he spend the time while he was waiting to be buried? Well, ask him. I declare, if I could talk French, I bet I'd know something about things. You are the dumbest lot!

"Come on; I'm tired of this old church. I move that we go out and look at the place where they burned Joan of Arc, or something else that is bright and cheerful. What's he saying? No, I don't want to see any treasury; I've done enough church-going for one week-day. Give him his money, Bob, and let's get out. You tell us where to go next; you must know everything, if you were here all day yesterday. I want to see that double-faced clock and those carvings of the Field of the Cloth of Gold. They're all over in the same direction.

"Good to be out in the air, eh? I vow, I never was great on churches. What boat did you come over on? Did it roll? Ours rolled and pitched, too. I never saw such a rolling.

"So that's the clock! Well, it's a big one, surely—almost as wide as the street, although candor compels us to

"'So That's the Clock!'"

own that the street is about the narrowest ever. All right, I'm done; a clock is a clock, and one look in its face always tells me all I want to know. Come on; we can't stand dilly-dallying if we're to get through Rouen to-day, and I must say I consider a day to a town as quite enough in Europe. I know, when I was young and traveled for wholesale shoes, I used often to do three towns a day and never turn a hair. I tell you, Bob, when I was—

"Is that the fountain? Hold on; we want to see that! The guide-book has it in italics. I don't see anything to underline, though; looks foreign to me. Come on; we've got to be getting somewhere, or I shall feel I was a fool to stop off at Rouen. Not that I'm not glad to have met you again, Bob; but that could have happened anywhere else just as well, you know. When did you come over? Last year! Great Scott, what are you staying so long for? I bet I get enough in six weeks; I feel as if I'd got pretty close to enough now. Not that time ever hangs heavy on my hands, you know.

"What's our Goddess of Liberty doing up there? What's that Indian beadwork around her feet for? Who? You don't mean to tell me that's Joan of Arc? Well, all I can say is, I never imagined her like that. But what are the beads? French funeral wreaths! Great Scott! do they keep Charlemagne wreathed, too, or is 500 years the bead-wreath limit? Pretty idea, to put up a fountain where they burnt her—keep her memory damp at all events, eh? What's the moral of her train turning into a dolphin? Just to bring the mind gradually down to the level of the fact that it is a fountain, after all, I suppose.

"She wasn't burnt here, anyhow, the book said. The book said she was burnt farther over. Smart people here—have two places where she was burnt, so people must trot through the whole market if they try to be conscientious.

"Well, where can we go now? I say to set out and have a look at the tower where she was imprisoned. Pulled down! It isn't, either; it's starred in the book. What's that! This tower named for her, and hers pulled down! Well, there's French honor for you again. I don't want to see the tower if it ain't the real one I want to see the bas-reliefs of the Field of the Cloth of Gold, and then I want to go back to the hotel to lunch. I tell you, this sight-seeing is a great appetizer. The more old ruins and burnings I look over, the hungrier I get.

"Is this the place? Makes me think of a sort of glorified gate to a wood-yard. What is it, now? Well, ask somebody! A bank, eh? Are those the famous basreliefs? Those! Them! Well, well, I must say the touring public is easy game. They're all worn off. What's the tin overhead for? To keep the rain from damaging them, eh? Pretty bit of sarcasm, eh, Bob? Great pity they didn't think to put it up four or five hundred years sooner. I don't see a man with a head or a horse with a leg from here. It lacks character, to my idea. Let's go home. Come on. I've racked around Rouen all I care to for one day."

Dwindling Swiss Industry.

The Swiss watchmaking industry has shrunken to half of its one-time size.

A NURSE'S EXPERIENCE

Backache, Pains in the Kidneys, ing, Etc., Overcome.

A nurse is expected to know to do for common ailments, and en who suffer ache, constan guor, and othe mon sympton kidney com should be grate Mrs. Minnie T of E. B. St., darko, Okla., pointing out th to find quick relief. Mrs. Turner Doan's Kidney Pills for a run-dow dition, backache, pains in the sid kidneys, bloated limbs, etc. "Th they have built me up is simply velous," says Mrs. Turner, who nurse. "My health improved ra Five boxes did so much for me telling everybody about it."

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Ever Notice?

"Why are the children of the so often intractable?"

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MPROVE BUTTER

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LY OUTPUT 2,000,000 LBS.

Form an Association and Try Increase the Quantity of Butter Produced from Their cows—Mason City Awards.

Moines, Oct. 1—State Food Dairy Commissioner H. R. Wright reatly interested in a movement ed among the co-operative cream- managers of Worth county to per- an organization for the purpose mproving the quality and quan- of the cream produced by the rs. They held a preliminary ting at the North Iowa Fair at n City and they will meet again month. It is their plan to em- a dairy expert who will go about g the farmers instructing them to increase the quantity of butter ced by their cows and how to for the cream so it will arrive e creamery in first class condi-

out 2,000,000 pounds of butter a are produced by the Worth y creameries and if its value be increased one-tenth of a a pound they could afford to pay to an expert

J. Ross, assistant state dairy missioner, and H. G. Van Pelt, dairy expert, are active in ing about the proposed organiza- It will be the first associa- of the kind ever former any There will be no possibility ing prices for cream as the neries are all co-operative and only object is to produce more better butter.

e butter exhibit at the Mason ty fair excelled the one at the state The following awards were in the butter scoring contest: le milk class, E. A. Penson of rville, 97; C. J. Gudknecht of Lone k, 96.5. Cream class: J. P. Hanna Lone Rock, 94.5; C. A. Nureil of ton, 94.

ges Name of Stadium.

ting upon the request of the r, Norman Haskins of Des es, the trustees of Drake univers- changed the name of its great na- outdoor amphitheater from kins field to Drake stadium. Be- ng that the name of such a stad- should suggest its locality and university to which it belongs, her than the memory of one indi- ual. Mr. Haskins wrote personally e trustees asking for the change. as Mr. Haskins' gift of the ground made the stadium possible and his honor the athletic field was ed.

s Picture to State.

n interesting photograph of the ductoo club, a pioneer organiza- of Des Moines, will be present- to the state historical department Mrs Foster Ingalls The picture taken in 1876. Those shown in picture are Edward Smith, Frank e, George Myrick, Fred Wagner, rd Ainsworth, Chris Rathman, rles Passmore, Chas. Smith, J. P. s, Edward Whitcomb, Edward s, W. H. Lehman, Charles Mc- Professor Hartung, Theodore s, "Billy" Smith and R. H. Eddy. few of the members are living

ys to Fight Civil Service.

hen Iowa postmasters meet in Moines October 13, 14 and 15, attack will be made on the civil ice system in vogue at the pres- time. Postmaster Robertson of t Dodge will lead the attack. He attempt to show that frequently most undesirable men pass the minations, and postmasters are ed to give them positions when they had the alternative of choos- their own help, an entirely dif- nt kind of a man would be se- ed.

y Report of Suit.

he minor stockholders of the Mu- Telephone company will not sue Iowa Telephone company to pre- it from merging the two systems, owing its purchase of a controll- interest of the "independent" cor- ation, so far as is known by the ers of the Mutual company. Man- r R. A. Walker of the Mutual pany and Manager W. J. Thill of Independent Telephone Clearing se, declared that they have heard hing of the reported suit.

arings Gain 30 Per Cent.

es Moines bank clearings show increase for the month of Septem- over the corresponding month last r of $4,227,040.92, or about a 30 cent increase.

Will Increase Expense.

With the return of Manager P. B. Sawyer of the Des Moines Electric company from Champagne, Ill., the home of W. B. McKinley, who recently purchased the lighting company, comes the announcement that $230,000 will be spent for improvements on the local plant instead of $200,000, as was first planned.

The additional expenditure of $30,000 will be made for the finest switchboards and other electrical apparatus used by any electric company in the middle west. The McKinley interests planned $100,000 improvements soon after acquiring the property. Then it was decided to double the capacity of the plant on the banks of the Des Moines river near the Center street dam. Now Mr. McKinley announces an expenditure of $30,000 more

Library Meet Program is Out.

The list of subjects to be discussed at the twentieth annual meeting of the Iowa Library Association to be held in Des Moines October 12, 13 and 14, will include publicity or library advertising, making the township library law effective, farmers rest rooms, business side of the library, budget and tax levy, special endowments for books, library auxiliary clubs, and the use of books in high schools, normals and colleges. There will be a book symposium on Wednesday. At the symposium Honorable Irving B. Richman will discuss President Eliott's list of books and Johnson Brigham, state librarian, will discuss Swinburne's poetry.

Charged With First Degree Murder.

The Polk county grand jury "busted" all records when it returned two indictments charging first degree murder, one against John Smeltzer, slayer of Detective Frank Delmege, and the other against against Frank Webster, held for shooting and killing George Talbert. These, with the indictment for murder in the first degree returned against Mrs. Nellie Taylor, makes three first degree murder true bills in two days, which the court house officials say breaks all records.

Epworthians in Meeting.

The Des Moines conference board of control of the Epworth league was held in Ames. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Edward Pruitt of Coin; secretary, W. M. Harder of Des Moines; treasurer, Miss C. S. Erickson of Council Bluffs. The several district presidents are to act as vice presidents.

Eva Booth Coming to Des Moines.

Commander Eva Booth of the Salvation Army comes to Des Moines Oct. 14. She will give a public address at the Auditorium and will personally inspect the work of the army in Des Moines. This is the first time that Commander Booth has visited Des Moines since she accompanied her father, General Booth, two years ago.

Riggs Urges All to Attend Meeting.

John F. Riggs, state superintendent of public instruction, issued a circular letter to all city and county superintendents, requesting them to arrange the fall vacations so that they will occur the same week that the annual meeting of the Iowa State Teachers' association is held in this city, that is, November 4, 5 and 6.

Unitarians at Iowa City.

The annual conference of the Iowa Unitarian association will be held at Iowa City commencing Friday, Oct. 1. Owing to the holding of the annual meeting of the American Unitarian association in Chicago the latter part of September, the usual program will be dispensed with at Iowa City and a purely business meeting held.

Peddlers in State Increase.

Secretary E. J. Moore of the state pharmacy commission daily receives over $300 from medicine peddlers who journey from place to place in the country districts of the state selling patent medicines. He declares that there are seemingly more peddlers at the present time than ever before.

Body to be Cremated.

The body of Harry D. Allen, aged 46 years, son of H. B. Allen of Pasadena, Cal., who died at Mercy hospital of heart disease, was taken to Davenport for cremation. Later the ashes will be sent to California for final burial.

Boone Firm Bankrupt.

Voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in United States district court by Knert & Ford of Boone. Their liabilities are given as $10,785.31 and their stock is listed as $7,500.

Wants $10,000 for Husband's Love.

Mrs. Florence Hast, wife of Louis G. Hast, has filed original notice of suit for $10,000 against Louis Hast and Mrs. Anna Hast for the alienation of her husband's affections.

CHEAP LANDS OFFERED BY THE STATE OF COLORADO.

Land for 50c an acre is offered by the State of Colorado in the Little Snake River Valley, Routt County, Colorado, under the Carey Land Act. The perpetual water right to irrigate the land is sold under State authority for $35, under annual assessments extending over ten years.

This is pronounced one of the most fertile Valleys in Colorado and crops of all grains, grass, roots and hardier varieties of fruit are now being raised there.

The land now under cultivation under this canal systen, pays an average profit of $20.00 per acre.

Both the Moffat Road and the Union Pacific are building into the district and spending large amounts of money in developing the country.

The Routt County Colonization Company, 1734 Welton Street, Denver, Colorado, is sole agent for the sale of the land and water. There will be no drawing for this land; those desiring to select may make application and select in the order in which they apply.

HEALTH TOO PRECIOUS

"What do you mean by refusing to chop some wood after the good dinner I have give you!"

"Well, lady, de highest medical authorities gree dat workin' on a full stomach is injurious, an' I don't want to run any chances of ruinin' me superb health!"

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Come Home, Mother.

Mother, dear mother, come home from the club, and rustle some supper for me; 'tis time you were here working over the grub and getting things ready for tea. The table's not set nor the teakettle boiled, the vegetables are not prepared; no wonder my temper and feelings are roiled, though 'tis doubtful, indeed, if you cared. Come home, come home, come ho-ho-home! Yes, cut your symposium down a wee bit, dear mother, and hustle right home!—Los Angeles Express.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Unsophisticated Onlooker—I think this is a first rate place. See what a fine view we have of this car coming.

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Statistics published by the Imperial Gazette show that in recent years there has been a steady decrease in the number of deaths in Germany from tuberculosis, and especially from tuberculosis of the lungs. In urban centers the death rate per 100,000 fell from 226.6 in 1903 to 192.15 in 1908.

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German M. E. Church Items

Fred Ridder and family left Tuesday for Watertown, South Dakota, where they will spend a few days with Mr. Ridder's two brothers and their families and then go to Hitchcock and visit a sister. They expect to be gone about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beier and H. C. Beier left Monday evening for Waterloo. Iowa, where they will spend a week with relatives.

The Germantown W. F. M. Society met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Riemer for their monthly meeting.

John Gruetzmacher and ye scribe were in Garner Monday to act on a committee to adjust various ministerial supports and benevolences for the Upper Iowa district.

Arthur Wellemeyer and the Griewe sisters called on August Wenz in Britt last Sunday afternoon. Chas. Yahnke took them up in his auto.

The Klemme Epworth League will give the following temperance program in the Germantown church Sunday evening:

Declamation—Camilla Neff,
Duet—Emelia Lenz and Sarah Ludeke,
Reading—Clara Griewe,
Solo—Ida Ludeke,
Declamation—Esther Lenz,
Essay—F. C. Griewe,
Duet—Hulda and Esther Gruetzmacher,
Male quartet.
Declamation—Ralph Ludeke.
Closing remarks, Rev. Wessel

MORE LOCAL

Potatoes seem to be very plentiful this year and are now selling on the local market for about 35c per bushel.

We understand that Albert Koerner is building himself a new automobile and expects to have it in running order soon.

September was a beautiful month in old Iowa this year and the fine weather made lots of corn. What is so rare as a day in September in Iowa?

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gruetzmacher and son Raymond, of Charles City, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and daughter Fay. of Clear Lake, visited at the Gruetzmacher homes in Klemme last Sunday.

Wm. Bredlow was the victim of a painful accident last Saturday morning. While in the act of oiling his windmill, he in some manner got his left hand caught in the gearing and the member was very badly cut and bruised. Medical aid was summoned and it was found necessary to amputate the third finger. The other fingers on that hand were badly cut. The injured parts are healing nicely.

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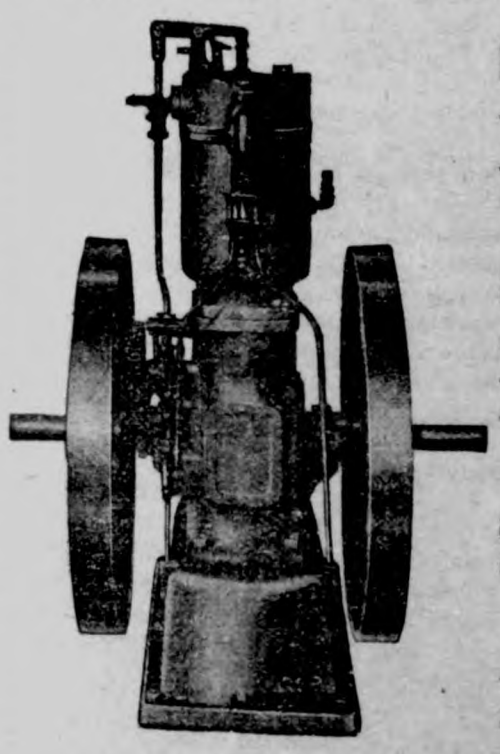

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Bargains in Kemp Twentieth Century manure spreaders and Hero grinders and horse powers. H. Lau & Son.

Joe A. Moore, former publisher of the Meservey Messenger, has purchased the Courier at Sutherland, Iowa.

Now is a good time to select that seed corn for next year. Good seed is of utmost importance in the production of good crops.

Fred Barz and family, Ernest Palmby and wife and Wm. Schlawin and family visited at the Henry Wille home last Sunday.

M. Palmby, Rev. Wessel, Steve Day and Chas. Yahnke autoed over to Corwith yesterday to attend the County Sunday School Convention.

J. C. Ell, of Panama, Nebr., and his daughter, Mrs. Jacobson, of Rockford, Ill., arrived in Klemme yesterday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Two more of Klemme's young people have entered into the state of matrimony during the past week. On last Saturday, Oct. 2nd, occurred the marriage of Mr. Cloyd Lawhorn and Miss Lydia Freie. The contracting parties are well known to most of our readers, having been reared in this community, and need no introduction at our hands. They have a host of friends who wish them abundant happiness and prosperity. We extend the usual congratulations and best wishes.

Mrs. Ralph Blank is visiting in Garner.

Those owing us by note or on account, please call and settle at once and save costs. H. Lau & Son.

Nels Palmer is just more than putting on the style this summer. Now he is having his house all newly painted. C. C. Suckow is doing the work.

J. E Griewe went to Chicago last Sunday morning with a car of cattle. Jack is having some trouble with his neck since, from trying to see the top of the tall buildings

Jacob Walz came up from Belmond last week for a visit with his friend, Fred Haupt. Mr. Haupt has been under the weather for the past week or two, but is now somewhat on the mend.

Chas. Schroeder, who had been taking treatment at a hospital in Chicago, stopped off in Klemme last week on his way to his home at Garner. He has been so sick since he arrived here that he was unable to proceed to his home and has been staying at the H. C. Lau home. His parents have been down from Garner several days.

Klemme's lecture course was very auspiciously opened Tuesday evening by Dr. Edwin W. Lanham, who gave his famous lecture on "The World's Battleground." The opera house was filled to its utmost capacity and all seemed highly pleased with the evening's entertainment. Dr. Lanham dealt with the child problem and is well posted on his life's work of solving the problem of "What to do with the boy." He is a forceful speaker and has an excellent command of the English language. Some fine lessons could be learned from his talk.

Public Sale

As I shall move to Minnesota, I will have a closing out sale of the following property at the Lionel Fuller farm, 4½ miles northeast of Goodell, 5 miles southeast of Klemme and 6 miles northwest of Meservey, on

Tuesday, October 12, 1909,

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock sharp. Free Lunch at Noon.

6 Horses—Bay horse 10 years old wt 1350, bay horse 6 yrs old wt 1300, grey mare 4 yrs old with foal wt 1400, bay mare 3 yrs old with foal wt 1150, bay mare colt 2 yrs old, sucking colt.

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25 full blood Duroc Jersey pigs.

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Sixty acres excellent corn.

Machinery— 4-in tire truck wagon, Osborne mower, hay rake, Tower corn plow, spade-disc, 6 shovel corn plow, buggy, corn sheller, 16 in. Cassady stir ring plow, DeLaval cream separator, broadcast seeder, 11 foot seeder, heavy harness as good as new and other articles.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

PERSONAL.

Robert S. Person, auditor for the interior department, has resigned. He asserts the senators from South Dakota have been working for his removal and that he doesn't wish to further embarrass the president.

President Taft, at Seattle exposition, in his speech said he would ask congress to pass a ship subsidy law.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jennings Bryan celebrated their silver wedding anniversary with a big reception at their home at Lincoln, Neb.

Dr. Harry E. Hutchins has been appointed temporary president of the University of Michigan at a salary of $7,000 a year.

War Secretary Dickinson is back in Washington after an extended vacation in the south. He said the department had reached no conclusion on the West Point hazing case.

Huntington Wilson, assistant secretary of state, has been threatened with another attack of appendicitis, but Washington reports say an operation will not be necessary.

Helen Keller, the deaf, dumb and blind marvel, is to make an airship flight with Charles J. Glidden of Boston and will record her sensations in the air.

GENERAL NOTES.

Prof. Jerome H. Raymond assumed the presidency of the municipally owned Toledo university, Toledo, O., and Prof. Harry B. Hutchins became acting president of the University of Michigan, the resignation of Dr. James B. Angell going into effect.

In the Long Island automobile derby, while running 65 miles an hour, a 60-horse power machine overturned, killing Mechanician James Bates and seriously injuring Driver Herbert Lytle.

The south is honoring the memory of Admiral Raphael Semmes, the naval hero of the confederacy, this being the one hundredth anniversary of his birth.

A romance in the wake of the Louisiana storm became known. A young woman of Leesville, La., lost her trousseau in the storm, and appeared at the altar in improvised attire, while the groom met her bare-footed, with his garments misfits.

D. J. Vent, one of the striking train dispatchers of the Mexican National railroad, who is now seeking employment in the United States, has fallen heir to $600,000 in Scotland.

A torchlight procession of 5,000 persons was a feature of a demonstration for Gen. Trevino given in Monterey, Mexico.

The National League of Veterans and Sons, organized two years ago to benefit men who have served in the regular army or National Guard and their sons, met in annual session at Bay City, Mich.

One thousand children, terrified by "Black Hand" stories, became panic-stricken in a Jersey City (N. J.) parochial school when they heard fireworks exploding on the outside. One child was fatally injured and 13 others more or less hurt.

Six survivors of an unknown vessel are aboard Winter Quarter lightship, the remaining 12 men of the crew having perished, according to a report made by Capt. Delano of the steamer Porto Rico which arrived at Baltimore from New York.

Sam Yong Ping, an aged Malay and one of the wealthiest fishermen on the Louisiana coast, hanged himself by his feet from a tree near his home on Paratana bay. He is supposed to have been crazed by the recent storm.

Passengers on some of the Omaha street cars drove off the crews and ran the cars themselves, when the motormen refused to start after the fares were collected. The crews sent in a riot call.

Another dissolution of the Finnish senate is imminent as a result of the clash over Finland's contribution to the Russian defense fund. The Russian cabinet asks $4,000,000 from Finland; the Finns will contribute only $2,000,000.

A Spanish force reconnoitering in the direction of Sokel Jemis, Morocco, encountered the Moors and met with a serious reverse. Four officers and 14 men were killed ond 182 men wounded.

Gifford Pinchot just returned to Washington from a western trip says that a trust is being formed to monopolize the water power sites of the country and declares congress must take drastic measures to throttle the combination.

A Mexican gunboat has seized an American fishing schooner off Progreso, Mexico, and placed the crew of seven in prison.

Commander Peary and his ship, Roosevelt, was given a grand welcome when they participated in the naval gageant from New York to Newburgh.

Census agents will be given a qualification test November 3 according to the announcement made by Census Director Durand.

Prince Miguel of Braganza, who married Miss Anita Stewart of New York at Tulloch castle, Dingwall, Scotland, September 15, has been sued by a Vienna money lender for $1,200.

The principal commercial apple orchards of the country are doomed to become infested with the San Jose scale, according to a bulletin published by the department of agriculture at Washington. The scale is spreading rapidly over vast areas and has made its appearance in orchards which until recently were free from its ravages.

Admiral Le Pord, in command of the French battleships at the Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York, has made public a statement that an ensign of the French navy was assaulted by a policeman, who struck him in the face at one of the elevated stations.

William Mitchell, white, convicted of murder, and Cecil Palmer, colored, convicted of attacking a woman, were hanged at Nashville, Tenn. These were the first executions under the new law, which provides that all executions must be carried out at the state prison.

The sixteenth annual convention of the United Boys Brigade of America opened in Pittsburg. Young men repsenting brigades in every state in the union are in attendance.

Secretary Dickinson sustains Gen. Frederick D. Grant in participating in a parade in Chicago last week saying the officer acted as an individual, which he has a perfect right to do.

Twenty-five thousand men were in line and 2,000,000 witnessed New York's great military parade which was the climax of the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

William Armstrong of Quincy, Ill., was killed and his brother, Harold, and Archie Johnson were seriously injured when their automobile in which they were riding was hit by a train at Buda, Ill.

The steamer Roosevelt, which carried Commander Peary to the arctic regions, is in New York harbor and will participate in the Hudson-Fulton naval parade up the Hudson river.

State Supreme Justice W. J. Gaynor was nominated by the Democrats for mayor of Greater New York.

Two armed bandits looted the Citizens' National bank of Glenwood Springs, Col., of $10,000 in a most spectacular manner and escaped to the mountains.

New York had a spectacular fire when the Dunham chocolate plant in Pearl street was damaged $200,000.

Rear Admiral Schley, retired, has canceled all his engagements in New York on account of his health and will return to Washington and seclusion.

The seventieth session of the Rock River conference of the Methodist Episcopal church opened in Rockford, Ill., with Bishop Goodsell of New York presiding.

Gen. Grant, at Washington, declares he will continue to lead parades that stand for law and order until prohibited. This is in reply to criticisms for his participation in Chicago's temperance parade.

Col. W. R. Morrison, former congressman, is dead at his home in Waterloo, Ill., after a protracted illness.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook was given a magnificent reception at Philadelphia, at which city he delivered a lecture.

Thomas Gray, 19 years old, walked the streets of New York two hours after he had been shot near the heart, fearing his father would not believe his story. He went to bed without telling of his injury, but his mother saw his blood-stained garments and he was aroused and walked a mile to Bellevue hospital with his father. The shot may prove fatal.

A Paris jury decided that Edward Baudin was justified in killing his wife at her request to end her suffering. The woman was a victim of asthma and the disease was strangling her.

Mrs. Linda Baldwin, who says she doesn't know how old she is, but who is supposed to be over 100, is detained at Ellis island, New York. She lived 60 years in Brooklyn and returned from Ireland to look after some property.

SHIP MANY APPLES

Thousands of Bushels Sent Out of Harrison County.

LOTS OF GRAPES ALSO GROWN

In Addition to Apples Put Up for Home Consumption and Shipped, Thousands of Bushels Have Gone to Waste.

Logan, Ia., Oct. 4—The time when wagon loads of apples hauled from the state of Missouri and peddled in the towns and rural districts of Harrison county is still within the memory of old settlers, but that time has gone and gone forever.

F. A. Young of Woodbine reports about 8,000 bushels of fall apples bought and shipped, and an aggregate of 4,600 bushels of other apples contracted at that place. R. L. Oliver of Pisgah reports 2,000 bushels of apples bought and shipped and an equal number of bushels in sight.

Adams brothers of Logan, assisted by Stocker company have bought and shipped twenty-three car loads of fall apples and shipped the same to Omaha, Sioux City, South Dakota, Oklahoma, and Chicago, and report from fifteen to twenty cars of winter apples in sight in addition to home consumption.

As Harrison county has become a fruit producing county, the shipments of grapes and apples from Missouri Valley and other points of the county, although not accurately known, are believed to have been heavy. Mondamin has been the market for fruits of many varieties; the fruit growers of that vicinity have made the pear, the apple, the strawberry and raspberry yield from $200, $300, and $700 to $1,500 per acre.

In addition to what has been put up for home consumption, and shipped to different markets, thousands of bushels have been blown from the trees and gone to waste in the orchards for want of a canning factory or ready market.

Largest Cannery in Iowa.

Marshalltown.—Another new enterprise for this city, which will result in the building of the largest canning industry in Iowa, will become a reality within the next few months when the Western Grocer company will install $25,000 worth of canning machinery in a four-story building remodeled for a factory, ready for operation by March of next year. The cannery will have a capacity of over 200,000 cases of canned goods per year. This will include corn, tomatoes, pumpkins, lima and navy beans, sauer kraut and hulled corn. The plant will be operated throughout the entire year.

New Gift to Wesleyan.

Centerville.—A cash gift of $1,000 for the endowment fund of Wesleyan university, of Mount Pleasant, was made by J. W. Williams, of this city, to President E. A. Schell, of the college. Mr. Williams is one of the most liberal Methodists in the Iowa conference, having been the largest contributor when the $50,000 church was built here three years ago. His son, Carl Williams of Chicago, has recently given $5,000 to the same college of which he is an alumnus.

State Pays for Monument.

Des Moines.—A warrant for $1,000 was drawn by the auditor of state in favor of the Jackson County Historical association to help pay the expenses of removing the body of former governor Ansel Briggs from Omaha to Andrew and erecting a monument over the grave. The total cost of the removal and erection of the monument was $1,025, of which the state will pay $1,000, the amount appropriated by the last legislature for that purpose.

Cedar Rapids Banker Is Dead.

Cedar Rapids.—G. F. Vanvechten, president of the Security Savings bank and a pioneer banker of this city, died, aged 80 years. His wife, Mrs. Emma F. Vanvechten, was formerly president of the Iowa Federation of Women's clubs.

Orient's "Pumpkin" Day.

Greenfield.—The town of Orient held its fourth annual celebration of "pumpkin" day. There was an excellent exhibit of stock, grains, vegetables, fruits and cooking. They had all sorts of sport, including baseball and tennis tourneys.

Howe Named on Board of Parole.

Des Moines.—Dr. John E. Howe of Greenfield has been named by Governor Carroll as a member of the state board of parole to succeed the late Dr. Joseph M. Emmert, who died in office. Dr. Howe will fill out the term which ends July 1, 1911.

Col. Swalm Sells His Farm.

Oskaloosa.—United States Consul and Mrs. A. A. Swalm have disposed of their Mahaska county farm at a good figure. They sold it to A. T. Van Houwellinger for $27,000. The sale is significant of the rapid rise in real estate in Mahaska county during the last decade. The Swalms bought the farm in 1901 from the estate of Charles Hutchinson, a former resident of Oskaloosa and Des Moines for $16,500, or $55 per acre, and just nine years later have sold it for nearly double the price, or $90 per acre. In addition to the $1,000 per year rental which the property brings, the increase has been almost $2,000 per year, or, in other words, the investment has netted them about $3,000 per year. The original entry of the farm was made in 1846 by William Bovel.

A Big Shipment of Hogs.

Knoxville.—There were probably more hogs in Knoxville a few days ago than in any other town of the equal size in the state. A special took twenty-four full car loads of porkers—1,500 animals of varying sizes from this place to the Morrell packing houses in Ottumwa. The entire consignment was by Davis & Way, who paid $23,169.60 for the hogs delivered at the stock yards. Of that amount one firm of hog raisers, Huffman brothers, two and one-half miles southeast of town, received a check for $20,511.90. They furnished 1,090 hogs, all of good weight.

Issues Decree Under Moon Law.

Marshalltown, Iowa.—The first decree under the new Moon law in Iowa was issued in the district court here when Judge Parker permanently enjoined W. E. Crinklaw and S. and Louis Bernstein from operating a saloon in Iowa for five years. The saloonists are prevented from ever engaging in the business in this district again, or in Iowa for a period of five years. The building in which the saloons were situated are enjoined and must be kept closed for one year.

Fortune for Two Young Iowans.

Knoxville.—S. B. Kennedy, a shoe dealer here, gives some particulars of a stroke of good fortune which has befallen his son, Charles Kennedy, in Idaho. Eighteen months ago the young man bought a claim relinquishment near the mountain town of Sunnyside. The town has now spread out so as to include the very edge of the Kennedy claim. Last week the townsite company offered Mr. Kennedy $12,000 for his 160 acres.

Auto Scares Horse to Death.

Tabor.—An auto frightened M. W. Gaylord's fine bay horses to death. Mr. Gaylord is superintendent of the Latter Day Saints' Sunday school that meets in their church northwest of Tabor, and as he was returning home he met Farmer Ray Rhode in his auto. The horse shied, lunged and tried to run away, but, failing in this, fell dead in the road.

To Appeal to Legislature.

Iowa City.—The next session of the legislature may be asked to legalize the paving and sewer bonds of the city of Iowa City, unless there is some modification of the ruling of Judge Howell that there is no tax against a majority of abutting property owners through failure to secure a lien as required by section 816 of the code.

Iowa Veterans to Meet in December.

Iowa City.—The first annual reunion of the Spanish-American war veterans will not be held until the latter part of December. It was found necessary to postpone the reunion until this time on account of the inability of the local committee to locate the veterans and to perfect arrangements.

Smeltzer Pleads Not Guilty.

Des Moines.—John Smeltzer, slayer of Detective Frank Delmege, entered a plea of not guilty to the indictment for murder in the first degree returned against him when arraigned before Judge Miller in the criminal division of the district court.

Corning to Hear Carrie Nation.

Corning.—The Women's Christian Temperance union of this city has engaged Carrie Nation to make an address at the opera house Monday evening, Oct. 11. She will also be at Villisca, Osceola, Leon, Creston and other points near during this tour.

Man Disappears.

Grinnell.—Arthur G. Swift has disappeared. His family does not know where he has gone and are in bad circumstances. An effort is being made by friends to locate him.

Des Moines Wins Western Pennant.

Des Moines.—Des Moines won the pennant! The Western base ball league race came to an end with Des Moines first, Sioux City second and Omaha third.

ANTHONY'S BIG FI

Over Half the Business Distri Iowa Town Swept Away

ESTIMATED LOSS IS $47,

Fire Started in the Postoffice Bui From Some Unknown Cause— Insurance Amounted to Only $17,700.

Marshalltown, Ia., Oct. 4.—Fir tally destroyed the west side o main street of Anthony, this co including the postoffice and two general stores, causing a los $47,700. More than half of the ness buildings of the town burned. Marshalltown and Zea were called upon for help, but a ance could not be given soon en to do any good. Seven buildings completely wiped out together contents and buildings across street were more or less damage heat. The total insurance on the is $17,700.

The fire started in the post building but the origin is unkno

The principal losers are:

Anthony R. Pierce, Pasadena, loss on postoffice building, $2,0

United States government, f ture and fixtures, $200.

J. F. Hixson, loss on stock, $2,

Michael Hormon, restaurant, los stock and furniture, $1,000; insura $700.

There was no insurance on postoffice building.

J. C. Evans, Turlock, Cal., los building, $2,200; insurance, $1,2

Lindquist & Son, loss on stoc general merchandise, $13,000; i ance, $5,000.

Fred Peters, hardware, loss building, $1,200; stock, $1,400; i ance on building, $500; on s $500.

Henry Haunsch, meat market, on building, $900; on stock and tures, $1,000; insurance on buil $500; on stock, $500.

J. A. Bryant, real estate office, $1,000; insurance, $300.

J. W. Parkhurst, loss on buil $2,500; insurance, $1,200.

Berge Brothers, general store, on stock, $10,000; insurance, $5,

John Mayer, hardware, loss building, $2,000; on stock, $4,000 surance on both, $1,800.

Business houses across the st including a bank and furniture s suffered total damage of $2,000 heat and smoke. The Christian ch was damaged, the loss being esti ed at $200.

TAFT LAYS A CORNERSTO

Executive Says He Is an Opti and Believes World Is Bette Than Ever Before.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 4—Presi Taft preached another sermon. scene had changed from the Mor tabernacle at Salt Lake City to cornerstone laying of the First versalist church in East Portland

The president handled the s trowel and worked hard to see the stone was properly adjusted. apparent earnestness in setting stone called out great applause the open air audience. The presi referred to his various church periences, and in concluding sai

"No church in this country, ever humble it may be, that prea the doctrine of true religion and ality will lack my earnest suppor make it more influential whenever portunity offers."

The president's train left at 6: m. over the Southern Pacific rail for Sacramento.

Mr. Taft had a truly religious which began when he attended morning services at the First tarian church in Portland and ened to a sermon by the Rev. W Elliott, Jr. Following the ser the president was the guest of h at a luncheon tendered by Sen Bourne, and which included the ious state and city officials.

Sues for Accident.

West Union, Ia., Oct. 4.—Miss Hall has commenced suit for $ 000 against the Chicago Telep company. Miss Hall was usin phone in Chicago when a live broke. She was thrown to the by the shock of the wire and sus ed many minor injuries. Her ear became deaf and she had to dergo an operation.

Duchess De Chaulnes in New Y

New York, Oct. 4—Accompa by her mother, Mrs. Theodore Shonts and her sister, Margue the duchess de Chaulnes, form Miss Theodora Shonts, arrived New York on the steamer Ge Washington. With her was her months old son, the little duke.

LIPS THAT WERE SEALED

BY ALMA MARTIN ESTABROOK

AUTHOR of "MY COUSIN PATRICIA."

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SYNOPSIS.

[Story] opens with a scene at a box [party]. Miss Henrietta Winstanley, sis[ter] of Bishop Winstanley overheard [Peter] Ankony propose to Barbara Hem[ingray], whose brother Dan was in his [employ]. Dan was one of the town's pop[ular] young men. He showed some nerv[ousness] when Attorney Tom Twining told [that] Barbara refused Ankony. Ankony [the] following day, summoning Twining, [accused] Dan of looting the bank. Twin[ing] [ur]ged to prosecute. Barbara per[suaded] Ankony to postpone starting [prosecution]. Twining learned of the en[gagement] of Ankony and Barbara. He [congr]atulated both. He visited Miss [Hemin]gray and found her almost in [tears]. He told her he had loved her, but [was] prematurely announcing his af[fection]. By actions alone she told him [it was] reciprocated. Mrs. Anson Dines, [a wealth]y widow, proposed a marriage by [letter] with Bishop Winstanley. The lat[ter] consulted with Twining. The bishop [had] been paying attentions to Miss [Winstanley's sis]ter.

CHAPTER V.—Continued.

[Bu]t could such a thing be done, [Mr.] Twining?"

[T]he marriage suggested?" I asked. [Cert]ainly, sir. It would be as bind[ing] as one you yourself would per[form] with the parties kneeling at [your] own chancel and all the usual [fashionable] formulae employed."

[T]hen there is no reason why the [arran]gement suggested by Mrs. Dines [should] not be carried out?" he asked.

[T]here is none offered by the law, [Bisho]p Winstanley," I replied.

[U]pon my soul, I wish you could [have] apprised me of some technical [objec]tion, Mr. Twining; I do indeed," [he ex]claimed.

[I] lifted my brows.

[B]ecause there is a very good rea[son] outside the law, why no such [absur]d arrangement should be entered [into."]

[I] should be interested to hear it [if yo]u feel disposed to speak of it," [I sai]d politely. I was in reality con[sume]d to know what it was.

[I] believe you legal men are con[sider]ed deep wells into which all sorts [of tro]uble and embarrassment may be [safel]y poured," he remarked.

[T]he reason will be safe with me if [you c]are to intrust it to me, sir."

[H]e smiled a charming smile.

[I]t is very simple," he said; "I do [not] wish to marry the lady."

[T]hen why on earth do you consid[er it?"] I cried.

[Bl]ess your soul, I do not," he [chuc]kled.

[Bu]t I thought—"

[I] may have given you the impres[sion]. Frankly, I am somewhat dis[turbe]d to know just the way out of [the a]bsurd position in which the lady, [encou]raged doubtless by my sister, [has] put me. It is not an easy thing [to d]ecline even such an alliance as [she s]uggests, sir. I dare say you have [had] no experience—for which you [may] thank your stars It is only fair, [perha]ps, to admit that the ladies have [some] grounds for thinking I would not [be en]tirely unwilling to enter into [such] an astonishing plan. To begin [with,] I am 45 years old—old enough [to ha]ve thought of matrimony if I [had] expected to. Perhaps the fact [that] I have not thought of it has en[cour]aged my sister and Mrs. Dines [to ass]ume that I do not mean to do so. [Sinc]e they have frankly suggested it [. . .]. Then I have always been an [admir]er of Mrs. Dines, who, as I have [told] you, is an admirable woman, and [some ye]ars my senior, and they have [possi]bly considered my admiration to [be . . .]void of reverence, which is not [the] case. There are besides these [reaso]ns others which I need not men[tion] to you, not to speak of the finan[cial ga]me, which, in her zeal for her [. . .]es, my sister has not over[looked]. But I cannot consider any of [them]. I sent for you hoping you [woul]d tell me that the illegality of [such] a step would put it out of the [questi]on. But since you cannot help [me, I] must find a way of my own."

[I s]miled and held out my hand.

[I] am more sorry than I can tell [I ha]ve failed you," I said; "but I [have]n't a doubt that, left to your own [devic]es, you will get delicately and [safel]y out of the matter."

[He] smiled back at me, retaining my [hand.]

[Di]d you ever have an elder sister, [Mr.] Twining?" he inquired.

[I] regretted that I had never been so [blesse]d.

["Ah,"] said he, "that accounts for [your] not being an attorney general [or] chief justice," and he smilingly [bowe]d me out.

CHAPTER VI.

[Mr.] Hemingray is in the sitting [room,] sir, and wishes to see you at [once."]

[I loo]ked up into the reposeful coun[tenanc]e of my faithful and imperturbable Kimmens, who stood above my bed, a lighted candle in his hand, its rays over his ruddy face and ruddier pajamas.

"Mr. Hemingray!" I repeated in sleepy amazement.

"Mr. Dan Hemingray; yes, sir."

"What time is it?"

"A little past two. Mr. Hemingray just came in by train, I think."

"Bless me! Well, go to bed, Kimmens. I won't need you. I'll go right in, tell Mr. Hemingray."

Kimmens went with dignity and fluttering garments.

As I hurried in Dan looked up at me from a chair in which he had sunk in an odd heap.

"Sick, Dan?" I asked.

"Sick to death—at heart," he groaned.

"What's the matter?"

He wheeled on me sharply.

"You know all about it, don't you—what I did, you know?"

I stopped to light the gas in my grate.

"Yes, I know, old fellow."

There was an instant's silence.

"Did Ankony tell you?"

"Yes."

"He made Barbara believe no one knew."

"He told me before that. I'm sure he hasn't told any one else. You may depend on that, I think. He wanted—"

"He wanted you to prosecute; I know. I'm a nice sort, ain't I? What do you think of me?" he sneered.

"I think you may have been a bit weak, but that there's a bully lot of strength in you yet and that it's going to assert itself. That's what I think," and I stretched out my hand.

He gripped it absently. "Do you know what made Ankony change his mind about the prosecution?" he asked.

"I've imagined."

"Then you know that I'm a cad as well as thief. I let myself be saved by accepting Barbara's bondage. You know as well as I do how she hates him. It was you who told me how she scorned him the night before at the opera. She didn't change. You know that. She simply took him to save me, and I let her. Good Lord, Tom, I let her!"

"I know how hard it would have been to resist her pleading," I said.

"I was so sick I didn't know what I did. She's more to me than anybody on earth, and yet I let her sell herself for me; but, thank heaven, the sacrifice isn't consummated yet, and I've come to myself in time to stop it."

"I knew you would! I was sure of it," I exclaimed.

"Were you?" he asked wonderingly. "Did you have that much faith in me? It was more than I had in myself. I thought I meant to let it go on. I went away thinking I did."

"You didn't know what you thought. You were stunned."

"That's no excuse!" he cried, and I could see how he had been lashing himself.

"Oh, yes, it is! She can be very persuasive, and she meant you to yield to her."

"Yes, she meant it all right. But it's all off now. I've come back to give myself up. If Ankony wants to, he may put me behind the bars. I'm not anxious to have that happen, as I've got a lot to make good, you know. If he gives me the chance, Twining, I swear I'll do it; but if he don't—well, I'd rather be in prison than see her married to him."

I nodded.

"I've been thinking," he began hesitatingly, "that maybe you fellows who have been so good to me would put enough faith in me—rag of a man that I am—to lend me the three thousand to pay Ankony back. Would you?"

"We must find another way, Dan," I said, dreading to tell him that I had already tried that way; "but the fact of the matter is that Ankony refused to accept my offer to make good. I asked him to give me that privilege in the beginning. But there must be another way, and we'll find it."

"When did you see him?" he asked.

"Before there was anything said to you. Oh, don't make a fuss about it! It was little enough to do, goodness knows! Any one of half a hundred fellows and twice that many women would have done it if they'd known. But Ankony was stubborn."

"She Says She'll Marry Him Whether I Give Myself Up or Not."

He tramped up and down my little sitting room in a fury of impotent resentment.

"Then you don't think he'll take the money and let me go?" he asked after a little.

"I'm afraid not, unless he yields to her persuasions."

He shook his head hopelessly.

"He wouldn't listen to them before. He set his price and made her pay it," and he shivered uncontrollably and threw himself down on the couch.

"We can't do anything to-night," I said. "You must go to bed. You're undone and won't be fit for anything to-morrow unless you get some rest. I'll see if I have a bed ready."

"Don't bother. I can't sleep. I hated to get you out at this time of night, but I hoped we might settle upon something before morning."

"I wish to the Lord we could!" I fervently ejaculated.

"You can't think of any other way?"

"Not now. But we must. The trouble is, there's nothing to appeal to in Ankony, and nothing that I can get hold of to frighten him into decency. I wouldn't give a rap for his morals, but his discretion is unassailable."

"I've heard things hinted," he reflected, "but nothing openly suggested. He'd take precious good care of that. No, I don't believe we can reach him that way."

"I'm afaid not."

"I'm not worth all this trouble," he groaned.

"Shut up and come along to bed."

"I tell you I can't sleep."

"You must. Come along."

He followed me patiently.

"Have your man wake me at seven," he said; "I must get home early."

When I had seen him in bed, I went out into the dimly lighted sitting room and sat down to try once more to find some way out of the pressing difficulties.

Dan was awake and leaving the next morning when I awoke and, hearing him, looked out on the apartment.

"Stay for breakfast, can't you?" I called.

"No, thank you; I've got to get home, but I'll come back after I've seen Barbara, and tell you what's to be done; but," with a queer settling of his face, "I guess there's only one thing to do."

"Don't do it till you've seen me," I said hastily; "I haven't given up hope yet. Come to me before you go to Ankony. I'll turn heaven and earth to find something."

"Don't bother. It's no use. Honestly, I believe that. But she shan't marry him."

He went, leaving me to reflect anew on how much easier it is to tangle things than to untangle them.

I had scarcely reached the office before he came. He looked bewildered and uncertain, and, sitting down on the other side of the table in my private room, stretched out his arms across it and leaned over to me. "She says she loves him," he said.

"Of course she says that!" I exclaimed.

"Then you don't believe it?"

"Do you?"

"I don't know what to believe. I didn't think it possible before, and I can't conceive it now; but she swears she does, and she looks—she actually looks as if she means it. Do you think she's pretending so as to make it easier for me?"

"Don't ask me, Hemingray."

"It's just what you might expect her to do, isn't it? I accused her of it, but she only laughed at me and said I was silly to imagine such a thing. She says she refused him the night before because she was piqued at something he did and wanted to make him suffer, but that she has cared for him all the time. You can make what you like out of it."

I drummed on the table. I had nothing to say. Things were dim and vague and hateful to me in that acute moment. I did not know what I believed—what I wanted to believe. I was remembering all that had passed between her and me pertaining to her engagement, trying to make something definite and convincing out of it, but I decided that much of what I had deemed convincing had been based merely on my own conclusions and not upon anything she had actually said or conveyed.

"She says she'll marry him whether I give myself up or not," he went on; "that it won't make a particle of difference except that it will stir up an unnecessary fuss. Ankony won't do anything, of course, when she's going to marry him, and she says she is going to."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Newest Egg Breaker.

It is interesting to note the variety of inventions which have recently been brought forward to add to the comfort of diners and enhance the pleasure of the hours spent at the table, pleasant as they already are to most of us.

A Colorado man has just introduced an egg breaker which reduces to a science the breaking of an egg and makes what was some times a painful operation an interesting bit of work. This device consists of an apparatus much like a pair of pincers, with wire handlers and semi-circular jaws, each equipped with tiny teeth at the end. Above and below the jaws are conical springs, forming a receptacle and byshape of an egg.

The egg is placed in these springs and by gripping the handles of the device the jaws press upon it, cutting through the shell as neatly as a man might cut a piece of fruit with a knife. The egg is thus opened not only without soiling the colth, but without burning the hands, which was the invariable experience in the old way.

Rather Sharp.

The pretty girl wore one of those hats that resemble the blade of a buzz saw. As she passed the young man in the narrow doorway the rough edge of the hat skinned his cheek.

"Ah, there, Percy!" she called vivaciously. "Just tell them that you saw me."

The young man felt his stinging cheek.

"No, sis," he said grimly, "I guess I'd better tell them that you sawed me."

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Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Columbus, Ohio.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound during change of life. My doctor told me it was good, and since taking it I feel so much better that I can do all my work again. I think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fine remedy for all woman's troubles, and I never forget to tell my friends what it has done for me."—Mrs. E. Hanson, 304 East Long St., Columbus, Ohio.

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Guess Where She Is From.

The head of the house had been ill for many months, and had lost his appetite entirely.

"I can't seem to fix anything that he'll enjoy and he hardly eats anything," the mistress was saying to the maid, who was a new arrival from the old country.

"That's always the way," returned the girl. "They're all the same, them invalids. All they want is nothing at all, and then when you bring it to them they don't eat it."

The Way of It.

"But I don't love you," objected the young woman.

"Then why," howled the indignant youth, referring hastily to divers memoranda in his pocket diary, "did you eat up a total of 65 boxes of chocolates I bought you during the past year if you didn't love me?"

"Because," she said, with a rapt expression on her lovely features, "I do love chocolate."

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Reasons Enough.

Father—You seem to look at things in a very different light since your marriage.

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Every time a married woman begins to talk about her rights it's her husband's cue to enumerate a few of his wrongs.

No matter how long your neck may be or how sore your throat, Hamlins Wizard Oil will cure it surely and quickly. It drives out all soreness and inflammation.

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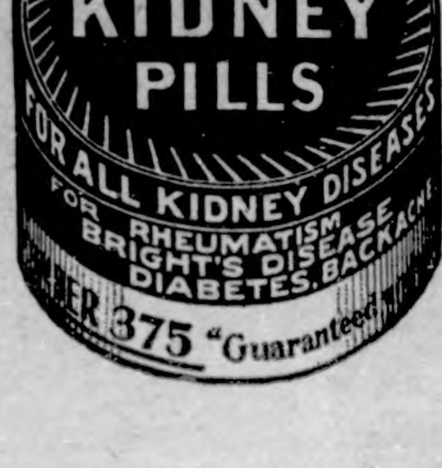

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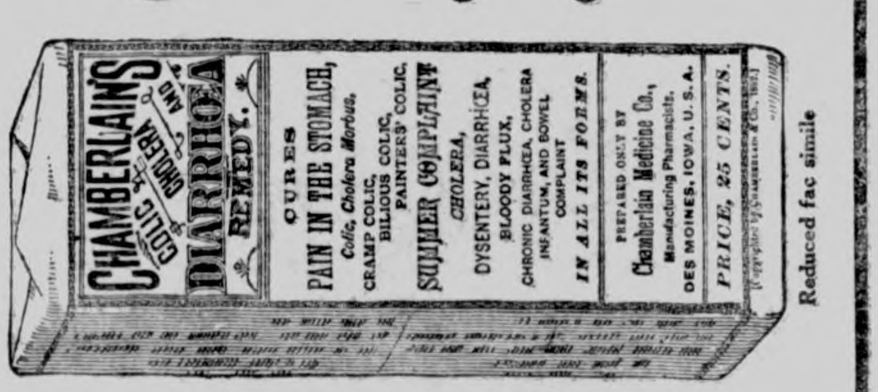

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GOODELL

From the Globe:

Gus Okrueg was a visitor at Klemme last Saturday.

Misses Mamie Butts and Julia Finn were Klemme visitors last Saturday.

W. D. Lloyd is head cook in one of the large hotels at Hebron, Neb.

G. W. Butts and T. R. Burgess were business visitors in Des Moines the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Maude Hodgkinson and daughter Leah, returned Thursday from their visit with relatives in Canada.

Frank McNulty purchased the pool room and opera house of Wm. Wesenberg latter part of last week.

Dave Friedman and Fred Nolte who went west to register for land and also to take in the exposition at Seattle, returned home last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hughes were enjoying themselves at the hospitable home of G. O. Miner, northeast of Klemme, on last Sunday. They also visited Clear Lake the same day.

Aug. Ahrenkiel, of Platteville, Colorado, who had been in Chicago buying his stock of fall and winter goods, stopped off in Goodell from Friday until Monday to see his many old friends. August reports that they are "making good" in their western home which all are glad to know.

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BRITT

From the News:

Ed Shields, who has been in Britt for some time looking after his real estate interests, left this week for his home in Rock Island.

Miss Anna Marshall of North Bend, Neb., is visiting friedds and relatives in Britt.

Quite a number of Britt citizens were at the county seat interviewing the grand jurymen.

Information comes from Rochester, Minn., that Mrs. E. F. Larson had undergone a very successful surgical operation and was recovering nicely.

A. T. Stivers of Mason City, has resigned his position as a missionary of the American Sunday School Union and in a few days will move to Fort Lauderdale, Florida, where he will make his future home. He has felt compelled to take this action on account of his health, he being unable to stand the severe northern winters.

Just as we go to press we learn that Nick Burgardt's big barn at the home place, together with the corn crib, hog house and contents, and several horses were burned.

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The October Housekeeper

Either by design or chance, the fiction in The Housekeeper for October is written by women and the special articles by men. Among the capital short stories are, "Mrs. Rossiter's Awakening," by Nellie Cravey Yillmore, "The Heart of the Junior Interne," by Mary Minor Lewis, and "The Writer Man," by Jessie Knight Hart. "Some Popular Notions Exploded," takes up common fallacies and is by Warwick James Price. No department devoted to the home is neglected and all the pages are bright and attractively illustrated, some in colors. The Housekeeper Corporation, Minneapolis, Minn. Seventy-five cents a year.

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AUGUST WENZ IS DEAD

We just received word this (Thursday) morning that Aug Wenz had passed away at the home of his sister in Britt. Funeral will probably be held in Klemme Friday or Saturday. Obituary next week.

COUNTY SEAT NEWS LETTER

A new boiler was put in at the electric light plant last week.

"A Royal Slave" will be given at the opera house Saturday evening.

Anna Richter very becomingly celebrated her tenth birthday one day last week.

A pleasant reception was given Rev and Mrs. Klaus at the German M. E. parsonage Tuesday evening.

F. L. DeGraff has moved into the house just east of the M. E. church, formerly occupied by Chas. Brown.

F. C. Bush and wife went to Fort Dodge last week where Mrs. Bush entered the sanitarium for treatment.

Miss Blanche Schneider has recovered from her recent illness and has again taken up her position with the Garner Mercantile Co.

Charles Hollatz and Miss Emma Yante were married at the German Lutheran church north east of Garner on Tuesday. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents after the ceremony.

APPLES IN IOWA

In reply to the lurid stories which William E. Curtis has sent from Oregon about the apple industry in that state, alleging that one man has made worthless land worth $500, and more an acre, through planting it to apple trees, the Marshalltown Times-Republican says: "Well, what of it? We just hear from Mills county, Iowa, that a hotel man at Glenwood, who has as a side issue a little orchard of 100 acres near Pacific Junction, will clear from his Johnathans this year about $10,000. This is Iowa. We dare even Hood river to beat it." which goes to show that we can do in Iowa anything that they do anywhere in this country.

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FARM FURROWS

From The Homestead:

There is one thing that I admire about an automobile, and that is, it never gets its tail over the line.

The largest lobster I ever saw had just two legs. I don't like to mention any names so I'll point him out to you some time.

The fellows who have discovered the North Pole haven't yet told us whether it is willow, cedar, osage or re-enforced concrete.

I wonder if there is any way of attaching a gasoline engine to a wheelbarrow. Some way or other there is a lot of wheeling to do around our farm and I am beginning to realize that most of it falls to my lot. If any reader knows of a good gasoline engine that would navigate a wheelbarrow he will confer a favor by informing Farm Furrows where it can be purchased.

We are threatened with the establishment of correspondence schools to give instruction in aerial navigation. High positions are promised to those who succeed in passing all the examinations.

The automobile may in time take the place of the driving horse to a certain extent, but a pair of old plugs is a handy thing to have around occasionally to pull the machine home when the spark plug refuses to make it plug along.

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MESERVEY

From the Messenger:

Mother Starnes, southwest of town, is reported quite sick.

Henry Peters left Saturday night to spend a couple of weeks at Steele, N. D.

W. R. Bloom and John Tanner, of Klemme, were visiting at Col. J. J. Wilson's Sunday.

Jesse Hartwig hauled a load of oats from the home place, 6 miles to town, yesterday that weighed 5,910 pounds gross. The oats weighed out 133 bushels and 31 pounds.

Mrs. M. S. Braga was accompanied Sunday by Dr. Agler to the hospital at Minneapolis. Word was received yesterday that she had gone through her operation and was getting along nicely.

Rev. Sands, of Thornton, the preacher heretofore holding services in the M. E. church here Sunday afternoons, has been transferred to a larger church at Armstrong, Iowa. Rev. Findley, at Latimer last year, succeeds him at Thornton and this charge also.

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GOODELL

From the Globe:

Jack Houghton is working in the Savogue restaurant this week.

O. H. Gartin and family spent Sunday at the Johnson home near Kanawha.

Sid Barnhardt and family are living in the I. Markle house, recently vacated by Bert Butterfield, who has moved to the Sheffield farm west of town where he expects to work this winter.

J. E. Savogue and wife left Monday for Pierre, S. D., for a visit with relatives. J. E. will register for a farm in the coming land opening.

Bargains in Standard Pianos

If you know of anyone who desires a very good piano at a bargain price you will be interested in the fact that at the present time the well-known music house of Lyon & Healy, Chicago, have an entire floor filled with slightly used Uprights, all of which are practically as good as new.

In order to facilitate the work of putting in new flooring, which improvement is now being made, Lyon & Healy offer these pianos at greatly reduced prices.

You can have any of these fine instruments at from 20 to 40 per cent less than usual prices. They will be sold either for cash or upon easy monthly payments. All of these pianos are fully guaranteed to be exactly as represented. The opportunity to secure one will undoubtedly be taken advantage of by shrewd buyers in this vicinity.

A letter to Lyon & Healy, Wabash Avenue and Adams Street, will bring full particulars.

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HARD UP FOR A CASE

Cop—Nar then, out of it! Mixed bathing ain't allowed!—Ally Sloper.

When to Send Children to Europe.

Some people wait so long before sending their children to Europe that the little ones are humiliated by others who have already been there. Every self-respecting parent will be careful not to subject his children to this evident injustice; at the same time all unseemly hurry is to be avoided.

Some people argue that as soon as a child can walk well and speak a few necessary French words, he should be placed in a stateroom, next to a private bath, and sent to Paris. Others feel that he must naturally lose much at this age, and that the proper time is between five and six, when—as an American—he has reached his maturity.

Probably the ideal age is about four. At four a child can easily do England, France and Italy, and get home in time for the first night at the opera.—Judge's Library.

Will Seek the South Pole.

A. Henry Savage Landor, the English explorer, who will soon make an attempt to reach the south pole, is of the opinion that Lieut. Shackleton failed through having a cumbersome and unnecessarily large expedition. Mr. Landor's theory is that a small caravan of trusted and hardy men, lightly equipped as in his expeditions through Asia and Africa, is best. Mr. Landor's activity in aeronautic investigations gives color to the rumor that an airship will be used by him in his expedition.

A Steady Thing.

Something had gone amiss with Bobbie and he had sought the comfort of tears. Noticing his wet cheeks, his mother said in a consolatory tone:

"Come here, dear, and let me wipe your eyes."

"'Tain't no use, muvver," returned Bobbie with a little choke; "I's doin' to cry again in a minute!"—Woman's Home Companion.

Against Pretenses.

Away with all those vain pretenses of making ourselves happy within our selves, of feasting on our own thoughts, of being satisfied with the consciousness of well-doing, and of despising all assistance and all supplies from external objects. This is the voice of pride, not of nature.—Hume.

Death from Sting of Poisonous Flies.

Three persons died recently at Marseilles after having been stung by poisonous flies. Several streets are infested by the insects, which are said to have been brought to Marseilles in a cargo of South American wool.—Echo de Paris.

FOOD QUESTION

Settled with Perfect Satisfaction by a Dyspeptic.

It's not an easy matter to satisfy all the members of the family at meal time as every housewife knows.

And when the husband has dyspepsia and can't eat the simplest ordinary food without causing trouble, the food question becomes doubly annoying.

An Illinois woman writes:

"My husband's health was poor, he had no appetite for anything I could get for him, it seemed.

"He was hardly able to work, was taking medicine continually, and as soon as he would feel better would go to work again only to give up in a few weeks. He suffered severely with stomach trouble.

"Tired of everything I had been able to get for him to eat, one day seeing an advertisement about Grape-Nuts, I got some and tried it for breakfast the next morning.

"We all thought it was pretty good although we had no idea of using it regularly. But when my husband came home at night he asked for Grape-Nuts.

"It was the same next day and I had to get it right along, because when we would get to the table the question, 'Have you any Grape-Nuts' was a regular thing. So I began to buy it by the dozen pkgs.

"My husband's health began to improve right along. I sometimes felt offended when I'd make something I thought he would like for a change, and still hear the same old question, 'Have you any Grape-Nuts?'

"He got so well that for the last two years he has hardly lost a day from his work, and we are still using Grape-Nuts." Read the book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

FRANK RUTT FOUND

Had Disappeared From Cairo in July Last.

AT KEOSAUQUA COUNTY HOME

His Wife and Two Friends Find Him There—Regained Normal Mental Attitude on Meeting His Wife. Taken to His Home.

Burlington, Ia., Oct. 11.—A telephone message from Keosauqua, Ia., states that Frank Rutt, the missing man who disappeared from Cairo, near Morning Sun on the 28th day of July last was found in the county home there by G. J. Tomlinson and his legal partner, Mr. Cortes, and Mrs. Rutt, who had gone there on information that a man answering the description of the missing man was there.

Mr. Cortes and the others at once recognized the long lost man and there was an affecting scene between husband and wife. As soon as his eyes lighted on Mrs. Rutt he appeared to regain his normal mental attitude and was eager to return home. Rutt states that in a vague way he remembers of having worked in and about Muscatine, Washington, Ia., in Johnson county and in and about Keosauqua. He was found wandering about Bentonport and was brought to the county house at Keosauqua, where he was recognized from a photograph.

He said he left home because he thought the neighbors were trying to drive him away.

Churchmen in Council.

Marshalltown.—The annual meeting of the Central Association of Congregation al churches, and the last meeting before its amalgamation with the Grinnell association, was held here, and was largely attended. Formal action was taken on the mer ger with the Grinnell association, which was decided on several days ago. Rev. W. J. Minchine of Ames acted as moderator of the meeting; Rev. W| E. Bovey of Traer, scribe and Rev. O. G. Mason, Toledo, registrar.

The Central association which went out of existence has been organized since April 23, 1869. The association now returns to the parent organization which dismissed several of the churches at Fairfax on April 27, 1869, in order that a new association might be formed. The churches that formed the association were Fairfax, Blairstown, Belle Plaine, Toledo, Buckingham (now Traer), Oxford (now Montour), Green Mountain, Marshalltown, Ames, Montant (now Boone), Boonesboro, and New Jefferson. The city of Grinnell is practically the geographical center of the newly combined associations.

Negro Club Women Meet.

Marshalltown. — The executive board of the Iowa Federation of Colored Women's Clubs met in this city to make preparations for the biennial session to be held in Des Moines next May. The work of the board is mainly the appointment of committees to take charge of the different phases incident to the biennial preliminaries including a program committee. Mrs. C. B. Lewis of Davenport is president of the board; Mrs. S. Joe Brown of Des Moines, vice president, and Mrs. Horn of Cedar Rapids, secretary.

Professor Fears Blindness.

Iowa City.—With the awful threat of blindness hanging over him, Prof. Isaac A. Loos, head of the department of economics at the state university, has resigned his work temporarily. A leave of absence has been granted Prof. Loos by the university authorities, and after twenty years of continuous service he will soon leave on an extended vacation for California.

Sentence Mrs. Swearingen.

Sidney.—Mrs. D. B. Swearingen, who was recently convicted of trying to shoot R. S. Williams, has been sentenced to pay a $500 fine or go to jail for three months. She is 70 years old. She claims that Williams had defrauded her out of her home.

Girl Caught Under Car Wheels.

Washington.—Edith Bailey, an academy student, 18 years old, was run over by the "firefly" at the Milwaukee station crossing, and may die from her injuries. Her skull was badly crushed and cut and her left hand mangled.

Mrs. Sweeney Dies in Hospital.

Des Moines.—Mrs. Rose Reese Sweeney, shot by her divorced husband, Dennis Sweeney, at New Saylor, following which he ended his own life near her prostrate form, died at Mercy hospital.

Fined for Using Profane Language.

Mount Ayr.—When Mayor E. B. Marshall of this city stepped from a train here he was promptly arrested and taken before Justice of the Peace J. W. Lineburd, where he was fined $11.85 on a charge of having used profane and indecent language in the postoffice here recently. The charge was filed by Sheriff Henry W. Tirrell during which the mayor is said to have used some rather strong language. Mayor Marshall pleaded guilty to the charge sentence being pronounced immediately afterwards. Sheriff Tirrell declares he will seek to have the mayor removed from office, under the Cosson law, following the mayor's plea of guilty. Sheriff Tirrell is serving his second term and is an announced candidate for re-election. Mayor Marshall was elected a year ago last March. The incident has caused a stir in the city.

S. U. I. Elections.

Iowa City.—C. W. Steels of Altamont, Mo., was elected president of the junior law class in the University of Iowa. The other officers follow: Vice president, W. W. Ream, of Malcolmn; secretary, Jesse J. Fishburn, of Muscatine; treasurer, Byron Goldwaite of Marengo; class delegate, Fred Hamilton of Decatur, Ill.; representative on the 1911 annual board, L. R. Kelly of Waterloo, editor, and Robert Jones of Iowa City, business manager.

The Australian ballot system was a pronounced success in the senior dental class election, which resulted as follows: J. W. Wray of Corydon, Ia., president; R. P. Booker, vice president; E. B. Smith, secretary; William Ruge, treasurer, and W. M. Storey, class representative.

Prizes to Road Builders.

Red Oak.—D. Ward King awarded the prizes in Red Oak's annual dragging contest. Mr. Thomas D. Murphy took Mr. King and a number of interested citizens in his automobile for an investigation of the contesting roads, driving about sevent miles.

The capital prize of $75 in gold was won by Mr. A. L. Taylor, who is a pioneer of the King road drag in this vicinity.

On their return the party was enthusiastic in their praise of many dragged stretches which were not entered for prizes but which are kept like boulevards by the public spirited residents of certain neighborhoods.

Knoxville's Home Coming Week.

Knoxville.—The people of Knoxville stood with outstretched arms to receive its former citizens who gathered to celebrate the annual home coming known as "Old Home Week." With "Uncle Joe" Cannon, speaker of the lower house of congress, as the main attraction a monster farmers' parade and a carnival with its many diversified forms of amusement as the side shows, the largest crowd that ever assembled in Marion county was in Knoxville on the opening day and another big crowd was present on the second day to hear Senator Cummins.

On First Steamboat Trip.

Sioux City.—Particular interest was taken in the great Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York by H. D. Brown, 3601 Jackson street, because of the fact that his great-grandfather, Ellis Colburn, was a member of the party which in 1809 Robert Fulton invited to accompany him on the first trip of the Clermont up the Hudson river. Mr. Brown used to visit his grandfather in central New York in the early 60's and remembers the stories he told of that historical trip. Mr. Colburn at that time was nearly 90 years of age.

New Gift to Wesleyan.

Centerville.—A cash gift of $1,000 for the endowment fund of Wesleyan university, of Mount Pleasant, was made by J. W. Williams, of this city, to President E. A. Schell, of the college. Mr. Williams is one of the most liberal Methodists in the Iowa conference, having been the largest contributor when the $50,000 church was built here three years ago. His son, Carl Williams of Chicago, has recently given $5,000 to the same college of which he is an alumnus.

Inebriate Tried by Jury.

Mason City.—The first instance of a trial by jury of an inebriate known in this judicial district was finished here when the jury brought in a verdict that William Ash, an old resident of this city, once a soldier of the English army, was a fit candidate for Knoxville. It is thought that no trial by jury of a case of this kind ever occurred in the state before.

Mrs. O. H. Brainerd Elected.

Iowa City.—A meeting of the Elder Daughters of the state university resulted in the election of Mrs. O. H. Brainerd as president. Other officers are: Vice president, Mrs. Guy Johnson; recording secretary, Mrs. Will Reed; historian, Mrs. J. W. Sterling; custodian, Mrs. T. C. Carson; treasurer, Mrs. George Koontz.

Facts For Sick Women

We know of no other medicine which has been so successful in relieving the suffering of women, or secured many genuine testimonials, as has Lydia E. Pinkham Vegetable Compound.

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OD LAUNDRY BAG

TTY GIFT FOUND USEFUL WHEN TRAVELING.

Sheer Handkerchiefs, with Linen nsertion, the Materials That Composed It—To Clean Wall Paper.

n attractive bag to hold handker- s neckties and other small arti- for the laundry, was made by a for a friend, who was going abroad her wedding trip.

o make the bag dainty and at the time serviceable was something problem. Six sheer handkerchiefs a graceful vine, in light blue, as border were picked up at a sale, some fine linen insertion that ed well.

he six handkerchiefs were joined strips of the insertion, one strip run- lengthwise and two across. This two handkerchiefs side by side ach of the three rows.

he strip was doubled over through middle row of handkerchiefs and outer edges overcast together in stitches. The bag was lined with and color of the blue vine and ends were bound in an inch-wide ng of the lawn, which was used as ing. A good quality of blue wash n was used for a draw string.

the center of the upper left hand dkerchief was worked the initials e bride-to-be in a heavy padded gram.

Cleaning Wall Paper.—To bright- all paper that is stained and dirty, a celanser made of equal parts cornstarch, whiting and Fuller's h. Mix these ingredients well and them into a pail. This cleanser ubbed on the walls with a pad, e by covering the end of a mop le with cheesecloth. This pad ld be about six inches long and inches wide, and must be soft.

p it in the powder and rub it on paper, making the strokes only up down. When the surface has been roughly rubbed, wipe with fresh esecloth.

rease spots will frequently disap- before a combination of am- a and Fuller's earth. Make a thin e of the two and spread it over stain. Let it remain until dry and h off.

Bread Baking.

After many years at bread baking," a woman, "I found my bread long ising in winter after working it on bread board, which was usually . I bought a tin one, heated it be- the fire and have never since ed the bread. Instead of using a which quickly chills, I bought a crock, always had it heated on stove, placed my bread in it and ered with a piece of woolen blank- with the result my bread was ready ks much sooner than it was when precaution was not taken."

slate slab, such as is used for g, also makes an excellent bread , and it is often procurable for ng. It can be heated very hot placed under a crock or pan of h to assist slow bread in rising very cold day.

Washing Stockings.

w colored stockings should be ed a half hour in a gallon of cold r containing either a cup of salt tablespoonful of turpentine to set olors. Do not mix brown and ones together when washing . Add a large amount of bluing ack ones and they will not turn gly brown; dry brown ones in the e.

Hot-Water Sponge Cake.

t together three eggs and one sugar. Sift together one cup of (sifted), one teaspoon cream of , one-half teaspoon salt. Beat to the eggs and sugar. Put into a one-half teaspoon soda and fill alf full with boiling water. Mix kly and beat well. Flavor.

Pressed Chicken.

t a small chicken into four parts, in as little water as possible with- burning, and watch constantly. en done very tender take out the , but keep broth boiling. Pick meat from the bones, chop it, and butter, pepper and salt. Take all of broth, then pour over the ed chicken. Then press it, put p with something heavy to hold own. Set on ice and when very slice it, and you have a delicious er or breakfast dish.

Boiled Cider Pie.

o tablespoonfuls of boiled cider, tablespoonfuls of sugar, three spoonfuls of water, two table- uls of flour and one egg. Beat gether and bake in a deep plate an upper and an under crust.

Cheap Fruit Cake.

o eggs, two cups sugar, one cup ses, one-half cup butter, one cup one teaspoon soda, five cups one cup of raisins, currants and to taste. Will make two round . Frost top. Very nice.

DES MOINES WINS

Interstate Commerce Commission Decides Railroad Case.

LOW RATES GO INTO EFFECT

Railroads Ordered to Put Them in Froce at Once—Affects Through Shipments—Appeal May Be Taken.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 11.—Chairman Martin A. Knapp announced in the case of the suit brought by the Greater Des Moines committee against the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad and other lines, that the commission denied a petition of the railroad for a rehearing and ordered the reduction of rates from the Atlantic seaboard to Des Moines to go into effect.

The shippers of Des Moines contended that the freight rates from the seaboard to Des Moines were unreasonable and suit was brought before the interstate commerce commission for a reduction.

The commission ordered a reduction in class rates of 8 to 10 cents a hundred-weight. The railroads resorted to the courts to restrain the enforcement of the order and succeeded in obtaining an extension of time.

A petition asking for a rehearing was denied.

IOWAN KILLED IN MISSOURI

W. M. Cordray, of Oskaloosa, Shot in the Head—Quarrel Over His Daughter.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 11.—With a bullet wound over his right ear, William M. Cordray, 42 years old, a restaurant keeper of Oskaloosa, Ia., went to the Railroad Y. M. C. A. in Argentine. Supporting him was Allen Bean, who has been working for Cordray as a cook in the restaurant at Oskaloosa. Bean told a story of being awakened in a box car in the Atchison & Santa Fe railway yards and hearing Cordray groaning. He said he believed someone had shot Cordray and ran away. Dr. D. C. Clapper, surgeon for the railway company, could not remove the bullet. He said the injury probably would be fatal. Cordray is in the Y. M. C. A. Emergency hispital in Argentine. Bean is being held by the Argentine police pending an investigation. Cordray told an officer that there has been trouble between him and Bean, over Cordray's 16-year-old daughter.

Iowan Is Honored.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 11.—Second and third class postmasters in convention here elected the following officers: President, A. K. Hoag, Orchard Park; first vice president, W. O. Beck, Iowa; second vice president, F. W. Kritz, Indiana; third vice president, J. F. Costell, South Dakota; secretary, C. C. Young, Illinois; treasurer, J. E. Cahill, Missouri.

Bolt Burns Fairfax Barn.

Cedar Rapids, Oct. 11.—During a thunderstorm, the new barn of David McNee, two miles northwest of Fairfax, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground with the large double corn crib adjoining. The barn contained hay, grain, harness, etc., and the loss will be about $3,000.

Nebraska Farmer Murdered.

Nelight, Neb., Oct. 11—A. C. Rakow, who lived in Willow township, fourteen miles northeast of Neligh, was found dead in his pasture with a bullet hole in his head. He is believed to have been murdered. A neighbor with whom he had trouble is suspected.

Lightning Destroys Farm Home.

Boone, Ia., Oct. 11—A terrific thunderstorm raged during the night. Lightning struck a $13,000 house in process of construction on the farm of George Wahl, two miles north of the city. It was completely destroyed.

Fifty Men Hurt.

Ballston, N. Y., Oct. 11.—Fifty workmen bound from Ballston to Schenectady were injured, many of them badly, in a collision between trolley cars on the Schenectady railway here.

Kansas Drought Broken.

Hutchinson, Kas., Oct. 11.—A prolonged drought was broken here by a fall of an inch and a quarter of rain. The rainfall was general throughout southwestern Kansas.

Aged Ex-Mayor Is Dead.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 11.—James S. McCrady, ex-mayor of Indianapolis, and said to have been the oldest may or in the United States, died here at the age of 93.

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From the Awful Tortures of Kidney Disease.

Mrs. Rachel Ivie, Henrietta, Texas, says: "I would be ungrateful if I did not tell what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for me. Fifteen years kidney trouble clung to me, my existence was one of misery and for two whole years I was unable to go out of the house. My back ached all the time and I was utterly weak, unable at times to walk without assistance. The kidney secretions were very irregular. Doan's Kidney Pills restored me to good health, and I am able to do as much work as the average woman, though nearly eighty years old."

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TAKE CARE OF GOOD HEALTH

Mistake Most People Make Is In Waiting for Bad to Come and Then Coddling It.

If we would take as good care of our good health as we do of our bad health we would have more of the former and less of the latter. We set our good health down in a draft and let it get its feet wet; we infringe on its sleep time and gorge it with unsuitable food at irregular hours. We load it with nerve-racking cares and duties, and reply to its frantic appeals for rest with, "You haven't time." We squeeze it with clothing; we distract its ears with noise and its lungs with bad air. But we put our bad health in a quiet room, on a soft couch. We robe it in a comfortable gown; we give it pure air at stated intervals; we put ice on its head and hot water at its feet; we feed it with food convenient for it. We take away all care and responsibility; we give it a soothing draught to rest it; and we pay a doctor two dollars to come and leave it a scrap of paper and say that it will better to-morrow. One might think we preferred bad health to good health. —From an article in Good Health.

TOTAL LOSS OF HAIR.

Seemed Imminent—Scalp Was Very Scaly and Hair Came Out by Handfuls—Scalp Now Clear and

New Hair Grown by Cuticura.

"About two years ago I was troubled with my head being scaly. Shortly after that I had an attack of typhoid fever and I was out of the hospital possibly two months when I first noticed the loss of hair, my scalp being still scaly. I started to use dandruff cures to no effect whatever. I had actually lost hope of saving any hair at all. I could brush it off my coat by the handful. I was afraid to comb it. But after using two cakes of Cuticura Soap and nearly a box of Cuticura Ointment, the change was surprising. My scalp is now clear and healthy as could be and my hair thicker than ever, whereas I had my mind made up to be bald. W. F. Steese, 5812 Broad St., Pittsburg, Penn., May 7 and 21, 1908."

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and saves you labor, time and money in keeping your house spic-and-span from cellar to attic.

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Old Dutch Cleanser cleans **mechanically**, not chemically. That is why it never roughens or reddens your hands like caustic and acid cleaners.

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How About YOU?

It may be rather early to be speaking of New Year's resolutions, but we have just about made up our mind on one "Resolve" that the Times is going to make on the first of next January. For some reason unknown to us, a man who is good pay at home does not feel kindly towards paying a subscription account after he has moved out of the county. Since coming to Klemme, a little less than six months ago, we have taken off our single or foreign list several names, some being back two or three years and some eight and even ten years. In all, these would aggregate a sum of over $200.00, which would come in mighty handy at the present writing to yours truly. These accounts we bought with the paper, so we are the losers. And again, there are some now on our list who are a year or so in arrears and it don't seem to bother them much either. In consequence of this state of affairs, we are very seriously contemplating putting our foreign —or outside the county—list on a cash-in-advance basis, or in other words stopping the paper when the time for which it is paid has expired. This money has been honestly earned. Why not pay up? We are not begging; we are not in the begging business. We are asking only for what RIGHTFULLY belongs to us.

Peary is having an awful time trying to prove to the public that Dr. Cook did not reach the North Pole and in a very flimsy manner tries to discredit all of Cook's statements. This kind of a deal does not go with the American people who believe in a square deal and Peary is only wasting his breath, and at the same time he is lowering himself in the estimation of a majority of the people who think. There was glory enough in the achievements of these two men for both of them, and the petty jealousy of one is only detracting from his own glory and honor.

Honors Easy.

People who were present smiled at the little passage of arms which took place between two young ladies at a luncheon recently. One of them, a bride, shaking hands in her characteristically cordial way, said to the other:

"I'm so glad to meet you! You have afforded me so very much amusement just 'ately."

"Amusement?" said the other.

"Oh, yes," went on the bride. "I've been through my husband's desk, and I've read all his old love letters. I found several very affectionate letters from you, and I enjoyed reading them, really, ever so much."

"I'm so glad you enjoyed them," purred the other. "But do come and see me very soon. Here is my card. I have the answers to all those letters and you might like to read them as well. Mr. X——'s letters are so much more affectionate than those I wrote to him. I know you'll enjoy reading them ever so much more than you did mine."

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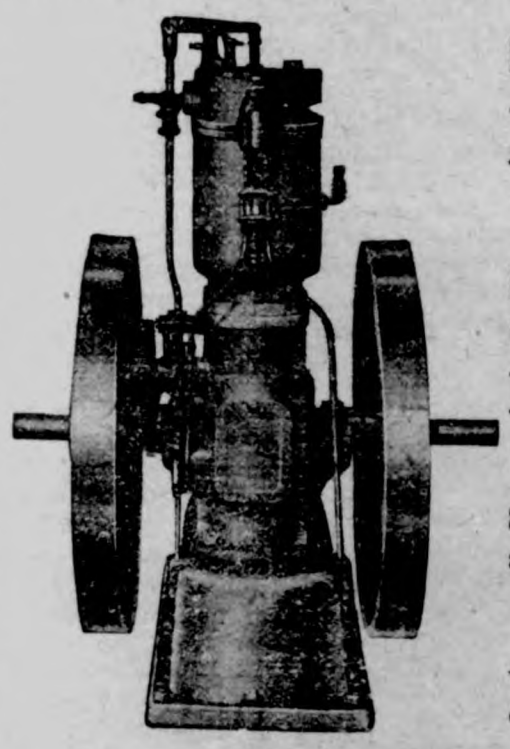

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Wow! Snow! Cold! Winter underwear, etc.

Eyes tested. Glasses fitted. Dr. W. F. Missman.

The First National Bank has a change of ad this week.

Sale Bills—The big black kind that attract attention—At the Times Printery.

Rev. and Mrs. Lillie are the happy parents of a bouncing baby girl which arrived to bless their home last week Friday.—Forest City Summit.

Notwithstanding the cold and blustery weather, the Frank Ufken sale on Tuesday was quite well attended and things brought a very satisfactory price.

Henry Yahnke, who was injured on July 25th, 1909, was insured in the Woodmen Accident Association and on October 5th, 1909, he received a check from the company covering the full amount called for in his policy for a four weeks' total disability and two weeks partial disability. He is well pleased with his treatment at the Company's hands.

Lew Lewis, Wm. Lau, Theo. Henschen and Billie Greimann were at the Lake fishing last Friday and Saturday, and they brought home a beautiful lot of fish. They were out in the storm Friday night and Lew and Wm. got a good soaking, but that kind of treatment don't bother these old anglers in the least. They are getting the reputation of being the champion fishermen of the Northwest

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Dr. Hess Hog Worm Powder.
To be had at G. F. Schuler's Garner, Iowa.

Read the new State Savings bank ad.

George Ell, of Belmond, was in Klemme Monday.

Want to buy a few Hubbard squashes. A. C. Flint.

The finest line of candies in town at Kluckhohn's. 45tf

Don't neglect to cast your optics over the new ad of State Savings Bank.

Mrs. Henry Baack, of Woden, arrived here Tuesday for a visit at the home of Mrs Wm. Baack.

This cold snap has made a booming business for the coal dealers, and tons upon tons have been hauled from the Klemme market this week.

Mrs. E. J. Studer went to Klemme last Saturday for a visit with her daughter Flora who is teaching school at that place.—Forest City Summit.

Notice the new ad of Mrs. John Josten this week. She has something to say therein concerning Ladies' Tailor-made garments which should interest the ladies.

Sheriff Suurballe has recovered the team which was recently stolen from the streets of Britt but the thieves had made their getaway, leaving the team in the country near Emery.

J. N. Day and wife came down from Buffalo Center the first of the week for a visit with relatives. John returned home yesterday and Mrs. Day will visit here the rest of the week.

Our nice summer weather underwent an awful sudden change last Friday night and Saturday while on Sunday and Monday overcoats were in evidence and a bright fire was a most comfortable affair.

On last Monday, Henry Medaus sold his fine 160 acre farm, six miles west of town, to W. C Schmidt, the consideration being $75 per acre. Mr. Medaus expects to move into his residence in the west part of town some time this fall.

Dr. George, of Dows, was here Tuesday between trains, in consultation with Dr. Zinn on the Chas. Schroeder case. We are sorry to report that Charley's condition remains very serious, and it has been impossible to remove him to his home at Garner.

Read Arthur Wellemeyer's new ad in this issue.

Henry Yahnke lost a valuable spring colt one day last week.

If you want to see some fine samples of good old Iowa corn, just take a glance at those in the window of the butcher shop and ask Billie to tell you all about it.

Mrs. G. H. Wessel and Miss Bertha Bettien have been at Kirksville, Mo, the past two weeks taking treatment at the Osteopath Infirmary. Their many friends hope that they may derive much benefit from the treatment.

The following is a report of School District No. 1, Twin Lake township, for month ending October 1, 1909: No. enrolled 24. The following pupils received certificates for perfect attendance: Reginald Houghton, Rose Etchen, Clara Swalve, Joseph Houghton, John Etchen, Rettie Thrun, Willie Thrun, Lena Swalve, Gilbert Thrun, J. D. G. Houghton, Teacher.

The following from the Lehigh Valley Argus concerning a former Klemme young man will be of interest to our readers: "Rev. H. C. Nissen returned Tuesday from Estherville where he went last week to attend the Northwest Iowa Conference. Rev. Nissen of this place and Rev. W. F. McDonald of Sioux City, were the only pastors out of 175 in the conference that were returned for their sixth year, which shows the popularity of these two pastors in the community where they have labored. The people of Lehigh are well pleased that Rev. Nissen has been returned for another year."

Our reporter has a good one on a certain Klemme young man. We promised not to give away his name, but we can tell the story. The young man went to our livery barn a few days ago for a rig to take his best girl for a ride. In explaining the peculiarities of the horse to the young man, our accommodating liveryman told him the horse was perfectly safe except when the rein got under its tail and for the young man to be careful. While they were out driving a storm came up and our young hero asked the young lady to kindly hold her parasol over the horse as it might run away and smash things up if the 'rain' got under its tail.

German M. E. Church Items

Mrs. Richter, of Garner, was a visitor at the E. H. Lenz home last week.

John Tanner has been serving as a juryman the last few weeks but there was not enough doing to satisfy John.

Wm. Gast, Sr., came up from Steamboat Rock last week to spend a few weeks on the old homestead and visit with his children.

H. J. Stille accidently stepped on a rusty nail last Saturday which soon caused him considerable pain and Dr. Zinn was called to dress the wound.

Frank Gruetzmacher, John Terhufen and Chas Busch went to Dakota Monday to register, with the bright prospect of drawing a fine quarter of land later on.

The temperance program which was to be given in the Germantown church last Sunday evening turned out "wet," not by liquor but a heavy rain. It will probably be given October 24th.

Ye scribe was in Britt last Friday to see August Wenz. We found him in bed, too weak to sit up, but otherwise looking better than we had expected to find him. His physician told us that his general condition is improving, but it is too slow to suit August.

As was mentioned in this paper last week, the writer, in company with others, attended the Hancock County Sunday School convention at Corwith. The attendance from the various townships was good, but the people of Corwith turned out poorly. The program consisted largely in round table discussions, which were practical and interesting. How poorly many of our Sunday Schools are managed and mostly so because so few ever attend a convention where new ideas and methods are exchanged and the worker is encouraged and inspired. Our aim is a cradle roll, home department, organized classes, teachers' training class and an I. B. R. D. in every school in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tanner are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Friday morning, Oct. 8th, 1909.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

TOUR OF THE PRESIDENT.

President Taft was given a hearty welcome on his arrival at San Francisco and the program for his entertainment was carried out without a hitch.

President Taft, at Seattle exposition, in his speech said he would ask congress to pass a ship subsidy law.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. E. E. Pitts of Laurens, S. C., is said to have been cured recently of pellagra in an advanced stage.

Miss Ruth Bryan has announced herself as a candidate for congress from a Colorado district.

Attorney General Wickersham and Secretary Nagel of the department of commerce and labor arrived in Washington after their vacations.

Richard U. Sherman, son of Vice-President Sherman, and Miss Eleanor Mills, a society belle of Utica, N. Y., were married at that city.

Postmaster General Hitchcock is at Flagstaff, Ariz., for a bear hunt. He will join the Taft party at Yuma.

Prof. Abbott Lawrence Lowell was inaugurated as president of Harvard university.

GENERAL NOTES.

Sensational developments are expected in the jury-tampering scandal at Chicago. State's Attorney Wayman has discovered much new evidence and drafts of more indictments are being prepared and the present grand jury is expected to return them.

Action has been begun at Washington before the interstate commerce commission by the Federal Sugar Refining Company of New York against several eastern railroads in which allegations of unjust and unreasonable charges for transportation of sugar are made.

The Spanish ambassador to France has again formally assured Foreign Minister Pichon that Spain has no intention of departing from her original program regarding Morocco as communicated to the powers.

The Upper Mississippi River Improvement association in session at Winona, Minn., has adopted a resolution requesting congress to appropriate $20,000,000 for a six-foot channel in the Mississippi river from Minneapolis to St. Louis.

The Mayor of Marshalltown, Ia., and six members of the police force and sheriff's office have been indicted by a federal grand jury for placing an Indian service officer in jail and keeping him there for more than 24 hours.

The old-fashioned lord mayor's show, which for many centuries has been one of the most picturesque functions to be witnessed in England, will be abandoned this year by the new lord mayor-elect, Sir John Knill.

"King's Mountain day," the anniversary of the victory over the British in 1780 at King's Mountain, N. C., was celebrated in South Carolina and Tennessee.

Wilbur Wright made the most spectacular flight in his aeroplane at New York that the world has ever witnessed. He circled the air 100 feet over New York harbor in an 18-mile wind.

Costly war in Morocco is rapidly precipitating a crisis in Spain, which may bring about the overthrow of King Alfonso. Spanish affairs are causing much uneasiness among the other powers.

Aviator Wilbur Wright announces he will hereafter direct his efforts to the commercial exploitation of his machines and will make no more public flights.

Capt. Samuel C. Lemly, formerly judge advocate general of the navy, who became prominent in connection with the famous Schley court of inquiry, died at St. Elizabeth's hospital in Washington.

As each graduating class at West Point is about eighty men short of the number of officers needed by the army, an effort will be made by President Taft to persuade congress to increase the number of cadets to be appointed.

William R. Hearst has accepted the nomination for the New York mayoralty, tendered him by a mass meeting at Cooper Union, called by his admirers.

St. Charles, Mo., the first city to be incorporated in Missouri, began a week's celebration of its hundredth birthday with parades, races and other entertainments.

The annual convention of the Polish National alliance opened in Milwaukee, Wis., with about 450 delegates present.

A fine granite monument erected by the federal government and the state of West Virginia was unveiled at Point Pleasant, W. Va., to commemorate the defeat of the allied Indians there on October 10, 1774, at the close of Lord Dunmore's war.

The fourteenth annual state conference of charities and corrections was held in Peoria, Ill., and was addressed by many experts in philanthropic service.

Seventeen men were killed and ten severely injured in a collision between freight and work trains on the Santa Fe road near Topeka. Nearly all the victims were Mexican laborers.

Naphtali Herz Imber, the Hebrew poet who wrote "Hatikvah," the Zionist national hymn, will probably be buried at New York in a grave which he purchased several years ago, giving in exchange a 14-line poem in classic Hebrew.

Four persons perished in a Nashville (Tenn.) fire which destroyed a brick residence. Two negroes were arrested on suspicion of having fired the structure.

Pittsburg champion National baseball team defeated Detroit, winners of American league pennant, in the first game of the world championship series.

J. C. Mabray and 89 others were indicted by the grand jury at Omaha on the charge of promoting fake sporting events.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook had to be escorted from the Coliseum at Chicago by the police, so great was the enthusiasm of the audience to pay him homage.

Dr. Cronk, medical inspector of New Brunswick, N. J., urges the board of education to provide every public school pupil with a tooth brush, as a health measure.

Mary Keegan, who was a domestic for 30 years on the family of Thomas B. Kerr of New York, has been rewarded by a legacy of $10,000 in Mr. Kerr's will.

A woman confederate is supposed to have aided Oscar Dragege, alleged embezzler of New York hospital funds, to escape from Denver jail.

Francis Joseph, brother of Prince Miguel of Braganza, and Prince Alexander Georgievitch Romanowski, duke of Leuchtenberg, a protege of the czar, are said to be rival suitors for the hand of Marjorie Gould, daughter of George Gould of New York.

Mrs. F. A. Haight of Chicago fell in front of a New York subway train and escaped death by a narrow margin. She was taken to a hospital slightly injured.

Because John F. George, vice-president of the Harrington Leather Company at Elizabeth, N. J., would not resign when the United States Leather Company bought the plant, but relied on his contract of employment, he was put to work as an ordinary laborer. He continues to draw $10,000 a year salary.

The birthday of the late John H. Reagan, who was postmaster general of the confederacy and who was the last member of the cabinet to die, was celebrated in Texas.

A Hudson-Fulton fete was held every night in midocean on the steamer President Grant on the voyage to New York.

The reproduction of Henry Hudson's exploring vessel Half Moon, which took a central part in the Hudson-Fulton celebration, will be permanently placed in a lake in Prospect park, Brooklyn.

A monument to the Rhode Island troops who fell in the civil war at Newbern, N. C., was dedicated there, Gov. Pothier and other Rhode Island officials taking part.

A flock of over 4,500 sheep and lambs from Colorado is under quarantine at the Kansas City stockyards by order of Inspector H. B. Adair, who declares that the animals are afflicted with the "lip and leg" disease.

Lieut. Gen. Adna R. Chaffee, retired, does not believe enforced idleness is causing the high death rate among retired army officers, according to a statement he made at Los Angeles.

The climax of the north pole controversy is expected within a week when the Peary Arctic club will make public Peary's statement, which he declares will prove that he was the only white man to reach the pole.

More than three billion fishes and fish eggs were distributed by the bureau of fisheries of the department of commerce and labor in the last year.

Pittsburg tendered Dr. Frederick A. Cook such a warm ovation that the northern explorer was visibly affected. He announces that the facts in the pole controversy will be given to the public soon, and everything settled within six months.

GEN. BUSSEY IS 76

He Celebrated Birthday Anniversary at Daughter's Home.

THRONG HEADED BY GOVERNOR

Venerable Pioneer Statesman and Civil War Commander Honored by Gentry of Great State of Iowa.

Des Moines, Oct. 9.—Gen. Cyrus Bussey, venerable pioneer statesman and commander during the civil war, received a grand compliment at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Isaac L. Hillis, when the gentry of the great state of Iowa assembled to do him honor. The throng was led by Governor Carroll, an old time friend of the general in their former Davis county home village of Bloomfield. The prominent guests were numerous.

Not the least of the pleasing tributes to the general was the attendance enmasse of the Davis County Social club, numbering Congressman J. A. T. Hull, John Hamilton, General Weaver and many others of note.

Mrs. Hillis, who is devoted to her father, was radiant with pleasure and the spirit of hospitality shone joyously throughout her fine home on Sixth avenue. She was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. G. W. Miller, Mrs. O. B. Frye, Mrs. E. D. Hadley, Mrs. Harry Blackburn, Mrs. J. W. Hillis and Mrs. Frank Chafe.

The parlors were beautifully decorated with autumn leaves, typifying that the general had reached the autumn of his life, and American flags, under which he was always glad to serve. The luncheon of two courses was served on a table fairly banked with smilax decorations. In the center was a heap of autumn fruit, while near it was an immense birthday cake. In the cake were 100 candles, seventy-six to signify the years which the general had already passed and the other twenty-four to show the years which he expects to pass in the future.

Railways Make Reports.

Not a person was killed on the Iowa lines of the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad during the year ending June 30, 1909, according to the annual report of the company filed with the railroad commission. The total number of persons injured amounted to only fifty-two, six of whom were passengers. The reports of the Iowa Central shows there were seven persons killed and 55 injured on its lines in Iowa during the year. Of the injured only eight were passengers. None of those killed were passengers.

The financial report of the Iowa Central shows that its total revenues from operating during the year were $2,088,455.69, while the operating expenses for the same period amounted to $1,814,384.54. For the M. & St. L. the operating revenues were shown to be $1,086,025.82 and the operating expenses were $78,699.54.

Receive Valuable Data.

B. F. Tillinghast, veteran editor of the Davenport Democrat, has sent to Curator Harlan of the historical collection, complete data on the part played by Iowa in sending aid to the starving Russians in 1901. The data includes letters from James G. Blaine, Senator W. B. Allison, Bishops Lenihan, Perry and Cosgrove, Clara Barton, Jeremiah M. Rusk, H. C. Wheeler, Dr. J. B. Hubbell, Congressman Rumple and Col. L. M. Martin. It also tells how the Iowa supplies were distributed in Russia, and shows how thoroughly the work of collecting the supplies was done.

Want River Straightened.

A petition has been received by the state conservation commission from residents of Fort Dodge asking that the Des Moines river be straightened where it flows through Palo Alto county. It is claimed that by straightening the river the land will be made to drain itself, thus saving the expense of constructing an extensive drainage system in the county.

Mrs. Henry Back From Vacation.

Mrs. Matilda Henry, for a number of years head matron of the Home for the Aged, recently returned from a vacation of ten months in California. Mrs. Henry has been made matron emeritus of the home since her return and will continue to make her home at this institution for the aged in Des Moines.

State Library's Books.

State Librarian Brigham has placed orders for new books for the state library costing about $900. They include a large collection of current literature and several works of a more permanent nature, which are purchased for reference purposes only.

State Finances in Good Shape.

The quarterly report of the state finances for the quarter ending September 30 show that they are in good condition. The amount which the treasurer should have is $1,150,963.24, divided as follows: General revenues, $386,656.26; Agriculture college bonds, $685,950; Agriculture college endowment fund, cash, $92,797; Agriculture college, special tax, $40,692.42; State university, special tax, $29,133.36; Agriculture college interest, $222.50; State Normal school, special tax, $4,336; surveying lake bed, $3,014.63; permanent school fund, $100.

The other side of the ledger shows the total cash in the state treasury at the end of the quarter to be $5,588.72; cash in banks, $459,424.52; Agriculture college bonds, $685,950.

The state of Iowa is the only state in the union that has no bond issue.

Harlan Ready for Iowa Figurehead.

The figurehead of the battleship Iowa will be added to the collection in the historical department, according to advices received by Curator Harlan. The figurehead will be placed in what is known as the naval collection. This includes among late gifts the name plate of the battleship Oquindo, the Spanish battleship which the Iowa engaged during the memorable battle Admiral Sampson had with Admiral Cervera off the Santiago harbor. The plate was presented to the collection by Admiral Evans, who commanded the Iowa in that battle.

Corporations Must Pay.

Over 3,000 corporations in Iowa have thus far become liable to the penalty of $6 for failing to file their annual report by the first of September. Some of them are remitting their penalties to the secretary of state, but the vast majority of them have not done so. Under the new law the penalty is two dollars for the first month, four dollars for the second, and increasing two dollars each month. Those who file before November 1 will have only $6 to pay. After November 1 they will have to pay $8 and so on as long as they fail to report.

Board Has Full Power.

Business men declare that it rests with the board of railroad commissioners of the state whether or not Des Moines is given facilities to care for the freight that pours in and out of it each day. It is within the jurisdiction of the board to say whether or not the railroads entering the city shall enlarge their freight depots and employ enough men to straighten out the congestion that has handicapped the business of the jobbers and manufacturers of the city for more than a month.

Club to Honor Its Dead.

The Grant club will hold a commemorative service for those of its members who have died the past year on October 21. Biographies of the deceased members will be read Addresses will be given by Richard R. Rollins, H. B. Wyman, Simon Casady and J. G. Olmsted. The members who have died are: W. H. Quick, G. B. Pray, R. C. Bartlett, T. C. Hurley, L. M. Byers, J. T. Barclay, T. S. Cathcart and C. E. Laird.

New Worm Attacks Apple Trees.

A new worm which attacks apple trees has made its appearance in Iowa. Wesley Greene of the state horticultural department has received from the Duer orchard at Missouri Valley several sprigs containing leaves which had been skeletonized by the pest. Although the entire orchard was affected the crop was not damaged this year. Mr. Greene says the worm can be killed by a poison spray.

Toledo Gets U. B. Conference.

Ministers in the United Brethren churches in Iowa will all have their salaries increased ten per cent hereafter as the result of a resolution passed at the state conference. Much stress was laid by Bishop Weekley on the low salaries paid ministers and he at last roused the conference to action. Toledo, Iowa, has been chosen as the next meeting place for the state conference.

Says Low Wages Cause Tie-up.

The refusal of the railroads to meet the local labor scale is attributed by Geis Botsford, secretary of the Commercial club, as the cause for the congestion in the local freight houses. He declares that the railroads refuse to pay more than $1.75 a day for freight house truckers when a common day laborer working on the street or for contractors can get $2.25 a day.

Postoffice Gets New Carriers.

Five new carriers will be put on by the postoffice department in Des Moines Oct. 16. Postmaster Myerly applied for additional carriers to keep the force apace with the growing city a month ago. An additional collector also will be added to the force when the new building is occupied in November.

True Representative of Race.

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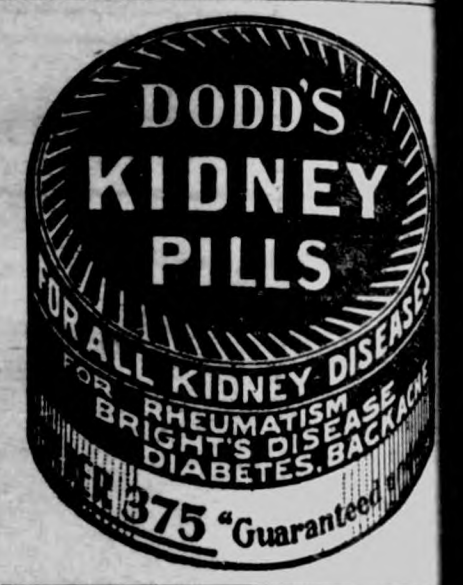

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with a scene at a box party. Miss Henrietta Winstanley, sister of Bishop Winstanley overheard Banker Ankony propose to Barbara Hemingray, whose brother Dan was in his employ. Dan was one of the town's popular young men. He showed some nerviness when Attorney Tom Twining told him Barbara refused Ankony. Ankony the following day, summoning Twining, accused Dan of looting the bank. Twining refused to prosecute. Barbara persuaded Ankony to postpone starting prosecution. Twining learned of the engagement of Ankony and Barbara. He congratulated both. He visited Miss Hemingray and found her almost in tears. He told her he had loved her, but feared prematurely announcing his affection. By actions alone she told him she reciprocated. Mrs. Anson Dines, wealthy widow, proposed a marriage by proxy with Bishop Winstanley. The latter consulted with Twining. The bishop had been paying attentions to Miss Streeter. Dan consulted Twining, saying his sister was determined to marry Ankony, declaring she actually loved the banker, though he could not help believing she was making a sacrifice to save him from jail.

CHAPTER VI.—Continued.

"Then I don't see anything for it but for you to leave things as they are," I admitted.

He was not satisfied, however, to do that on his own judgment.

"If I could only be sure she isn't playing a part," he mused.

"Then you're not sure?"

"One minute I think I am and the next I think I'm not. If there wasn't so much at stake, I'd risk my own opinion more readily. As it is, I'm afraid to do it." He looked at me with a sudden wistfulness. "Twining, do you—you do care a little for her, don't you?" he asked frankly.

"Not a little," said I grimly.

"Then will you help me to make sure?"

"How?"

"Go to her and find out."

I took a turn or two up and down the room.

"I'll go," I said.

"Maybe you'll be able to make her out better than I. I don't deny it seems to me she loves him. But pin her down. Don't let her wriggle away, whatever you do. You know she'll try to. And see here, Twining, I don't want her to know that you know about—about the money. She thinks nobody knows but Ankony, and it'd kill her to find out that he'd told it, even to you—or rather, to you of all others. Remember you must keep that from her if you can."

"Trust me," I said, as I took up my hat.

"Oh, you're not going now, are you? I've just come from her, you know, and she'll be suspicious. Why not give her time to forget a little? It isn't easy to wait, but I believe it's better. Mrs. Ankony gives her dinner to-night. You'd have a chance to talk with her there, wouldn't you?"

"You're right," I said; "I'll wait."

Mrs. Ankony was in high and becoming feather that evening. She managed to veil her complacency until it missed being objectionable. This, however, was one of the few occasions which had come her way upon which she could distinctly congratulate herself: a dinner in compliment to "my dear Barbara;" a perfectly appointed dinner, too, and one I think most of her guests enjoyed. For myself, I thought it would never end.

Most of Barbara's friends were there, and but few of Ankony's. The Forlorn Hope was there to a man, seeking to present an unbattered front. I had a kindred feeling for them. Dan was not there. He simply would not go. Bishop Winstanley sat on the left of the hostess, beside Miss Streeter. He was delightfully fluent, and she sympathetically attendant. The soft light of the candles fell on her hair, on her pure contour, on her ivory skin and her pale shimmering gown. She ate, as the rest of us, but to me it was exactly as if a Correggio or a Botticelli had leaned from her frame to nibble a sweet wafer or trifle with a salad. Occasionally she spoke, but I did not hear what she said. I seem never, somehow, to hear her say anything, but when one looks as she does what one says is immaterial.

Barbara was scintillant, with all her old charm illuminated, as it were, by something new and vivifying within. I watched her with a sinking heart; surely she cared for Ankony or she could not look like this. I told myself so half a hundred times through dinner, and after, finding her with only three men dancing attendance upon her, I promptly put them all to rout that I might carry her off and have it over.

"Come out and see the roses," I said.

"Mr. Ankony showed me them before dinner. They are beautiful."

"But he didn't show you the moon," I smiled, trying to keep to the old way of chaffing and laughter and so not frighten her into being guarded. "There is a very benign lady smiling out of it to-night, instead of our fat friend with the round face and the wide grin. Do come. You really must see."

She arose with a laugh. "I suppose I may as well, or you'll be peopling it with all sorts of impossible creatures just to tempt me."

We went through the French windows together, and I found her a chair at the corner of the long porch. I turned it about for her.

"But it's directly in the light," she objected.

"Exactly. I like you in the light. I can see you better."

"You could have seen me much better indoors, if that is all you want."

"It isn't all I want. I am not so modest. My wants are large to-night."

"Were they ever otherwise?" she smilingly inquired.

"You ought to know. My prayers have all been made to you."

"Oh, absurd! You don't expect me to believe that, Mr. Twining."

"Those of them that have amounted to anything," I modified.

"That is better. But what is it you want to-night? You make me curious."

Unable to keep up the bantering tone longer and fearing a sudden interruption, I leaned to her quickly:

"There Must Be Something Else. What Is It?"

"I want you tell me the truth about something, Barbara; will you?"

She moved a little so that her eyes were in the shadow.

"I don't quite like the sound of your voice," she confessed; still lightly, "it makes me a little apprehensive."

"Won't you be serious, and honest?" I begged.

"Dear me, am I ever anything else than honest?"

"Often, but come—"

"Why, what can you be about to ask me?"

"Only if you are happy. Don't start and don't be angry with me. And don't answer hastily nor with evasion. I am not to be evaded. You must understand how serious I am to have put such a question to you."

"It is certainly the most extraordinary behavior," she remarked coldly. She was looking at me with widely questioning eyes, and she had grown suddenly white. Did I know what Dan had done? That was what she was asking herself, I am sure. "I am entirely at a loss to explain why you should have dared to ask me this."

"I owe it to myself to make sure, Barbara," I told her. "Will you answer me?"

"This is not the real reason for your most unheard-of behavior," she said in a tense voice. "There must be something else. What is it?"

"Shall I tell you?"

"You must."

"Ankony is not the man you could have been expected to love," I blundered, not knowing how to find my way beneath her eyes. "Do you love him? If you tell me that you do, I will not distress you further."

"Are you intimating, with other kind friends, that I am marrying him for reasons other than those of affection, that—oh, it is unthinkable! And from you!"

"Barbara, listen to me," I cried.

"No, not a word. You have said too much now. Can't you see that it makes me rise in a kind of vicious protest to have my happiness inspected on every side as if it were some wretched vagrant seeking shelter where nobody had any faith in it?"

"Have you faith in it yourself?" I asked.

She lifted her head and faced me.

"All the faith in the world," she declared.

And then she saw Ankony, who had come at the moment searching for her, and held out her hand to him. As he approached and took it, she leaned for an instant against his arm with an indescribable movement that had nothing of defiance in it, it seemed to me, but only affection.

"I have been telling Mr. Twining how happy I am," she said to him, in a soft voice that must have moved a wooden man to adoration. "I hope you don't mind my being so foolish, do you?"

Still holding her hand, Ankony bent and touched her hair with his lips.

"I should mind if you were unhappy and told him that," he said with a laugh. "They want you in there. Will you come? I promised to bring you."

She stood up and laid her fingers on his arm.

"Will you come along, Mr. Twining?" she asked.

"Thank you, not now," I replied.

I watched them as they moved away. At the window he stood aside for her to enter, and I saw her smile into his face in the way women have with the men they love.

As soon as I could find Mrs. Ankony I said good-night.

Dan was waiting for me.

"Well?" he questioned eagerly, as I went in.

"You were right," I said dully; "she loves him."

He looked at me pityingly and said nothing.

After a while he came over and stood by the mantel, staring down at the hearth.

"I suppose I might as well get back to Jack Ankony," he said; "he needs me, if I'm going to stay with them; and there doesn't seem to be anything else for it just now."

I nodded absently.

"There's nothing I can do, I guess," he muttered hopelessly.

"No, there's nothing."

"It's a confounded shame, Tom," he declared, and I read the sympathy in his eyes.

"We won't talk about it," said I.

"I know . . . Talking's no good."

I lit a cigar, and he found one to suit him in the box on the table.

"Sit down," I said.

He threw himself down opposite me, and we finished two cigars in silence, he on his side of the hearth, I on mine.

"I'll be off in the morning," he said, at the end of his second.

CHAPTER VII.

It was a wretched night two weeks later, gloomy and winterish, although spring was old enough to have done much better. I was dining alone and rather forlornly when I heard Kimmens open the outer door of my apartment and admit some one. There was the click of brisk heels along the hall, and Miss Winstanley beckoning me through the glass doors of the dining room to go on with my dinner.

"Don't get up," she cried, as Kimmens threw open the doors and I hurried to meet her; "do let me be unceremonious, won't you? Go on with your dinner; I'll sit by you till you've finished. I've dined."

"I have just finished," I insisted.

"Then come into your sitting room. I've a great deal to say."

"Welcome home," said I, warmly, as I closed the sitting room door behind us.

"It's quite time I got here, I'm sure. Such things as have been doing while I was away! What do you suppose I found in a memoranda book on my dressing table?—my brother had been using my rooms, you know. A pressed rose!"

The scorn in her voice made me laugh heartily.

"I'm glad you find it amusing. I didn't," she declared.

"But the right sort of a memoranda book always has a rose in it," I contended.

"Nonsense! Has yours?"

"I think it probable," I admitted, without humility.

"What foolishness! I can tell you that mine has not."

"Your heart holds your roses, dear lady."

She unfastened her fluffy black boa and smiled at me with a twinkle in her eyes—the twinkle that I like so much.

"Your pretty speeches won't throw me off the scent, Mr. Twining. I am going to find out whose rose that is in Charles' book. Think of it! At his age."

"At any age a man is sure to have something wrong with him if he never purloins a rose," I insisted. "He is lacking in something as certainly as the fellow who never sees a rose on a bush."

"There are plenty of them who don't know they grow on bushes," she said quickly. "They think they grow only on pretty girls' corsages."

I placed her a chair and she sank into it, but slipped quickly out to its edge and sat perched there, looking at me with her keen, eager old eyes.

"I came to talk to you about Barbara Hemingray," she said at once. "This engagement of her to Ankony is monstrous. There can be but one reason for it, and that is that Dan has been getting himself into some sort of trouble that she has to get him out of, and could find no other way. Isn't that it? You know, of course."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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The president of a western railroad system was spending the week-end at the country house of a friend in New York, when one evening some reference was made by a layman touching the commercial greatness of the country as evidenced by railroad operations.

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Huckleberry Finn.

D. A. McDaniel of Chicago, arrived in the city recently. He asked the first thing about his old playmate, Dr. R. A. Gardner, and was nonplused when he learned that the doctor died just a year ago.

"The doctor," said Mr. McDaniel, "together with my brother James, Harry Hunstock, Clarence and Frank Crout, were the five boys lost in the Hannibal cave along in the early seventies, on which Mark Twain based one of his famous stories. My brother James was the inspiration of the famous author's character of Huckleberry Finn."—Quincy (Ill.) Whig.

Brasenose College.

The four hundredth anniversary of the foundation of Brasenose college, Oxford, England, reminds us that a banquet was once given to the doorknocker from which the college takes its name. That knocker was carried off to Stamford by seceding scholars, who attempted to found a rival college in the Lincolnshire town. Centuries elapsed before that historic symbol was regained and restored to its rightful place at Oxford. This was celebrated by a triumphant banquet, which even among a nation so given to public dinners as the British, is unique as the only feast ever held in honor of a doorknocker.

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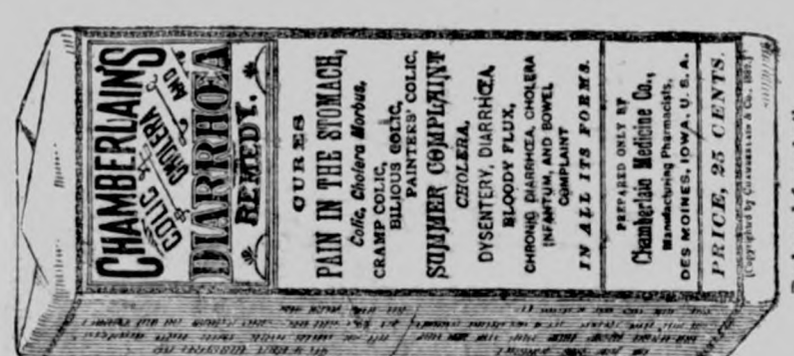

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PERSONAL.

George Wharton Popper, a prominent churchman and lawyer of Philadelphia, was a speaker at the Brotherhood of St. Andrew convention in Providence, R. I.

Mrs. Edith T. Perkins of Burlington, Ia., has given Harvard university $30,000 to establish scholarships for Iowa graduates, in memory of her husband who was president of the Burlington railroad for many years.

George A. Edes, veteran editor, who in early life was associated with Horace Greeley and Mark Twain, died at Oakland, Cal., of cancer of the throat, aged 69. His great-uncle was associated with Benjamin Franklin in the publication of the Boston News Letter.

Charles T. Ripley, a graduate of the University of Illinois in the railway electrical engineering department, has been awarded the first prize in an electric car design contest conducted by the Brill Company of Philadelphia The prize is the John G. Brill medal and $250.

Clyde Fitch, the playwright, left no will and his property will go to his father, W. G Fitch, of Hartford, Conn By some the estate is estimated at $1,000,000.

Samuel Gompers was accorded an enthusiastic demonstration at Washington in honor of his return home from Europe.

Representative A. W. Rucker of Colorado was injured severely when he was struck by the boom of a boat he was sailing in Lake Lano in Mindinao in the Philippines.

Dr J. B Shober reports through the Journal of the American Medical association a substitute for radium in treating disease. It is cocoanut charcoal after it has been charged with a current of air from a solution of radium bromide.

According to Rev. Charles L. Goodell, pastor of Calvary Methodist church of New York, old age begins at 45 years, and from that age a man is in his decline.

Two sisters, Mrs. Clara Pfeltsenmeier of Chicago and Mrs Minnie Lehmann of Brooklyn, found a long lost brother at the Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York. He is a second lieutenant in the German navy and his name is Fritz Heyl.

GENERAL NOTES.

The New York Globe publishes a copy of affidavit made by Edwin N Barrill, who accompanied Dr. Frederick A. Cook at the time he announced reaching the summit of Mount McKinley in which Barrill states that Cook never reached the summit and charges the explorer with forcing him to change dates and figures in his diary. Dr. Cook, at Atlantic City, N. J., emphatically denies the charge and says proofs of his climb are buried on the summit of the mountain.

In the sixth game for the world's championship Detroit defeated Pittsburg 5 to 4.

Edward Singer, aged 35, of Chicago has been arrested for rifling merchandise mail pouches.

The twelfth annual meeting of the Eastern Illinois Teachers' association is being held at Danville.

A high-salaried appointment soon to be made by President Taft will be Panama canal commissioner to succeed ex-Senator Blackburn of Kentucky, whose resignation is expected The position pays $14,000 a year.

Of the 285 county reporters who report crop conditions to the bureau of statistics of the department of agriculture, 194 have served in that capacity more than twenty years, according to the official crop reporter.

George Shima, the Japanese potato king of Stockton, Cal., gave his second annual banquet to potato buyers Shima sent his launch, the Shima Maru, for his guests. He has the largest potato patch in the world, 14,000 acres.

Revolutionists are now in possession of seven towns in Nicaragua and martial law has been proclaimed at the capital, Managua.

Civil war is impending in Spain. Several bombs have been exploded near the royal palace in which King Alfonzo is practically a prisoner, being guarded by a double cordon of troops.

President Taft and President Diaz of Mexico exchanged visits at El Paso Tex., and Ciudad, Juraez, both executives leaving their native countries for the first time in an official capacity.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, refuting the charges that he did not ascend Mount McKinley, will organize an expedition to ascend the mountain and procure the records he left there. He asserts Guide Barrill has perjured himself

Thirty-seven persons are dead, many injured, and property damaged to about $1,000,000, as a result of the storm which swept Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia, Arkansas and South Carolina.

The National Purity congress opened in Burlington, Ia., with President B. S. Steadwell in the chair and about 500 reformers and social workers present. Many well known men and women were on the program.

Plans for a campaign for the passage of an act to enable Illinois municipalities to adopt the commission form of government were discussed at the annual meeting of the Illinois Mayors' association in Elgin.

The Portola festival, celebrating the discovery of San Francisco bay, opened in the Golden Gate city.

The National Spiritualists' association began their seventeenth convention in Rochester, N. Y.

A convention of employing printers met in Chicago to adopt uniform methods that would end the price war

Mrs. Georgie Ferguson, associate pastor of the People's church in Washington, says her sex would obtain the ballot if they adopted the method suggested by Samuel Adams in revolutionary days—elect state committees study conditions and adopt state platforms.

Marines from the cruiser Idzuma were landed in San Francisco to aid in fighting a fire. The visitors thought the city was threatened. They were not needed.

Because he ran down and killed a woman with his automobile, T. C. Goetz of Stamford, Conn., was convicted of involuntary manslaughter and sentenced to jail for one year.

Wilfrid Thibeault and Prof. Frank Hill were charged in the Fall River (Mass.) police court with the murder of Amelia St. Jean, whose mutilated body was found at Tiverton, R. I. They pleaded not guilty and their cases were continued.

A receiver was appointed for Solomon Brothers, dealers in oriental goods at New York, with branches at Pittsburg, Cleveland, Chicago and St. Louis.

In an interview at Buffalo, Explorer Cook reiterated that he would bring the Eskimos who accompanied him to the north pole to this country in order to disprove alleged distorted declarations in Commander Peary's statement.

Pittsburg won the fifth world's championship baseball game from Detroit by a score of 8 to 4. The Pirates now lead the Tigers in the series by one game.

The second national convention of the Congregational Brotherhood of America is in session at Minneapolis with a very large number of representatives present from all parts of the country.

The constitutionality of the Illinois two-cent rate law is attacked in an action brought in the federal court at Springfield by the Chicago, Peoria & St Paul Railroad Company.

Milwaukee for ten days will be the Mecca of the dairy farmers and persons engaged in allied interests as the National Dairy show there is now on.

A famous portrait by Velasquez, purchased by a wealthy American abroad, will soon arrive in this country, according to H. R. Duneen, an art dealer, who has returned to New York from Europe. He says it is likely to become the most noted picture in America. The name of the owner is not revealed.

The general understanding in Washington is that the court of appeals will render its decision in the contempt case against Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison of the American Federation of Labor within a week.

The Norwegian Sterk, a small freighter, foundered off the coast of Norway. The crew of 12 was lost.

It has developed that the shortage in the Mineral Point (Wis.) First National bank failure will reach nearly $400,000. It is said that Vice-President Allen has lost heavily in mining investments.

Charles R. Crane of Chicago, minister designated to China, was practically deposed by a demand from Secretary Knox for his resignation. The latter charges Mr. Crane with indiscretion. The latter had already tendered his resignation to President Taft.

Pittsburg defeated Detroit in the third game of the world's championship series by a score of 8 to 6.

Detroit defeated Pittsburg 5 to 0 in the fourth game of the world's championship series.

BUTTER TEST SCORE

Many Took Part in Educational Scoring Contest

LONE ROCK CARRIED OFF PRIZE

There Were 159 Butter-Makers Entered in Dairy Commissioner's Butter Scoring Contest Just Closed.

Des Moines, Oct. 18.—In the dairy commissioner's four month's educational butter test scoring, 159 buttermakers took part, with the result that some exceptionally fine scores were made. The report of Commissioner Wright shows that of the 359 tubs exhibited, 311 of them scored over 90 points, 27 of them scored 90 points, while the remaining 21 scored under 90. This is considered a good record. There were 84 exhibitors in the milk class and 75 in the cream class.

In the milk class C. J. Gudknecht of Lone Rock, scored 95.62, while P. M. Peterson of Rake, his nearest competitor, scored 95.37. In the cream class J. T. Hanna of Lone Rock scored 93.35, while N. A. Dahlen of Northwood, his nearest competitor, scored 93. Thus it came about that Lone Rock carried off the prizes in the four scorings. In the three scorings O. H. Barber of Randalia scored 94, as did F. J. Schroeder of Wadena. This was in the milk class. In the cream class, three scorings, M. J. Rohe of Algona scored 92.33, as did C. A. Nurell of Sexton.

In his report Commissioner Wright says: "It is to be regretted that no more of the buttermakers of Iowa take advantage of the opportunity for having their butter criticised. Only sixty-seven out of a possible five hundred buttermakers sent butter to as many as three scorings."

Keokuk Woman Heads P. E. O.

Mount Pleasant.—At the session of the supreme lodge of the P. E. O. officers were elected and it was decided to meet in 1911 at St. Louis. The new suyreme officers are: President, Miss Winona Reeves, of Keokuk; first vice president, Mrs. Grace R. Clarke, of Chicago; Second vice president, Mrs. Annie B. Grimes, of Hutchinson, Kan.; recording secretary, Miss Hattie Liddle, of Geneva, Neb.; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Hilda Miller, of Los Angeles; treasurer, Mrs Nettie Hoffman, of Trenton, Mo.; organizer, Mrs. Edith Prouty, of Humboldt, Ia.; auditor P. E. O. record, Miss Mary Osmond, of Osceola, Ia.

Nora Springs Pioneer Dead.

Nora Springs.—John Henry, one of the earliest pioneer settlers of Floyd county, died at Nora Springs at the age of 80 years. He came to this county (Floyd) from Indiana fifty-five years ago, and his marriage to Miss Ann Workman was the first to take place in Rock Grove township. Mrs. Henry died about four years ago. Six children survive them: Mrs. Lora Taber and Warren and Monroe Henry of Nora Springs, Walter Henry of Des Moines, Wilson Henry of Minneapolis, and Mrs. Clara Rose, lately of Wallace, Idaho.

Choose Stock Judging Team.

Ames.—The stock judging team to represent Ames at the Royal Stock show in Kansas City has been chosen. The men who will compose the team are: R. W. Cassady, Whiting; M. H. Fedderson, Bryant; M. W. O'Donnell, Ames; J. E. Thompson, Jamaica; and M. G. Thornburg, Ames. They will compete with teams from all over the west.

The team to judge dairy stock at the National Dairy show next month will consist of J. M. Leffler, G. M. Nelson and E. A. Quaife.

$100,000 Iowa Farm Deal.

Bridgewater.—Something over a $100,000 land deal was made here when John McDermott traded for the J. H. Hulbert ranch, six miles southeast of town. Mr. McDermott paid $85 per acre for the 717 acres of the Hulbert ranch and traded his 160 acres near Prescott in at $85 per acre. He also traded his 320-acre farm eight and one-fourth miles north of town in at $125 per acre.

Indoor Baseball.

Marshalltown.—The Y. M. C. A. of this city is making active preparations for an early start in indoor baseball, and a schedule is now being made for the regular league season. Three teams have already begun practice.

Editors Will Meet.

Iowa Falls.—The Hardin county editors have decided to meet Friday, October 22. The meeting will be held at Alden. A program for the day has been arranged by a committee.

Arrested for Kidnaping Own Child.

Des Moines.—After a chase which has continued more than two months, leading the searchers along a devious route through four states, and participated in by the detective departments of a dozen cities, the efforts of Rev. John McD Horne and Chief Detective Johnston, were rewarded with the recovery of Marguerite, the 3-year-old foster daughter of the minister, who was kidnaped from the home on August 4. The child was discovered in the possession of Mrs. Laura McConkey, her mother, at Amboret, Mo., fifty miles south of Kansas City, by the Rev. Mr. Horne and City Detective C. C. Jackson. She was taken into custody on a charge of kidnaping her arrest being followed later by that of her mother, Jennie Polk Bain, grandmother of the child, in Hiawatha, Kans.

Lyal Will Case Settled.

Newton.—After more than a year of litigation the famous Lyal will case was settled here and the property of the late George W. Lyal, who committed suicide three years ago, will be apportioned almost equally among his third wife, his second wife and his grandson, who is also the grandson of the second wife. Lyal was married three times. His first wife is dead, the second was divorced, and now lives in Kewanee, Ill., and the third resides in Newton. The estate left by the suicide is worth between $75,000 and $85,000.

New Turn in Telephone Case.

Des Moines.—An entirely new turn was taken in the telephone situation when the Iowa Telephone company announced that after the consolidation of the Iowa and the Mutual, the present Iowa rates will be maintained for a period of at least five years to all subscribers. The company agrees to make such a contract with the city, thus binding itself to furnish the service at that price without binding the people to take it.

Hunting License to Women.

Iowa City.—Mrs. L. W. Dean, wife of Dr. Dean, and Miss Alice Kubichek, daughter of Wesley Kubichek, a gunsmith, have taken out licenses to hunt in Johnson county. Miss Beula Riggs of Lone Tree has also announced her intention of becoming a nimrod. All are well known in this neighborhood and are the first three women to take out hunting licenses here.

To Treble Capacity.

Marshalltown.—The Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company is making preparations for the installation of stone crushing machinery to treble the capacity of the quarries at Quarry, Iowa, east of this city, which the railroad acquired recently from the LeGrand Quarry company. The stone from the quarries will be used for ballast and concrete work over the entire system.

Aged Iowans Will Gather.

Des Moines.—The octogenarian association of Iowa will celebrate the sixty-third anniversary of Iowa's first state election on Oct. 26, with a 1 o'clock dinner at the Savery. Invitations have been mailed to aged residents of Iowa by T. B. Perry of Albia, the president, and John L. Crawford of Des Moines, secretary of the association. A large attendance is anticipated.

Blaze on Iowa River.

Iowa City.—Sparks from a passing engine ignited a pile of straw on a barge belonging to the Iowa City Sand company started a small blaze on the Iowa river. The Iowa City firemen put out the fire, with small damage.

Babe Ate Strychnine Tablets.

Mason City.—The little thirteen-month-old daughter of H. L. Green, ate a strychnine tablet, taken from her mother's handbag while she was getting supper, and died in a short time, in spite of the doctor's efforts.

Pays Bounty on Forty-one Snakes.

Ottumwa.—Forty-one rattlesnakes were brought to the court house during the month of September. The county paid out $21 bounty. Perry Owings brought in 14 of the snakes.

Pony Burned in Barn.

Creston.—Fire destroyed the barn and part of the contents belonging to A. E. Mickle, of this place, and a pony was badly burned in the conflagration. The property was insured.

Boys Will Meet.

Waterloo.—The annual conference of the Iowa boys of the Y. M. C. A. will be held here November 5, 6 and 7. R. A. Waite, C. S. Medbury and F. M. Hansen will be among the speakers.

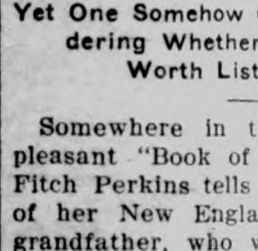
Work on Building.

Iowa City.—Work on the new $20,000 engineering shops has been started. The buildings will have to be completed by the first of January.

ANOTHER WOMAN CURE

By Lydia E. Pinkham Vegetable Compo

Gardiner, Maine.—"I have great sufferer from organic t and a severe weakness. doctor said I have to go hospital f operation, could not think of it cided to try E. Pinkham etable Com and Sanativ —and was e cured after months' use of them."—Mrs. WILLIAMS, R. F. D. No. 14, Gardiner, Me.



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Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, M invites all sick women to her for advice. Her advice is and always helpful.

GENTLE REBUKE FROM PU

Yet One Somehow Cannot Help dering Whether Sermon Wa Worth Listening To.

Somewhere in the pages of pleasant "Book of Joys" Mrs. Fitch Perkins tells a delightful of her New England clerical grandfather, who was a man genuity and resources. She says

"He employed more than one to secure wakefulness on the pa his weary congregation. Sta during the prayer was but on many. My grandfather used to us with pride of an instance whic curred at a time when a new ch edifice had been proposed, and under warm discussion. Great-g father thought this a worldly an necessary expense, and empha his opinion by pausing in the mid his sermon on a Sunday, saying pressively, as he fixed the somn members of his congregation wi stern look:

"'You are talking about buildi new church. It seems to me quit necessary, since the sleepers in old one are all sound!'"—Youth's panion.

Why Not?

Aunt Spinsterly—I hope that opinions uphold the dignity of sex, Mamie, and that you believe every woman should have a vote.

Mamie—I don't go quite so fa that, aunty; but I believe that woman should have a voter.—Sk

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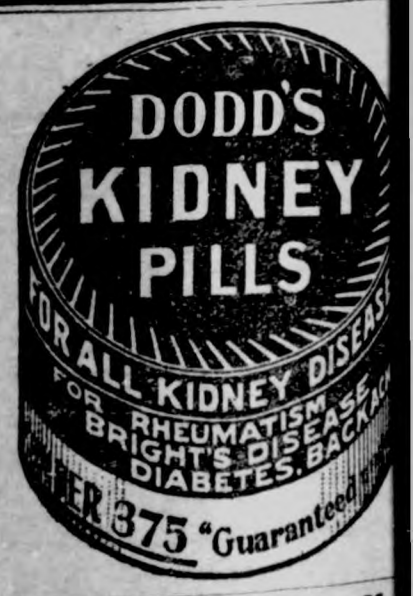

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SYNOPSIS.

e story opens with a scene at a box Miss Henrietta Winstantley, sis- of Bishop Winstanley overheard er Ankony propose to Barbara Hem- y, whose brother Dan was in his y. Dan was one of the town's pop- young men. He showed some nerv- ss when Attorney Tom Twining told Barbara refused Ankony. Ankony following day, summoning Twining, ed Dan of looting the bank. Twin- refused to prosecute. Barbara per- ed Ankony to postpone starting cution. Twining learned of the en- ment of Ankony and Barbara. He ratulated both. He visited Miss ingray and found her almost in . He told her he had loved her, but ed prematurely announcing his af- ion. By actions alone she told him reciprocated. Mrs. Anson Dines, althy widow, proposed a marriage by y with Bishop Winstanley. The lat- consulted with Twining. The bishop been paying attentions to Miss eter. Dan consulted Twining, say- his sister was determined to marry ony, declaring she actually loved the ker, though he could not help believ- she was making a sacrifice to save from jail. Miss Winstanley, find- a pressed rose in the bishop's book, ted a love affair.

CHAPTER VII.—Continued.

"I wish that I could tell you that are wrong," I answered.

She nodded. "I knew it. I told my- f the minute I heard it that there uld be but one meaning to it! I n't ask you what he did. I don't nt to know. All I'm concerned in how to get them both out of their ficulties. Dan is a good boy, if he been weak. I'm not excusing him, nd you, but my heart is with him. e are all assailable at times. Now may be adamant to-day and as soft a marshmallow to-morrow. Do you what I mean? Our moral nature just like our physical one: it has good and its bad days, and poor n was tempted on a bad one. That's l. But what I can't understand is at he was willing to accept his good me at such a cost."

I told her what I knew then, and her yes brightened and her head nodded ll through the recital like that of a ttle marionette.

"Ah, that's what I like to hear! My ope for the boy is restored. We'll ake a fine man of him yet. But"— nd there was a clouding of the fine yes—"but the engagement isn't roken? What does that mean?"

"That she loves Ankony," said I.

For an instant she stared at me, speechless in the force of her amaze- ment, then she actually smiled in her corn.

"Oh, you men! You let a woman make you believe whatever she wants you to believe! I am provoked with you, Mr. Twining. You are clever enough about most things. How can you be so easily put upon in this?"

"You have only to see them togeth- er. You know how much I would like to believe otherwise."

"It were a preposterous impossibili- ty! She, a Hemingray, to love him, an Ankony! Bah! it's too absurd to think of!"

"Love is an acrobat," I reminded her, trying to speak with some degree of lightness; "he lands where you least expect him to."

"Oh, don't make your figures for me! And don't try to hide from me all that you feel. Come, let us cease to be at cross-purposes."

"Most willingly; but, granted that you are right, what is to be done? You can't force her to admit to you that she doesn't love him."

"I've no mind to try to reach the solution through her."

"Dan can do nothing."

"Oh, I quite understand that, too."

"Then where do you expect to go with your prayer?" I asked.

She hesitated an instant.

"I think it isn't going to be a pray- er," she said.

"What can you threaten? Ankony won't give her up. Besides, as I told you, if she isn't happy she is the most consummate actress I have ever seen."

"Of course she is. Now you are sensible in your deductions. Some- body says that Poverty is the mother of all the arts, you know, but it isn't so; it's Love who is their mother, and Barbara's skill at acting is born of her love for Dan."

She leaned on her elbow and was silent for a little, her eyes vague and troubled.

"You have nothing to offer—nothing at all?" she appealed.

"Nothing," I admitted ignominiously.

"I'm going to see her," she said.

She patted my arm as she passed me.

"I know," she murmured; "I know. But don't give up. We'll find a way yet. Mark me, we will." She smiled a queer little half-tearful smile in which there was a spark of the old humor. "The good always triumph, you know."

And she was gone.

CHAPTER VIII.

One early morning some days later, Bishop Winstanley was shown into my office. A glance sufficed to tell me that he was laboring under unusual excitement. He waited for my clerk to leave the room, when he announced, without prelude:

"A most astonishing thing has happened; Mrs. Anson Dines has sailed for America."

"Is it possible!" I exclaimed. "I thought she meant to remain abroad."

"So she did. So she did—indefinitely."

"And are you disposed to regard her change of plans as significant?" I inquired.

He looked at me oddly.

"The question shows how little you know the lady," he remarked.

I smiled. The situation seemed amazingly funny to me. But the bishop was not inclined to regard it as being at all so.

"Then you await her coming with some anxiety," I observed.

"As a matter of fact, with the greatest anxiety."

I muttered my polite regret at this unexpected and startling crook in the straightness of his affairs.

He made no reply, but leaned back in his chair, with perturbation written large on his handsome and ordinarily composed features.

"Mrs. Dines evidently believes in going after what she wants—to use a common expression," I remarked.

He nodded, dismally.

"She is famous for it," he said. "What she determines upon neither heaven nor earth can dissuade her from. And she is evidently determined this this marriage shall be carried through."

"Bless me!" I murmured.

"My own inclinations in the matter seem not to enter in," he said grimly.

"Then you have sent her an answer to her remarkable document?"

"Oh, at once."

"May I inquire if it had the ring of finality to it?" I asked.

"The finality of an ultimatum," he assured me.

"Dear me, and still she comes!" I exclaimed.

"And still she comes," he echoed.

"What do you propose?" I inquired.

"I am a little bewildered," he confessed. "I must, however, find a way to extricate myself."

"Then you do not mean—"

"No, indeed. It is not, you understand, as if the lady had any sentiment in the matter. To decline an offer of—matrimony is never quite easy, I fancy"—and the bishop smiled less grimly—"but to decline it when one is assured that no affection enters in makes one a little more comfortable. Mrs. Dines is very clever and far-seeing, and she regards this marriage merely as an enterprise. She has become convinced that she can do more good in the field she has chosen as my wife than as Anson Dines' widow; Anson Dines was a good fellow, but not a philanthropist, you understand—nor a bishop. Mrs. Dines never overlooks the possibilities of any situation. She doesn't care a rap for me. She was devoted to her husband, and she isn't the sort of a woman who loves twice. Why, you see yourself that she distinctly proposes that we shall occupy different continents."

"And you?"

"I have, unfortunately, my own plans."

"Which are not concurrent with hers?"

"In no way concurrent," he replied with emphasis.

"Yours is not an enviable position," I admitted.

"Enviable!" he cried. "I should think not. You understand that my sister is arrayed with her against me?"

I bowed. There was a moment's silence.

"Mrs. Dines has contracted the habit of succeeding in what she undertakes," he observed presently. "It is a most uncomfortable habit for all parties concerned, as I am always telling my sister, who seems herself to be on the verge of falling into it."

"Miss Winstanley is a most successful woman," I made enthusiastic comment.

"Undoubtedly," he agreed; "but I insist that successful women may pile up trouble and anguish for themselves —and others. It is so amazing when they fail that they resign themselves badly to it."

"I see," said I.

"Mrs. Dines will not like coming across to meet with failure," he remarked. "I wish it might be spared her. I also wish I knew how to ease the situation all around. Have you a suggestion?"

"A good idea; I think I shall adopt the situation all around. Have you a suggestion?"

"I only know what I should do under similar circumstances," I declared, trying not to smile broadly.

"Would you mind telling me what it is?" he asked.

"Not at all; but it is, of course, nothing that you would consider."

"I am not so sure. Suppose you let me hear it."

"I should resort to—absence," said I. it."

"I don't wish to seem false to your siste". I am her friend in all things, you understand, but surely—"

"We'll Find a Way Yet. Mark Me, We Will."

"Have no sense of disloyalty, Mr. Twining," he urged, with his old smile. "If my sister were thoroughly conversant with affairs, she would not think of pressing so preposterous a plan for my marital disposal, and in any case, what Mrs. Dines has asked would be impossible. But as Henrietta really got me into this, I think she may get me out. It is only fair, isn't it? However, I didn't come here to bother you with this affair. I am commissioned by my sister to ask you to come to see her as soon as you conveniently can. I think she wishes to consult you about a matter of business, perhaps. She did not tell me."

"I shall go at once."

"Oh, it isn't so important as that. Since I think of it, however, she did seem a little eager."

"I am free for the hour."

"That's very good of you. I am greatly obliged to you for your excellent suggestion. One would think you had had some experience yourself in similar situations."

And he smilingly departed.

I went at once to Miss Winstanley. From an upper window she must have seen me coming, for as I was admitted she ran down the stairs quite like a little girl, and led me into her sitting room, closing the door carefully behind us. She had a letter in her hand, and as she extended it to me, I recognized the bold chirography of Mrs. Anson Dines.

Clearly I was to have both sides of this most interesting story.

Miss Winstanley was trembling with excitement, and her eyes shone. I could see that she was joyous in her eagerness and anticipation, and I had not till then realized how much she had set her heart on the ridiculous marriage which she and Mrs. Dines had planned for her amiable brother.

"Read it!" she cried, as she thrust the letter at me.

Expecting to read of the bishop, I was dumbfounded at Mrs. Dines' brief lines.

"I shall be in America on the heels of my letter," she wrote. "I am coming to stop the marriage of Edward Ankony and Barbara Hemingray. It must not take place. I shall come to you at once. I sail on the Cambria the 25th."

I looked up at Miss Winstanley, and for a moment we stared at each other. She sat in a low chair in front of me, swinging forward in it, crushing her stiff black skirts in the embrace of her tense little arms.

"Well!" cried she.

"What does she mean?" I exclaimed. "Do you understand?"

"Not at all," she admitted promptly. "That's why I sent for you. This came last night, and I couldn't sleep for thinking of it and trying to make it out. But I can't; so I gave it up and sent for you. You see what possibilities it opens."

They were indeed almost painful in their strength and suggestion.

"One thing is certain," she went on; "Hannah Dines is not the woman to cross the sea to no purpose. She knows what she is about. The moment I had news of Barbara's engagement, I wrote her, knowing that, as an old friend of the family, she would be greatly interested. This is her reply."

"And you have no explanation—does she dislike Ankony?"

"I never heard her mention him. I think she hardly knows him."

"She is fond of Barbara?"

"Oh, immensely so. She must know something—"

"Undoubtedly."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

His Important Service.

One of the greatest nuisances of traveling is tipping. A smile from a head waiter is a costly commodity, and no menial service is too small for remuneration. An unusually ingenious plea for a tip is that of a small Hibernian, mentioned by Mr. John Augustus O'Shea in "Roundabout Recollections." The author was traveling in Ireland.

I drove down to the station on the faint chance of catching the train to Dublin. When I got out of the cab at the station a bright-faced boy accosted me.

"Ah, sure, sir, you've just missed the train," he said.

It was true. I booked my luggage and ascertained when the next train would leave. While I was waiting the lad came up to me and asked me for a tip.

"What for?" I asked.

"Sure, sir. I told you that you were too late," he unblushingly responded.

Belgian Coal Miners.

While coal is mined at a greater depth in Belgium than in most countries, the number of miners killed in accidents is less in that country than in any other. For the ten-year period from 1891 to 1900 the number of fatalities per 10,000 workmen was 16.84 per annum. In the metallic ore mines the number of workmen who have been killed by accident is one-third that in the coal mines.

The Awful Folly of Wars.

Mad wars destroy in one year the work of many years of peace.—Benjamin Franklin.

Dutch Proverb.

One can't shoe a running horse.

BACKACHE IS KIDNEYACHE.

Usually There Are Other Troubles to Prove It.

Pain in the back is pain in the kidneys, in most cases, and it points to the need of a special remedy to remove and cure the congestion or inflammation of the kidneys that is interfering with their work and causing that pain that makes you say: "Oh, my back."

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"Did you send your wife to the sea this year?"

"No. I just bought her a deck chair for the balcony."

The Soft Answer.

At a dinner in Bar Harbor a Boston woman praised the wit of the late Edward Everett Hale.

"Walking on the outskirts of Boston one day," she said, "he and I inadvertently entered a field that had a 'No Trespassing' sign nailed to a tree.

"Soon a farmer appeared.

"'Trespassers in this field are prosecuted,' he said in a grim tone.

"Dr. Hale smiled blandly.

"'But we are not trespassers, my good man,' he said.

"'What are you then?' asked the amazed farmer.

"'We're Unitarians,' said Dr. Hale."—Washington Star.

Prison for Obstreperous Tramps.

Tramps who spend the week-end at Salisbury (England) workhouse are deprived of their clothes on Sundays and are compelled to remain all day in the cells in a shirt provided by the guardians. One tramp named Thomas demanded his clothes, and because he could not get them assaulted the porter and smashed the windows. The Salisbury magistrates sent him to prison for 21 days.

Expensive Silence.

Little four-year-old Alice was lying on the floor whining and crying steadily one afternoon, until, her father's patience exhausted, he called out to her: "Oh, stop, Alice, and I'll give you a penny."

Alice stopped only long enough to answer: "I can't stop for less than a nickel! Boohoo! Boohoo!"

A One-Part Melodrama.

"But you can't have a big scene with only one person in it.'

"Sure I can," said the star. "After a struggle with myself I throw myself over the bridge."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mesdames A. B. Shafer and N. L. Palmer were Garner visitors between trains Saturday.

Rev. Achtermann went to Thompson last Saturday where he preached on Sunday to the German Reformed congregation.

Fred Schmidt, Fred Schwartz and wife and Mrs. Otto Schmidt came up from Oelwein, Iowa, by auto last Saturday to visit at the Schmidt and Medaus homes near Klemme. They returned home Monday.

Mrs. Henry Schroeder arrived in Klemme Tuesday from Chicago to attend the Chas. Schroeder funeral. Henry is taking treatment for inflamatory rheumatism at some Springs near Chicago and was unable to be present.

H. N. Church picked a good day for his sale, the weather last Thursday being fine. The attendance was fairly good. Mr Church has rented the largest portion of his farm, retaining about forty acres for his own use.

Ell Brothers have sold their dray outfit and business to their father Phil Ell and his son Lee, and the firm name hereafter will be styled Ell & Son. We wish the new firm success. Ell Bros. will now give their full attention to their egg and poultry business.

I handle the Ball Band and the Royal Blue rubber goods in the first qualities, and am selling these goods at about the price usually charged for the second quality. Buy your winter supply of footwear for the whole family NOW. Frank Gruetzmacher.

Mrs. George Fuller, of Owasa, Iowa, who has been here the past two weeks visiting at the home of her son, Wm. Fuller, left last Saturday for Buffalo Center for a short visit with relatives. She expects to return to Klemme before going to her home at Owasa.

Four carloads of stock were shipped from this point to the Chicago market last Sunday morning. W. R. Bloem and H C. Lau each shipped a car of hogs and John A. Johnson and Wm. Lau each a car of cattle. The two last named gentlemen and Joe Miller went in with the consignment.

The R. N. A. will hold a basket social on Friday evening, Oct. 29th. at the opera house. Coffee will be served free. The ladies are planning on having some kind of a contest to enliven the occasion and guarantee a pleasant evening for all who attend. Ladies are requested to bring well filled baskets. All are invited.

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German M. E. Church Items

Grandma Schwichtenberg returned last Friday from her visit in Deleware county.

E. H. Bettin has been about laid up with a carbuncle on one knee the last few days.

The Klemme Epworth League will give their temperance program in the Germantown church Sunday evening.

Wm. Sampson spent part of Saturday and Sunday in Germantown, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. A. Gast.

Miss White of Garner, spent a few days in Klemme the first of the week, the guest of Mrs. Geo Gruetzmacher.

John Josten is enjoying this brisk fall weather out in the country. He is helping Emil Bettin with his work.

Wm. Gast, Sr. expects to return to Steamboat Rock this week, and will make his home with his sister at that place this winter

If you are interested in a teachers' training class, come to the church Thursday evening. We have text books in the English and German languages.

Lydia Beier left for Kirksville, Mo., today, where she expects to take a course of treatments. Lydia has been ailing for more than a year. We hope she may find relief.

Mrs. Louis Sampson was called to Buelah, Iowa, last week, to the home of her daughter Esther, now Mrs. Klotzbach. Her husband received the glad tidings from her this week that he is grandpa to a little daughter.

Mrs. Wessel writes from Kirksville Mo., that she expects to be home in about a week. Bertha Bettin's condition was such that she had to go to the hospital for a few weeks and it will be some months before they can even hope to improve her much. Wm. Brandt expects to return home this week Saturday a cured man.

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Miss Anna Griewe was a Garrisitor Saturday.

Geo. Sweely and wife, from nkonda. S D. are visiting at home of Byron Sweely.

John Schroeder, of Lyons, ., arrived here yesterday to end the funeral of his nephew.

Mrs. Lawrence Larsen and ildreu left last Friday for a t with relatives at Mcnona, yton county, Iowa.

Henry Lau and family and andma Lau returned Tuesday m au extended visit with rel es at East Elkport, Iowa.

Mary VanHousen returned Saturday to her home at ar Lake, after a visit here h her sister. Mrs. Albert ller.

If you are in the market for a soline engine, see us about Gade engine before purchas. Wm Schmidt or J. W. tt. 12-5*

Miss Esther Bloom spent Sunat Belmond visiting with s Bessie Ely and with her t. Mrs. J. S. Pritchard. She rned home Monday.

HENRY MANN PASSES AWAY

Word was received in Klemyesterday stating that Henry nn, former editor of this pa, had died that morning at pena, Mich., after an operan for gall stones and an ab ss on the liver This comes a sad surprise to Henry's ends here. We have heard further particulars.

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PAY UP—Those owing the undersigned are asked to settle AT ONCE and save trouble and costs. H. Lau & Son.

The George Christie farm at Butterfield Grove southwest of here has been purchased by Harry Sandry, the deal being made through G. W. Kluckhohn.

The Epworth League of the German M. E. church is planning on giving an entertainment in the opera house about the middle of November. Particulars later.

C. P. Ell and wife were called to Thornton last Saturday on account of the death of Mrs Ell's sister, Miss Ada Sweely, who died following an operation for appendicitis. The funeral was held Monday. Byron Sweely and wife were also over to attend the funeral.

THE GRIM REAPER CALLS TWO RESPECTED CITIZENS

CHARLEY SCHROEDER

After several weeks of intense suffering, Charley Schroeder passed to the Great Beyond last Sunday evening, October 17th, at about half past six o'clock—aged 32 years, 8 months and 18 days. The cause of death was lost compensation of the heart and complications.

Carl Herman Christof Schroeder was born in Barnstedt, Westphalia, Germany, on January 29th, 1877. In 1883, when he was six years old, his parents emigrated to America, and first settled at Itzen, Minnesota, and here Carl received his education, was confirmed, and grew to manhood. In 1896 the Schroeder family moved to Klemme, Iowa, where they engaged in business

Carl was united in marriage to Miss Lena Barz on October 8th, 1902. To this union one child, a daughter, was born. Carl farmed in this vicinity for six years, and until last spring, when he had to give up farming because of ill health. He then moved to Garner where he engaged in the butcher business with his father. His health failed so rapidly, however, that he was compelled to quit work entirely.

About two months ago he went to Chicago to take treatment in a hospital, but was only able to obtain temporary relief. About three weeks ago he returned to Klemme where he remained at the H. C. Lau home up to the time of his death. Here loving hands ministered to his every want until the end.

Deceased leaves a loving wife, a three-year-old daughter, a mother and father, one sister and one brother, besides other relatives and many friends, to mourn his early demise. The funeral was held yesterday at one o'clock from the German Reformed church, Rev. Achterman conducting the last sad rites. Interment was made in the Klemme cemetery.

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved ones in their affliction.

AUGUST WENZ

August Wenz was born May 26, 1862, near Elkport, Clayton county, Iowa. When a boy about twelve years of age his parents moved to Hancock county where he spent his youthful days on the farm. His education having been neglected in the proper time, he started to college when most men think it is too late, but he succeeded. The greater part of seven years was spent seeking after knowledge. As he had to make his own way, he did janitor work during the school months and his vacations he spent at the carpenter trade. His honesty, straightforwardness and unselfishness endeared him to all the students, and seemingly, everyone knew and remembers August Wenz.

Some eight years ago he returned to Klemme as an employe of E. L. Schaub. When the latter sold his business to Arthur Wellemeyer he remained with the new firm. In this business relation August again made many friends and was a favorite with the farmers especially. He was always to be found at his place of duty from early morning till late at night. The close confinement undoubtedly had much to do with the breaking down of his health. Since early spring he was ailing, but went on with his work till the fore part of July. He then set out to take a vacation and hoped in a short time to regain his health. He spent several weeks in Charles City, the guest of Rev. Henke and family, took in the Chautauqua and placed himself under a physician's care. He had planned to return to Klemme, but feeling worse, he went to the home of a sister, Mrs. W. Wright of Britt, who most tenderly cared for him to the end. His condition was in no wise considered alarming. Only a few days before his death he had planned with Rev. Wessel to have him take him to some hospital where he might receive treatment for his stomach trouble. Not until last Wednesday did he seem to realize his true condition. Then he asked his sister if she knew how one felt when death came on, and a little later he remarked that his hands felt so numb. When his sister tried to open his watch but could not, he said, "Let me show you how to open it," but as he took the watch he could not tell which was the front side. This seemed to astonish him and he said, "Everything looks so different to me in the room." When the doctor stepped into the room towards evening, his first remark was, "Doctor, I am dying." Slowly his strength gave way and at about 10 o'clock Wednesday evening he peacefully fell asleep to wake no more.

On Friday his remains were brought to Klemme and the funeral services were held on Saturday forenoon from the German M. E. church. Long before the appointed time the church was packed and many failed to get in. For ten miles around people had come in to attend the services. Every place of business was closed and nearly every family in town was represented at the services. Elmer Arnold, Aug. Schuldt, Leonard Sampson, Emil Beier, Roy Schaefer and Herm Gast acted as pallbearers, and Edgar Zinn and Frank Wenck as honorary pallbearers.

The floral offerings were very beautiful. The Sunday School furnished a pillow with the inscription: "Our S. S Superintendent." The business men contributed a "Broken Wheel." Rev. Henke and wife of Charles City an Anchor, Arthur Wellemeyer a variety of roses and carnations, and Mr. and Mrs. Henschen of Garner, a wreath.

Besides a host of admiring friends, deceased leaves to mourn his loss, an aged father, two brothers and two sisters.

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TO IMPROVE RIVER

Waterways Conference Delegates to Work for Iowa.

MILLER GOES TO NEW ORLEANS

Prof. Stevenson and Senator Frudden Also Delegates to the Lakes-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterway Association Meeting.

Des Moines, Oct. 16.—At the regular meeting of the East Des Moines Commercial league, A. C. Miller was appointed delegate of the association to the annual convention of the Lakes-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterways association to be held in New Orleans October 30 and November 1 and 2. Mr. Miller, as chairman of the Iowa State waterways and conservation commission, had earlier in the day appointed Prof. W. H. Stevenson, instructor of drainage and waterways subjects in the state agricultural college and Senator A. F. Frudden of Dubuque as the Iowa delegates to the convention. All three men are members of the state commission and are thoroughly interested in the project to open up a navigable stream from the great lakes to the gulf.

But the special object of Mr. Miller and his associates will be to obtain a recognition of the Des Moines river as a part of the upper Mississippi river project. They will do their best to have this stream included in the scheme of improvements which is planned.

"Many years ago," said Mr. Miller, "the Des Moines river was covered with all sorts of craft doing an immense business in carrying freight. With proper care and scientific endeavor this traffic could be restored and the city would take its place as one of the greatest shipping centers of the northwest.

"As fast as laws governing freight rates on the railroads are made a way is found by the shrewd lawyers to evade them. Were the Des Moines river opened to navigation such a formidable competition would be afforded that the officials of the roads could no longer ignore the demands that their rates be lowered.

"Every year in this city there is a time when the railroads become congested and the shippers are made to suffer for carelessness. Such a time is now on us. Were the river opened much of the business would be taken out of the hands of the railroads and the congestion would be relieved. Therefore the whole city should get behind this movement."

Postal Inspector Discusses Duties.

People who lead double lives—those who are possessed of dual personalities—generally have two postoffice boxes and receive their mail under two names.

The white slave traffic would not be so great if parents would prevent postmasters from giving out mail to young girls at general delivery windows.

These are a few of the facts which came out in the address of Postoffice Inspector Robert B. Mundel before the annual meeting of the first, second and third class postmasters of Iowa in the county building at Des Moines.

Inspector Mundel, whose chief business is the inspection of registered mail, was a member of the committee of the postoffice department staff which drew up the new laws regarding registered mail. His address was one of the most instructive talks ever delivered before the postmasters of Iowa.

"When you know anyone named Smith and he has two boxes and receives mail under his own name and the name of Jones, report the case to the third assistant postmaster general," said Inspector Mundel. "In many cases these persons are practicing frauds and it pays to have an investigation. However, in most cases it has developed that these people are living double lives and have a box for each life."

Convention Comes to Des Moines.

The 1910 Iowa State Convention of the Court of Honor has been secured for Des Moines. It will be held the first week in February. A great campaign for a class of 1,000 for initiation at that time is now on in full force. Frank Johnson has been appoitned city manager.

State Library's Books.

State Librarian Brigham has placed orders for new books for the state library costing about $900. They include a large collection of current literature and several works of a more permanent nature, which are purchased for reference purposes only.

Trashy Reading Cause of Crime.

"Many of the criminals of the world today come to lead their lives of lawlessness, of shame and of ferocity, because in their younger days, they were given no opportunity to read the better books by the master minds, but instead had thrust under their noses the vicious trash, bound in paper and printed on the coarsest fiber."

This was the lament uttered by J. F. Newton of Cedar Rapids, in addressing the members of the librarians' convention in session at the public library of Des Moines. He was speaking on the influence which books have upon the lives of people.

"On the other hand," continued Mr. Newton, "cases abound all down the ages of young men and women, reared in an atmosphere of crime and of vice, who have been lifted above the limits of their environment by the chance picking up of some volume containing the magic words which delivered a message of truth."

With the passion of honest conviction ringing in his voice, he said that the works of Emerson, of Browning and others of the greater writers had furnished the inspiration for many a noble life.

Twelve New Attorneys.

Twelve applicants for certificates admitting them to the bar and to the practice of law were successful, according to the announcement made by the state board of law examiners. The names of the twelve successful applicants are Agnes Te Paske of Sioux Center, E. B. Mount of Des Moines, H. R. Mosnat of Belle Plaine, Edward A. Schmidt of Oskaloosa, L. A. McIntosh of Iowa City, George Durward Long of Lyons, Frank M. Beatty of Sigourney, Thomas A. E. Lally of Denison, Sylvan L. Olson of Forest City, Arthur J. Palas of Des Moines, John Scott Hamilton of Fort Madison, Clyde C. Coyle of Humboldt.

Fairs Get More Money.

Each of ten Iowa fairs will receive nearly $300 more from the state this year than formerly, under the new law increasing their appropriation. As amended the law extends the limit of the amount of state aid that can be extended the county fairs from $200 to $300. They are paid 40 per cent of their premium list up to $500 and ten per cent of the total premiums if they are over $500. All but two of the ten fairs receiving state aid were given increased appropriations this year as a result of the new law, the total increase being $297.38. The total amount paid to all of them was $2,200.94.

Would Have Courts Rule.

Whether a county superintendent has the power to prevent school boards from employing teachers without state certificates is a question which State Superintendent Riggs would like to have decided by the courts. He received a letter from a county superintendent who wants to know what he can do to compel the directors in one of his districts to hire a teacher who has a certificate. The state superintendent is vested with power to compel school boards to employ only licensed teachers.

Benefit for Mrs. Delmege.

The benefit for Mrs. Frank Delmege and children at the Empire theatre was a huge success, the house being packed. Vocal and instrumental numbers proved highly entertaining to the audience, who had come to pay tribute to the memory of Des Moines' beloved city detective who fell trying to enforce the law. From a financial standpoint the benefit proved all that its promoters had hoped, as almost $3,000 was realized, which will be turned over to Mrs. Delmege.

Widow of Wreck Victim Gets Money.

Mrs. Alice McCourty, widow of the late Peter S. McCourty, the street car motorman, who was killed in the collision between his car and an interurban train, has received a check for $3,500 in settlement for the damage suit which she was about to file against the companies. The interurban company paid one-half of the amount and the street car company the other.

Railroad Making Money.

The annual report of the Manchester & Oneida Railroad company, filed with the state railroad commission, shows that in the year ending June 30,1909, no passenger was killed or injured. The operating revenues of the company were $22,437.96, and the expenses were $13,382.63, leaving a net revenue of $9,055.33.

Lenora Owens Weds in Secret.

Quietly slipping away to Chicago, ostensibly for a visit, Miss Lenora Owens of 935 Fourth street was married there to Charles C. Brantingham of Washington, D. C.

Postal Receipts Show Big Gain.

Des Moines postal receipts for September, 1909, were $58,412.49, an increase of $3,045.58 over the same month last year. This is a gain of 5.5 per cent.

PAYNE FOUND DEAD

Federal Land Office Registrar Turned On Gas and Died.

LAST SEEN ALIVE WEDNESDAY

Deceased Had Lived in Des Moines For Many Years and Had Been Prominent as Expert Accountant.

Des Moines, Oct. 16.—J. J. Payne, aged 70, well known resident of Des Moines, and federal land registrar, was found dead in the house at 827 Seventh street, where he has lived alone for a year or more with every indication pointing to a suicide as the cause of death. The body was in a state of semi-decomposition which indicated that life had been extinct at least two days. Payne was last seen alive Wednesday afternoon.

A. G. Loring, a man connected with Mr. Payne in business dealings, became alarmed at his continued absence. With A. M. Foster, a neighbor, the two men burst into the house and made the ghastly find when they entered the kitchen. The dead man had evidently made preparations for his death, as a number of cushions and some bed clothing were formed into a bed where the body lay.

The gas stove near-by had two burners wide open, but as the meter is a prepaid meter the gas had run out, and there was but little gas in the room.

Since his wife died about a year ago Payne has lived alone, practically isolated from human fellowship, in the great house. Neighbors say that since the day of his wife's funeral he has been a changed man. From a once strong man enjoying life and looking forward to each new day with hope he became a reticent, secretive person who seldom stirred from his house except to attend to his duties as land registrar.

He employed no servants in his house, but did his own cooking and performed the various household duties.

Mr. Payne was at one time an expert accountant and bookkeeper, and during one of the city campaigns under the old administration made an effort to secure the appointment as city clerk under the old soldiers' preference law.

Mr. Payne was the father of Mrs. Edith Payne-Parsons. She left the city some time ago, and it is understood that she took up her residence on the Pacific coast.

BOOST FOR IOWA CARRIERS

Many Mail Carriers of the State Given Advance in Salary by Uncle Sam.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 16.—Increases of salary have been granted Iowa letter carriers as follows: Algona, Martin J. McCall, Walter S. Reed and Arthur A. Smith, $600 to $900; Ames, Edwin L. Ellis, Elmer A. Greenlee and William A. Beser, $800 to $900; Davenport, Conrad M. Heescher, $900 to $1,000; Dubuque, David A. Putman and Herbert T. Weller, $800 to $900; Marshalltown, George A. Gregory, $600 to $800; Shenandoah, William G. Rubey, $900 to $1,000; Sioux City, A. W. W. Johnson, $900 to $1,000; Reginald P. Young, $800 to $900; Webster City, F. M. Doty, $900 to $1,000.

Additional carriers have been appointed for Iowa cities as follows: Council Bluffs, Marion R. Butes and Clarence E. Weaver, $600; Ottumwa, Carl E. Collings and Oliver O. Rogers, $600. Additional substitute carriers appointed are: Anamosa, John R. Fagon; Spencer, David F. Paulson.

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New Clue in Murrow Case.

Des Moines, Oct. 16—The Polk county grand jury has received new clues in the Charles E. Murrow murder mystery. This developed yesterday when the jury failed to make a report in the case, though it had examined all the witnesses who were before the coroner's jury and all the witnesses whom the officers have thus far found to know anything of the case. Just what the new clues point to or of what importance they are, and whether they change the whole phase of the case is not known, but it is certain that the grand jurors will resume investigations into the tragedy Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock and the brand new evidence will be submitted then.

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(Entered according to Act of Congress, in the year 1909, by the Peary Arctic club, in the office of the Librarian of Congress, at Washington, D. C.)

New York, Oct. 12.—The following statement of Commander Robert E. Peary, which he submitted to the Peary Arctic club in support of his contention that Dr. Cook did not reach the north pole, is now made public for the first time. The statement has been copyrighted by the Peary Arctic club.

INTRODUCTION BY PEARY.

Some of my reasons for saying that Dr. Cook did not go to the north pole will be understood by those who read the following statements of the two Eskimo boys who went with him, and who told me and others of my party where he did go. Several Eskimos who started with Dr. Cook from Anoratok in February, 1908, were at Etah when I arrived there in August, 1908. They told me that Dr. Cook had with him, after they left, two Eskimo boys, or young men, two sledges and some twenty dogs. The boys were I-took-a-shoo and Ah-pe-lah. I had known them from their childhood One was about eighteen and the other about nineteen years of age.

On my return from Cape Sheridan and at the very first settlement I touched (Nerke, near Cape Chalon) in August, 1909, and nine days before reaching Etah, the Eskimos told me, in a general way, where Dr. Cook had been; that he had wintered in Jones Sound, and that he had told the white men at Etah that he had been a long way north, but that the boys who were with him, I-took-a-shoo and Ah-pe-lah, said that this was not so. The Eskimos laughed at Dr. Cook's story. On reaching Etah, I talked with the Eskimos there and with the two boys and asked them to describe Dr. Cook's journey to members of my party and myself. This they did in the manner stated below.

(Signed) R. E. PEARY.

Signed Statement of Peary, Bartlett, McMillan, Borup and Henson, in Regard to Testimony of Cook's Two Eskimo Boys.

The two Eskimo boys, I-took-a-shoo and Ah-pe-lah, who accompanied Dr. Cook while he was away from Anoratok in 1908 and 1909, were questioned separately and independently, and were corroborated by Panikpah, the father of one of them (I-took-a-shoo), who was personally familiar with the first third and the last third of their journey, and who said that the route for the remaining third, as shown by them, was as described to him by his son after his return with Dr. Cook.

The narrative of these Eskimos is as follows:

They, with Dr. Cook, Francke and nine other Eskimos, left Anoratok, crossed Smith's Sound to Cape Sabine, slept in Commander Peary's old house in Payer Harbor, then went through Nice strait to Buchanan bay. After a few marches Francke and three Eskimos returned to Anoratok.

Dr. Cook, with the others, then proceeded up Flagler bay, a branch of Buchanan bay, and crossed Ellesmere Land through the valley pass at the head of Flagler bay, indicated by Commander Peary in 1898, and utilized by Sverdrup in 1899, to the head of Sverdrup's "Bay Fiord" on the west side of Ellesmere Land.

Their route then lay out through this fiord, thence north through Sverdrup's "Heuerka Sound" and Nansen strait.

On their way they killed musk oxen and bear, and made caches, arriving eventually at a point on the west side of Nansen strait (shore of Axel Heiberg Land of Sverdrup), south of Cape Thomas Hubbard.

A cache was formed here and the four Eskimos did not go beyond this point. Two others, Koolootingwah and Inughito, went on one more march with Dr. Cook and the two boys, helped to build the snow igloo then returned without sleeping.

After being informed of the boys' narrative thus far, Commander Peary suggested a series of questions to be put to the boys in regard to this trip from the land out and back to it.

These questions and answers were as follows:

Did they cross many open lands or much open water during this time? Ans. None.

Did they make any caches out on the ice? Ans. No.

Did they kill any bear or seal while out on the ice north of Cape Thomas Hubbard? Ans. No.

Did they kill or lose any of their dogs while out on the ice? Ans. No.

With how many sledges did they start? Ans. Two.

How many dogs did they have? Ans. Do not remember exactly, but something over twenty.

How many sledges did they have when they got back to land? Ans. Two.

Did they have any provisions left on their sledges when they came back to land? Ans. Yes; the sledges still had about all they could carry, so they were able to take but a few things from the cache.

From here they went southwest along the northwest coast of Heiberg Land to a point indicated on the map (Sverdrup's Cape Northwest).

From here they went west across the ice, which was level and covered with snow, offering good going, to a low island which they had seen from the shore of Heiberg Land at Cape Northwest. On this island they camped for one sleep.

From this island they could see two lands beyond (Sverdrup's Ellef Ringnes and Amund Ringnes Lands). From the island they journeyed toward the left-hand one of these two lands (Amund Ringes Land), passing a small island which they did not visit.

The answers of the Eskimo boys to Commander Peary's series of independent questions, showing that they killed no game, made no caches, lost no dogs, and returned to the land with loaded sledges, makes their attainment of the pole on the trip north of Cape Thomas Hubbard a physical and mathematical impossibility, as it would demand the subsistence of three men and over twenty dogs during a journey of ten hundred and forty geographical miles on less than two sledge loads of supplies

If it is suggested that perhaps Dr. Cook got mixed and that he reached the pole, or thought he did, between the time of leaving the northwest coast of Heiberg Land at Cape Northwest, and his arrival at Ringnes Land, where they killed the deer, we must then add to the date of Dr. Cook's letter of March 17th, at or near Cape Thomas Hubbard, the subsequent four or five sleeps at that point, and the number of days required to march from Cape Thomas Hubbard to Cape Northwest (a distance of some sixty nautical miles), which would advance his date of departure from the land to at least the 25th of March, and be prepared to accept the claim that Dr. Cook went from Cape Northwest (about latitude eighty and a half degrees north) to the pole, a distance of five hundred and seventy geographical miles, in twenty-seven days.

After killing the deer they then traveled south along the east side of Ringnes Land to the point indicated on the chart, where they killed another deer.

They then went east across the south part of Crown Prince Gustav sea to the south end of Heiberg Land, then down through Norwegian bay, where they secured some bears, but not until after they had killed some of their dogs, to the east side of Graham Island; then eastward to the little bay marked "Eid's Fiord" on Sverdrup's chart; then southwest to Hell's Gate and Simmon's peninsula.

Here for the first time during the entire journey, except as already noted off Cape Thomas H. Hubbard, they encountered open water. On this point the boys were clear, emphatic, and unshakable. They spent a good deal of time in this region, and finally abandoned their dogs and one sledge, took to their boat, crossed Hell's Gate to North Kent, up into Norfolk Inlet, then back along the north coast of Colin Archer Peninsula to Cape Vera, where they obtained fresh eider duck eggs. Here they cut the remaining sledge off, that is shortened it, as it was awkward to transport with the boat, and near here they killed a walrus.

From Cape Vera they went on down into the southwest angle of Jones Sound, where they killed a seal; thence east along the south coast of the sound, killing three bears at the point noted on the map, to the peninsula known as Cape Sparbo on the map, about midway on the south side of Jones Sound. Here they killed some musk-oxen and, continuing east, killed four more at the place indicated on the chart, and were finally stopped by the pack ice at the mouth of Jones Sound. From here they turned back to Cape Sparbo, where they wintered and killed many musk-oxen.

After the sun returned in 1909 they started, pushing their sledge, across Jones Sound to Cape Tennyson; thence along the coast to Clarence Head; (passing inside of two small islands not shown on the chart, but drawn on it by the boys), where they killed a bear; thence across the broad bight in the coast to Cadogan Fiord; thence around Cape Isabella and up to Commander Peary's old house in Payer Harbor near Cape Sabine, where they found a seal cached for them by Panikpah, I-took-a-shoo's father. From here they crossed Smith Sound on the ice, arriving at Anoratok.

(Signed) R. E. PEARY, U. S. N.
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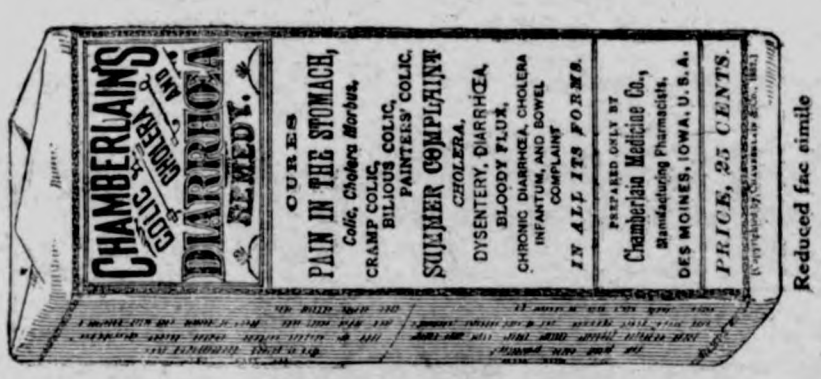

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JOHN SUURBALLE,
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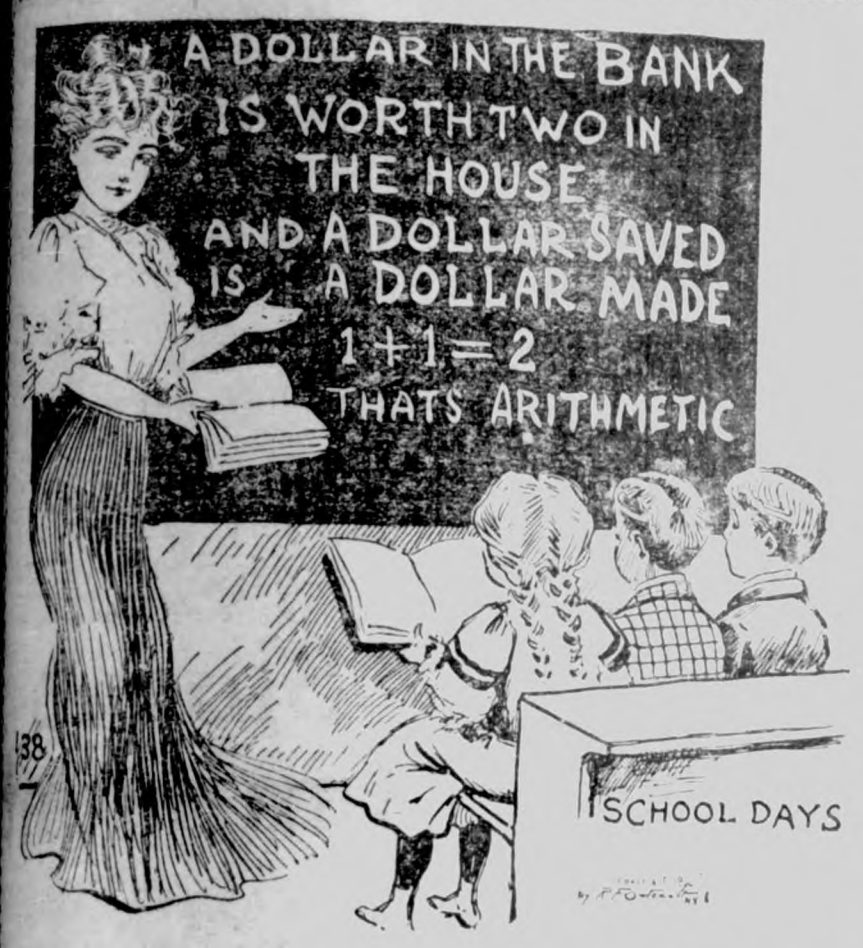

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Seeing France with Uncle John

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Paris.

Dearest Mamma: Well, we are arrived! It is Paris at last! But I thought we should surely die in transit. I don't know what uncle would have said if he had known that Lee was in Rouen; he was dreadfully upset over Mrs. Braytree's telling him that she saw Lee in Havre.

We arrived last night, and the only drawback is that Mrs. Clary isn't here. She left a note, and M. Sibilet's wife is his mother, and has a place out at Neuilly, and they were invited there for three days. She will be back tomorrow, and she left word for us to go straight to the Bon Marche and look at the white suits; so we did so. We told uncle it was all right for us to go alone, and he had just gotten his mail, so he only said "Hum!" and we went. Just as we were taking the cab, who should we see but Mr. Chopstone. It was so lovely to see him again, and he got into the cab and went with us. We went to the Bon Marche, but it wasn't much fun with a man, so we came out after a little, and he proposed taking the subway and going to the Trocadero. Just then we met a man that Mr. Chopstone knew, and he had red hair and eye-glasses. Mr. Chopstone introduced him, and invited him to go along; but he said it was no use, because it was the wrong day and we couldn't get in when we got there. By this time we were down in the subway, and Mr. Chopstone suggested that we go to the Bois, so as not to have to go back up the stairs again. While we were talking the train came and went in a terrible hurry, and we got aboard in between. After we were off we found that Mr. Chopstone wasn't on. We didn't know what to do, because, of course, it was he that we knew, and not the red-haired man. The red-haired man said he would do whatever we pleased, and Edna thought we had better get right off; but I thought we ought to go right on. We didn't know what to do, and so we kept on to the Bois.

"She Took Hold of Our Hands as if She's Been Our Long-lost Mother for Years."

The Bois was just lovely—all automobiles and babies; and who do you think we met? Betty Burleigh. We were so surprised, for I thought she was in California for her lungs; but it seems that she's been in Dresden for her music all winter, and now she's here for her clothes. She was with an elderly French lady, and I don't think that the elderly French lady liked to have her stop and talk to us. I thought at first that perhaps it wasn't proper on account of the red-haired man, but in a second I saw the real reason. Betty glanced around and said, "Oh, madam, ou est Fakir?" Whereupon the elderly French lady looked absolutely terrified and tore madly off. We had quite a long talk before she came back with the most awful little black dog, which they evidently had no string to. She put him down and began to look displeased again, and Betty just glanced about and said calmly, "Oh, madam, ou es Fakir?" He had absolutely vanished again, and the elderly French lady sort of threw up her eyes and rushed wildly away. The red-haired man said, "Why don't you buy a chain for him?" Betty shrugged the Frenchiest kind of a shrug and said, "I don't have to chase him." The red-haired man said, "I should think she would buy the chain then!" and Betty shrugged a much Frenchier shrug, and said: "I wouldn't allow it. While she is running after him I can do as I please." The red-haired man laughed. Poor madame came panting up with the creature just then, and Betty said sweetly, "Laissez-lui courir," so she had to put him down; but I could see that she meant to keep a sharp eye on him. Betty wanted us all to come to the Palais and lunch with her; but of course we refused, because you wouldn't have liked it, and, anyway, we had to go back to uncle. She wanted the red-haired man to stay, any how, and was quite put out when he declined. Just then two men in an automobile came up and asked her to go and see the balloon ascension. They didn't invite the elderly French lady, and she protested about "comme il faut"—but Betty said, "Ou est Fakir?" and, if you'll believe me, that little beast was gone again, and poor madame dashed off in pursuit. Betty made short work of bidding us good-by then, and at once got into the automobile, and was off.

We came slowly along back with the red-haired man, and at the Arc de Triomphe we ran into Mr. Chopstone. It seems he went a station too far because he met some people he knew in the car behind us, and he says we must all go to the Chatelet with him to-night to make up. He said "uncle, too," so we accepted. Then we took a cab and came back to the hotel, where we found our beloved relative with his feet on the center-table, reading the Paris Herald. He looked over the top at us and announced that he'd "done the Louvre." I think we must have looked startled, for he went on to say at once that he knew that it was something that had got to be done, and that he shouldn't enjoy, and so he had thought it best to go at it the first thing on the first morning and get it off his mind at once.

We had to go to lunch, and uncle doesn't like the food very much; he says it strikes him as "flummery," and he is really very much vexed over Mrs. Clary's being at Neuilly. Edna is vexed because Harry is there, too, and I'm very much vexed indeed because she thoughtlessly gave uncle the letter at lunch, and when he read about Monsieur Sibilet's wife being his mother he was more put out than ever. He said we could look out for ourselves this afternoon, as he had to go to the bank. Edna suggested that we go to the Louvre, and he said yes, that would be wise, because then we would all be free to enjoy ourselves. Uncle speaks of the Louvre exactly as if it were the semi-annual siege at the dentist's. But he was kind enough to offer to leave us there on his way to the bank, and when we took the cab, he arranged with the cabman and the hotel-porter exactly what the fare was to be, and held it in his hand the whole way.

Edna and I were mighty glad to get to the Louvre without uncle, especially with the way he feels to-day, and we were wandering along in a speechless sort of ecstasy when all of a sudden I heard some one calling my name. I whirled around, and if it wasn't Mrs. Merrilegs, in a state of collapse on one of the red-velvet benches. We went to her, and she took hold of our hands as if she'd been our long-lost mother for years. She looked very white and tired and almost ready to faint, and we sat down on each side of her in real sincere sympathy, and she held our hands and told us how it was. It seems that they left home the last of last month, and they've been all through the British Isles, Denmark, Holland, and Belgium, and they are going to finish Europe and be home the first of next month. She could hardly speak for tears. She says Mr. Merrilegs made out the itinerary before they sailed and that they have lived up to it every day except just one, when he ate some lobster crossing the Irish sea, and they lost a day that night. She says they drive a great deal, because they can hardly walk any more, and that she doesn't believe that there will be a museum or palace in Europe that they won't be able to say that they have driven by when they go home. She said they had come to the Louvre to see what pictures they wanted for their new house, and that they never meant to take more than 20 minutes for the selection, and that they had been there an hour already. She felt badly because the itinerary had them visit Notre Dame, the Eiffel tower as high as the elevator goes, and Versailles this afternoon. She said they wanted to try and call on the American consul, too, to ask about a masseur. She said Mr. Merrilegs said he thought if they could get hold of a good masseur and keep him right with them that they could manage to rub through to the end.

Edna and I felt dreadfully sorry for her; but there did not seem to be anything to do except look sad, and we did that as heartily as we knew how until in a minute or two Mr. Merrilegs hove in sight with a funny little Frenchman dancing round and round him. Mr. Merrilegs looked almost as exhausted as his wife, and called Edna by my name and me by hers. His wife asked him if he had ordered the pictures, and he said: "No; I haven't any more time to waste here. I've given Claretie the paper with the sizes of the spaces marked on it, an he's to go through and measure till he finds a famous picture to match each space." Mrs. Merrilegs sort of nodded faintly and said: "But we don't want any martyrs in the dining-room, you know," and her husband said, "Yes, yes, he understands; and he says he'll find a Susanna to fit your bath, too." Mrs. Merrilegs stood up then with a very audible groan, and they both shook hands with us in a way that quite wrung our hearts. Then they limped away with the little Frenchman spinning gaily about them, and we went on alone.

In the very next room we met Mr. Chopstone. He was awfully glad to see us, and said, with our permission, he'd join us; but as he seemed joined anyway, we didn't even dream of refusing. He asked if we'd told uncle about the Chatelet, and then we remembered that we had forgotten. He said he was so glad, because he couldn't get any seats except baig noirs, and they looked queer, because no one can see you. He asked if we would like to go to the opera instead, and we were just discussing it when we turned a corner and ran right on to Betty Burleigh and the red-haired man. His name is Potter, and, did you ever! They looked so upset that it can't have been an accident, their being together. But how coud they have arranged it? If they didn't arrange it, why did they look upset? Betty had on a bright green cloth dress and a violet hat, and the red-haired man heightened the general effect so much that we moved on as quickly as possible. Mr. Chopstone said very roundly: "You'd better fight shy of her, I think," and Edna said dryly: "Of him, too, don't you think?" I waited a minute, and then I said it seemed droll to think that if we were all English, we'd be pleased to call poor Betty a typical American.

We came home when the Louvre closed and found uncle back with his feet on the center-table. He had had a big fire built, for he said it gave him chills to look at the nymph over his bed. He had put in a true Merrilegian afternoon, having been to the Palais de Justice, Sainte-Chapelle, Notre Dame, and driven by the Hotel de Ville and around the Opera house—"completely around." He says there won't be a thing left for him to look at by Monday. He says if he was pressed for time he'd hire a cab for one whole day and lump the business; but that, seeing that we have the time, it really doesn't seem necessary.

Mrs. Clary will be back to-morrow and we're very glad, for uncle is awful peppery and tartary, and says "Hum!" when we least expect it. Edna sent Mr. Chopstone a petit-bleu, asking him please not to ask us to go anywhere to-night. Mr. Edgar sent me some violets, but I had time to give them to the chambermaid before uncle came in. It doesn't seem possible that uncle could really care for Mrs Clary; but he's so cross if she talks to any one else that I almost wonder if he doesn't.

We talk Italy and mark Brittany every chance we get, but uncle says "Hum!" to Italy the same as he does to everything else these days. I'm sure I don't see what we'll do if he takes the rest of Europe as hard as he does this much. But of course I don't mean that we're not having a lovely time, and we never forget for a minute how kind he was to bring us.

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orty-Third Annual Session Will Be Big Affair.

T DES MOINES, NOVEMBER 10

The Program as Announced Indicates One of the Biggest Conventions in History of Des Moines Next Month.

Des Moines, Oct. 23.—The program r the forty-third annual session of e National Grange, Patrons of Hus-ndry, which will be held in Des oines, beginning Wednesday, No-mber 10, has been announced. It still incomplete in many respects all the speakers have not been se-ured. Headquarters will be at the avery and the meetings at the Audi-rium, the convention being expected bring about 1,200 people here. The llowing is the program so far as mpleted:

Wednesday, November 10.

Session convenes at 11 o'clock, op- the Sixth Degree. Roll call and port of committee on credentials. National master's address. Reports of officers and executive mmittee.

Reports of state masters.

Thursday, November 11.

Farmers' meeting open to the rld. Sessions morning, afternoon d evening. Addresses upon the fol-wing subjects may be expected: The Great State of Iowa, the De-rtment of Agriculture at Washing-n, the National Grange, what it has ccomplished, the Agricultural Col-ges of Iowa and adjoining states ill be represented in their work. Congress of the United States: The riff, Taxation, Good Roads, Par-ls Post and Postal Savings Banks. The fruit growers of California, co-eration in Michigan in the purchase farm supplies, the social life in ral sections, the corn growers of wa.

It gives the committee great pleas-re to announce that the Right Hon. r Horace Plunkett of Ireland will e present and tell of the great co-erative movement in Ireland.

Friday, November 12.

West View Grange of Eldridge, wa, Adolph P. Arp, master, will ex-mplify the first and second degrees uring the morning session. The af-rnoon and evening will be the con-rring of the sixth and seventh de-rees.

Saturday, November 13.

During the morning session mem-ers from the Brookings County ranges, South Dakota, will exempli-y the third and fourth degrees. The ening will be devoted to a meeting the Priests of Dameter.

Sunday, November 14.

A memorial service.

Monday, November 15.

nd the following days will be de-oted to the usual business of the ession.

An invitation to visit the State Ag-icultural college at Ames has been eceived.

At this session is the biennial elec-on of officers and one member of e executive committee.

Telephone War to Continue.

Whipped in their first attempt to revent the lease of the Mutual Tele-hone company to the Iowa Tele-hone company, the minority stock-olders of the Mutual company are ot yet out of the fight. They have ecided to carry the case up to a nal hearing on their application to ave the lease set aside as illegal. hen Judge McHenry ruled against em and refused to issue a tempo-ary injunction stopping the propos-d transfer of the Mutual to the Iowa ompany, it was generally believed e telephone fight had ended. But e fighting minority say not.

Damage Costs $15,000.

In his official report of the damage one by the recent storm which truck Shiloh battlefield, Cornelius adle, chairman of the Shiloh Nat-nal Military Park commission, esti-ates the cost of restoring the Iowa onument at $15,000. A copy of his eport has been received by Governor arroll. In regard to the monument, r. Cadle says two tons of the upper ronze work is destroyed, as is the gure "Peace" at the base. The die ed inscriptions remain intact, ac-ording to the report.

Lutheran Synod Elect Officers.

Rev. H. M. Leech, of Dubuque, was lected president of the Iowa Luth-ran synod. Other officers were elect-d as follows: Secretary, Rev. W. uther Bright, Fairfield; treasurer, . H. Bailey, Iowa City; statistician, . W. Snyder, Council Bluffs. The tiring president, Rev. J. A. McCul-ch, recommended that a laymen's ovement be started in connection ith the English speaking Lutheran hurches of the state to hold annual onvention with the synod.

Express Company Must File Report.

An attempt on the part of the Wells-Fargo Express company to avoid filing with the Iowa railroad commission a report of its receipts in this state has been blocked by the commissioners. When the company filed its annual report the statement of receipts and expenditures in Iowa was omitted, it being explained that orders of the interstate commerce commission prevented the company from keeping such a record. Secretary Lewis immediately wrote H. C. Adams, in charge of statistics and accounts for the interstate commission asking whether such a rule had been made. Mr. Adams' reply, just received, shows that on the contrary the rules of the board specifically direct railroad and express companies to divide their statements by states, when necessary. Secretary Lewis wrote to the company for the desired figures, sending a copy of the ruling, quoted by Mr. Adams.

Women's Plea Is Not Guilty.

Mrs. Laura McConkey and her mother, Mrs. Jennie Polk-Bain, were arraigned in district court before Judge McHenry and pleaded not guilty to the charge of abduction, furnished bond, and were released from the county jail. Mrs. McConkey is the mother of Marguerite the 3-year-old foster daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John McD. Horne, whom the women kidnaped from the Horne home early last August.

Flays Society Women.

Mrs. A. B. Sims, winner of the national whist trophy and a reformed society card player who has been heard before church and Chautauqua audiences, speaking on the evils of the card game, is preparing a new lecture which will take up the immoderate drinking of wine by the society women of today. She will flay the modern society woman who serves cocktails and high balls at her afternoon teas.

Sees Brother First Time in Years.

Tacitus Hussey, pioneer of Iowa, at the Home for the Aged, saw his brother, Richard Taylor Hussey, of Colorado, for the first time in fifty-two years. The brothers parted when they were stalwart young men at their old homestead near Terre Haute, Ind. Tacitus came west to Iowa, while Richard remained at home for awhile and then went to Colorado.

State to Fight Cholera.

Dr. P. O. Koto, state veterinarian, will soon be turning out hog cholera serum for the use of the farmers of Iowa. A 114-acre farm north of the old sanitarium, near the fair grounds, has been leased by the state and on it Dr. Koto will establish his plant for the manufacture of cholera serum. The legislature last winter appropriated $8,000 to carry on this work.

Trimble Reward Is Divided.

Governor Carroll has rendered his decision in the division of the reward offered by the state for the conviction of the murderer of Linn Trimble at Union. He gives $200 of the $300 to Thomas Walsh of Eldora and $20 each to G. W. Cogswell, Albert Meyer, W. T. Hall, Herman Nelson and George R. Westlake, all of Titonka.

Commission Makes Money.

The state food and dairy department is proving a money maker for the state. Commissioner H. R. Wright has turned over to Treasurer Morrow $1,119.15 collected during September in stock food tax. Iowa manufacturers of all kinds of feed except bran shorts and middlings must pay an inspection fee of ten cents a ton on their product.

Will Try Mrs. Taylor.

Mrs. Nellie Taylor, the girl mother held for first degree murder for the killing of her baby, is improving so rapidly in Dr. Hill's "retreat" that it is believed she will be sufficiently strong to be placed on trial in criminal court next week to decide the question of her sanity at the present time.

Convention Comes to Des Moines.

The 1910 Iowa State Convention of the Court of Honor has been secured for Des Moines. It will be held the first week in February. A great campaign for a class of 1,000 for initiation at that time is now on in full force. Frank Johnson has been appointed city manager.

Music Festival in Coliseum.

The Des Moines Coliseum will be formally dedicated in April. This was definitely decided by the sub-committee of the Greater Des Moines committee, appointed to consider the plans for a mammoth musical festival for the opening night.

Yeomen Apply to Byers.

Attorney General Byers must now pass on the revised constitution of the brotherhood of American Yeomen. The matter was submitted to him by the state insurance department.

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MEETING AT BILLINGS, MONT.

Immense Crowd Present and Cheered Addresses of Messrs. Norris, Rutherford, Dixon, Moody, Hill and Others.

Billings, Mont., Oct. 25.—The playing of "America" by a band on the steps of Exposition hall this afternoon signalized the opening of the fourth and biggest dry farming exposition and congress. An immense crowd was present at the ceremony, and cheered the addresses by Gov. Edwin L. Norris, W. J. Rutherford, deputy commissioner of agriculture of Regina, Sask.; United States Senator J. M. Dixon of Montana; H. L. Moody of Spokane, James J. Hill of St. Paul, and B. B. Moss, who acted as master of ceremonies.

The convention itself really opens tomorrow morning, and will be called to order by Frank C. Bowman of Idaho Falls, Idaho, chairman of the international executive committee. Addresses of welcome will be made by P. B. Moss, Mayor Thompson, President W. A. Selvidge of the local Chamber of Commerce and Gov. Norris. Responses will be made by Dr. John A. Widtsoe, vice president of the congress, and Dr. Laurence Baeta-Neves, the Brazilian vice-president of the congress. James J. Hill will then speak on "The Development of the West."

The program for the rest of the week is full of interest, among the speakers being such noted foreigners as Herr Nikolas Kaumanns, imperial German agricultural attache, now in Chicago; Dr. Ladislaus Georgia, representing the Hungarian government; E. J. McMillin, Salisbury, South Africa, an official of the department of agriculture of the Orange River Colony; Dr. Adolph Aaronson, in charge of the dry farming experiments in Palestine for the Turkish government, and Senor Don Remlue Escorda of the agricultural college at Juearez, Mexico.

COTTON FIRMS ARE INDICTED

Indictments Will Affect Seventy-five Persons, and Gin Owners May Close Plants to Public Business.

Guthrie, Okla., Oct. 25—Charged with violation of the federal and state anti-trust laws, the largest cotton purchasing, ginning and oil mill concerns of Oklahoma were indicted by a special grand jury ordered by the district court to probe the cotton situation in Logan county. Certain individuals concerned in the management of these companies were also indicted.

The following were indicted: W. H. Coyle Consolidated Oil companies, Guthrie; Southwestern Cotton Oil company, Oklahoma City; The Cawthorn company, Crescent; W. H. Coyle, F. E. Houghton, T. Cook and A. T. Beunting, all of Guthrie; R. A. Vose, Oklahoma City and W. O. Cawthorn, Crescent.

Under the law each day a monopoly is maintained is a separate offense, and as the present indictments fix November 15, 1907, as the beginning of the alleged combine, the minimum fine for the persons indicted would approximate $30,300, and the maximum fine $80,300,000.

Midget Babe Dies.

Marshalltown, Ia., Oct. 25.—Albion's midget babe, Chester Carton, the 1-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Graves, who weighed three pounds at birth, gave up the unequal struggle for existence, due to mal-nutrition. The babe when born, could be completely covered by a quart cup.

Justice Peckham is Dead.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 25—Rufus W. Peckham, associate justice of the United States supreme court, died at Coolmore, his summer home at Altamont, Alban county. Death was due to a complication of diseases—heart trouble, Bright's disease and hardening of the arteries contributing.

Stole to Buy Headstone.

New York, Oct. 25.—Joseph Goldstein, has surrendered himself to the police and has been held for trial in $1,000 bail on his voluntary confession that he stole $29 to buy a headstone for the grave of his wife, who died in July, after they had been married only two months.

Robbers Dynamite Bank.

Carthage, Mo., Oct. 25.—Robbers dynamited the safe in the postoffice at Jasper, twelve miles north of here, and secured $15 in currency and a few stamps.

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He had a pocket full of cash, the proceeds of his farm, and he came to see the city never fearing any harm. He met a dapper stranger who escorted him around to where the jovial tiger and the elephant abound. He dallied with the festive and he lingered by the bowl, and awoke upon the sidewalk minus his plethoric roll. He was a jay? Of course he was, a green and verdant thing; but he didn't read the papers, which accounts for everything. The street was rather crowded and the pavements they were wet, but he started from the curbstone to the other side to get. He saw the car but never thought that harm it could portend, for he looked and noticed that there were no horses on the end. He never knew what struck him and what chopped him like a knife, for the electric doesn't linger when it yanks away a life. He should always know? Of course, and then he'd not have met his fall, but he didn't read the papers and thought he knew it all.—Ex.

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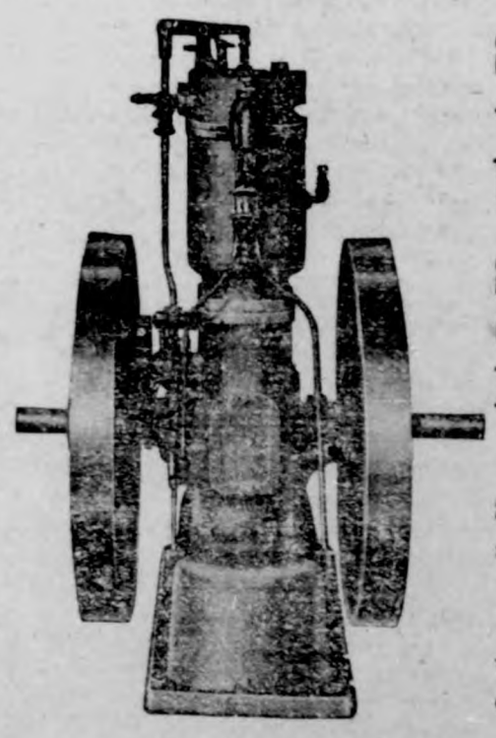

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r. Hess Hog Worm Powder. be had at G. F. Schuler's rner, Iowa.

Mrs. G. H. Carlson is on the sick list.

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Mrs John Josten was a Mason City visitor Tuesday.

Dave Ross is building an addition to his farm house.

August Lau went in to Chicago with a car load of cattle Sunday.

Rodney Hill, a banker and an old settler of Britt, died at his home in Britt last Friday morning.

George Ell, of Belmond, has been here the past week or two helping Jack Henschen with his mason work.

Ralph Blank and wife left for Minneapolis Tuesday night on account of the illness of Mrs. Blank's mother.

F. A. Arnold and Frank Gruetzmacher were business visitors at the county seat between trains Monday.

Mrs. John Swalve, from Little Rock, Iowa, arrived here Tuesday for a visit at the home of her son, B. Swalve.

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Several of our subscribers are a year or more in arrears. Isn't it about time to square up? The amount is small but every little helps. Pay the printer so he can pay his bills.

Chas. Kluckhohn came down from Swea City last Sunday for a visit at the home of his parents. Louie Turgasen, the Rock Island agent at that place, is taking a vacation, so Charley concluded to take a lay off at the same time.

Parties living within two miles of Belmond were up here buying cloaks at Wellemeyer's store last Saturday. Only one more evidence of the fact that Klemme merchants have the goods and sell them right. It pays to trade at Klemme.

We are considering the advisability of quitting the newspaper business and getting a job running some trust.

The biggest difference between the Esquimo and some of our statesmen (?) is that it takes only a few gum drops to buy the Esquimo.

Henry Medaus is reported quite sick.

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Misses Emelia Lenz and Elnora Koerner were at Garner between trains Saturday.

We understand that J Harlan has purchased the F. Gruetzmacher property occupied by the Henschen family, possession to be given in the spring.

The man who does outdoor work during the bitter cold weather of winter will be interested in a new kind of warm footwear at Wellemeyer's.

The R. N. A. will hold a basket social on Friday evening, Oct. 29th. at the opera house. Coffee will be served free. The ladies are planning on having some kind of a contest to enliven the occasion and guarantee a pleasant evening for all who attend. Ladies are requested to bring well filled baskets. All are invited.

READ IT

Much valuable information will be found in the last week's issue of Wallace's Farmer, on page 6. (Oct 22, '09) I personally endorse every word on that page and ask all my customers to read it. Arthur Wellemeyer

Henry Lewis and Harry Smith have started a new industry for Klemme—that of capturing and shipping turtles to the eastern markets. Their shipment of a week or so ago consisted of six barrels packed full and they are sending out another consignment equally as large today. We presume these animals will make a large quantity of high-toned soup, but some way we don't feel that we would relish the dish very much.

German M. E. Church Items

Our farmers are busy husking corn this week.

Aug. Nuehring is working for E. H Bettin this week

F. C. Griewe made a business trip to Burlington last week, returning Friday.

Lurena Wessel spent Sunday at home returning to Charles City Monday evening.

The Klemme Standard Bearer Society will meet with August Schuldt next Monday evening.

Emelia and Esther Lenz and Elenor Koerner were Garner callers last Saturday between trains.

Mrs. Wessel returned from Kirksville last Saturday much improved, but very tired and sore from the treatments which she had taken.

Bennie Riemer has been very sick with an attack of lung fever since the fore part of last week. We are glad to state that he is some better at this writing.

F. C. Griewe left for Gladbrook Tuesday morning, where he is working for the German-American Equation Premium Insurance Co. We wish him much success in his new line of work.

Henry Ludeke went to Iowa City last Friday to take an examination relative to an ailment which has continued to trouble him more or less since his operation last winter. He returned Tuesday.

The Klemme League gave a temperance program in the Germantown church last Sunday evening, which was of good measure and full weight. It was nearly two hours in length, and we heard several say it was as good as it was long. Everyone was well prepared and the large audience seemed pleased.

Hulda Gruetzmacher had her Sunday School class invited to her home last Sunday and gave the little folks a delightful time. To end up with, each child received a dainty little basket filled with sweets to remember the occasion. But we feel safe to say that they will remember such kind treatment long after the little baskets have succumbed to the waste of time.

Fred Blank had his arm dislocated at the elbow last evening while playing football.

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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Privy Councillor Albert Meissner, secretary to Emperor William, died in Berlin. He was in public life over 50 years.

Senator Patrick McCarren, the New York Democratic leader, died as a result of an operation for appendicitis.

Dr. James H. Carlisle, president emeritus of Wofford college and one south's best-known educators, died at his home in Spartanburg, N. C. He was 84 years old.

Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale university says the normal span of human life is 150 years, and declares the longevity of man increases as science and medicine make advances.

Mrs. Josephine Floyd Jones, who was a member of one of the oldest families on Long Island, in her will left $10,000 and her personal wardrobe to her faithful servant, Hannah Davenport, who is to have a grave in the family burial plot.

Bernhard Dernburg, German colonial secretary, who is at Kansas City, derides the suggestion of war between Germany and England.

Miss May Clayton, 25 years old, daughter of a wholesale liquor merchant, and Peary S. Tsuji, a Japanese restaurant keeper, were married at Seattle, Wash. It was a romance of the Seattle fair, the couple having met at the "Pay Streak."

Rudolph Gluck, 19 years old, will sail for Russia from New York in a few days to serve three years in the Russian army, and so save his mother's property at Kaprin, near Warsaw, from confiscation.

Lieut. Foulois of the American army has arrived in New York after attending the International Aeronautical congress in Paris. He says France is crazy over flying machines, and this class of craft is bound to supplant dirigible balloons.

King Manuel of Portugal is confined to his bed with an intestinal trouble accompanied with a light fever.

GENERAL NOTES.

A family of five, it is feared, have perished on the Mojave (Cal.) desert. A rancher discovered the trail of a man, woman and three children and from the appearance of their tracks they were in search of water.

Federal authorities are seeking to have John R. Walsh, the former Chicago banker, sent to jail, pending the appeal to the supreme court of the United States of his case.

Six trainmen and a tramp were killed and a score of other persons injured in a head-on collision between a fast passenger train and a freight on the Pennsylvania railroad near Collinsville, O.

Ohio Wesleyan university is in a campaign to raise $500,000 by April 1, 1911. Of this sum Andrew Carnegie has given $25,000 and the educational board $125,000.

The report of Gen. Benjamin F. Tracy, as referee, fixing the margin of unused bonded indebtedness of New York city on June 30, 1908, at $106,205,714, was practically sustained by the New York court of appeals.

G. Stengel-Sembrich, husband of Mme. Sembrich, the singer, and Andreas Dippel, director of the Metropolitan opera house, were injured in an auto accident in New York.

F. E. Hanscome, cashier of the wrecked Mineral Point (Wis.) First National bank, killed himself at the grave of his mother. Worry over the bank's affairs was the cause. Mrs. John Gray, his aged mother-in-law, fell dead upon seeing his body.

Mrs. Richard McMartin of Thompsonville, Mich., visiting at Ashland, Wis., walked out of the house while asleep during the night and off the bridge over the Bay City creek, falling on the rocks and breaking both legs.

A diamond ring worth $1,100, the property of Mrs. Thomas A. Edison, was found on the mountain side near the Edison estate in New Jersey. It was lost six years ago. Robert McCarthy, the finder, was rewarded with $100.

The Spanish cabinet, headed by Premier Maura, resigned and is superceded by one formed by Senor Moret, former premier. This change resulted from the outcry over Revolutionist Ferrer's execution.

The American Ice Company of New York is on trial in the criminal court on the charge of violating the state law preventing monopoly. The concern is charged with creating an artificial ice famine.

A dam at Lake Derkos, which supplies Constantinople with water, burst and 25 persons were drowned.

Calcutta dispatches to London say 10,000 people have perished in a terrific storm which swept the plains in the delta of the Ganges and Brahmaputra, in Bengal, India.

According to a report from United States Consul General Griffiths, at London, the army of unemployed in Great Britain has grown steadily and has now reached proportions that are causing the government great uneasiness.

The grand jury at Chicago has caused a stir by joining State's Attorney Wayman in his demand that the judges of Cook county courts clean out the county jury commission in such a drastic manner as will prevent any opportunity for jury tampering in the future.

A copy of a book written in 1810 by Robert Fulton, inventor of the steamboat, and entitled, "Torpedo War and Submarine Explosions," has been sold at auction in New York for $60.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Whitlock of East Orange, N. J., were so affected at the prospect of "losing" their two daughters by marriage that they went to their country home to escape being present at the double wedding. They are said to be well pleased, nevertheless, with their sons-in-law.

A fund to be known as the Charles Eliot Norton memorial fund has been endowed to the Archaeological Institute of America in Washington by James Loeb, a retired banker of New York city.

Army officers to the number of 35 started from Fort Meyer, Va., under the lead of Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, president of the war college, for a 90-mile endurance test.

It is reported in Lisbon, Portugal, that King Alfonso's mind is in a serious condition because of fear of an uprising in Spain and of his own assassination.

King Edward of England is much exercised over the socialistic demonstrations in connection with Ferrer's execution and is laboring hard to prevent a general election on the budget, fearing that owing to the highly feverish condition of public opinion the house of lords would be in peril and possibly abolished.

A typhoon of unusual severity swept over the island of Luzon, washing out railroad beds, cutting off telegraphic communication and doing much other damage.

President Taft had the time of his life on his brother's ranch in Texas. He rode a balky cayuse, saw wild steers roped by cowboys and witnessed the rounding up of a herd of cattle, together with many other interesting things connected with ranch life.

The Minocqua (Wis.) bank was robbed of several thousand dollars by five men who, after being rounded up at a small station near there by a sheriff's posse, turned on the latter with rifles and made their escape.

The American Antiquarian society laid the corner-stone of its new building in Worcester, Mass., in connection with the opening of the organization's annual convention.

Miss Eleanor Lorraine Beattie, who was recently extradited from London on a charge of grand larceny and who is now under bonds for trial, has advertised in New York for a position as chauffeur. She is willing to wear a uniform and pilot a taxicab.

William Fason, a blind negro, who killed two men in a Paterson (N. J.) saloon, when he was denied a drink, was sentenced to 40 years in prison.

W. R. Hearst won a "strike" in the New York political campaign Saturday night when he threatened to retire from the race for mayor and to leave the fusion ticket to its fate unless his fellow nominees appeared on the stage with him.

Two schooners, with 11 persons aboard, are missing off the Newfoundland coast and are believed to have foundered in the gale last week.

The annual convention of the National Woman's Christian Temperance union opened in Omaha with about 500 delegates in attendance. National President Lillian M. N. Stevens delivered her yearly address.

Illinois cities and towns celebrated the second arbor and bird day of the year with exercises in the public schools.

The United States supreme court has issued an order staying proceedings in the northern Illinois circuit court in the matter of the application of Capt. M. Carter for the allowance of further counsel fees in the government's suit against him for the restoration of the funds alleged to have been procured by him through defalcation.

BIG IMPROVEMENTS

Southern Iowa Cities Will Spend More Than $3,000,000.

ACTIVITY SHOWN IN ALL LINES

Large Sums Are Being Expended for Sewers, Water Works, Paving, Electric Light Plants, Etc., Says C. P. Chase.

Clinton Ia., Oct. 22—More than $3,000,000 will be spent in municipal improvements in the southern part of Iowa this year, and during the coming spring. Extraordinary activity in the line of improvement is manifest in that section of the state, says C. P. Chase of this city, former city engineer who has extensive contracts throughout that section of the state of Iowa. He outlines the work under way or contemplated in the larger towns as follows:

Atlantic—$50,000 for street paving.

Pella—$140,000 for water works, sewers, and electric light plant.

Greenfield—$45,000 for water works and sewers.

Leon—$55,000 for water works and sewers.

Seymour—$30,000 for water works.

Fairfield—100,000 for sewers.

Osceola—Water works system will be entirely rebuilt.

Clarinda—$25,000 for sewers.

Bedford—$15,000 for sewers and pavement.

Red Oak—$25,000 for pavement.

Stuart—$15,000 for water works.

Perry—$75,000 for pavement.

Colfax—$50,000 for pavement and sewers.

Grinnell—$200,000 for pavement.

Indianola—$25,000 for sewers and pavement.

Hamburg—$15,000 for sewers.

In addition to this work, nearly all of the smaller towns have municipal improvements under way costing from $5,000 to $15,000. An era of prosperity exists in the southwestern section of Iowa, hitherto unequalled in the Hawkeye state.

Odd Fellows to Cedar Rapids.

Davenport.—Cedar Rapids was selected as the next meeting place of the Iowa grand lodge. Nominations for officers were made as follows, to be voted on by all the lodges of the state next June:

Grand master, H. C. Ring, Marion; deputy grand master, E. Stymert, Stevenson, Council Bluffs; grand warden, W. W. Brunton, Boone; E. W. Cutting, Decorah; J. T. Temple, Davenport; J. W. Marshall, Storm Lake; H. F. Wagner, Sigourney; W. C. Kummer, Keokuk; J. P. Lambertson, Albia; C. E. Wallace, New Sharon; grand treasurer, J. W. Reihman; grand mountain, A. S. Holmes, Perry; A. E. Hindorff, Newton; grand representative, L. W. White, Woodbine.

The new officers of the department council were re-elected as follows: President, Major General E. E. Lambert, Newton; vice president, Brig. Gen. C. W. Paschal, Belle Plaine; secretary, Lieut. Col. H. S. Rayburn, Newton; treasurer, Capt. A. O. Peterson, Estherville.

Iowa's Great Corn Harvest Is On.

Sheldahl.—Bump, bump, bump; it's harvest time in Iowa again, and the music of the nubbin striking the throw boards can be heard on all sides on a still day. Yes, Iowa's big annual harvest of the yellow corn is on, and few are the farmers seen in town these days except those on business of urgent necessity. The yield this year, though not up to the standard of previous years, and considerably below the yield of last year, is still better than it was generally believed to be before the harvest commenced. The stalks stand nice and straight except in occasional fields where it is badly torn down and twisted. The fine weather gave many of the farmers a fine start and if this kind of weather continues we will see the finish of the corn husking in a remarkably short time.

Overholt's Ashes at Iowa City.

Iowa City.—Ashes of former Postmaster H. D. Overholt, who committed suicide in the Kirkwood hotel in Des Moines, were brought to Iowa City and interred in the family lot at Oakland cemetery. He took his own life a year ago last summer. The body was cremated at Davenport, removed to Des Moines and later brought here.

Lost $5,000 in Jewelry.

Boone.—Mrs. John Reynolds who, with her husband, left for Clinton and Chicago, lost a hand bag containing $5,000 worth of jewelry, mostly in diamonds. She declares she left it in the Boone station of the Northwestern road, but no trace can be found. A very liberal reward has been offered for the recovey of the jewelry.

Three Murderers Sentenced for Life.

Des Moines, Iowa.—The most unusual session of the district court in the history of the state of Iowa was held in Polk county when Judge Miller, who presides over the criminal division, sent three murderers to the penitentiary at Ft. Madison to work at hard labor for the remainder of their natural lives.

The session was not only the most unusual, but undoubtedly one of the most dramatic, for the words had just passed the lips of Judge Miller sentencing the last man to the penitentiary until death, when a number of women sitting in the rear of the court room exclaimed in unison, "Thank the Lord!" It was the only remark they made and the only words that broke the silence immediately following the pronouncing of the sentences.

The men who were the center of attraction in this remarkable session were: John Smeltzer, convicted of the murder of City Detective Frank Delmege; James Watkins, convicted of the murder of John Weaver, and William Webster, convicted of the murder of George Talbot.

Had a jury returned a verdict of death penalty in any one of the three Judge Miller said he would have had no hesitancy in imposing the sentence, for he declared it would tend to put a curb on the would-be murderer.

Pastor Loses 400 Sermons in Fire.

Cedar Falls.—George Hugh Birney, for some years pastor of the First Methodist church here, recently assigned to the biggest Methodist church at Grand Rapids, Mich., is mourning the loss of 400 sermons which he has been preparing since his college days. The pastor had left the sermons in an old suit case. He went to Mason City to attend the conference leaving orders that the trash in the house be destroyed after his household goods were packed. The party who remained to pack up discovered the old valise and not knowing the importance of the contents, threw it into the furnace, destroying valise, sermons and the work of years. The loss is very keenly felt by the pastor, particularly now, that he is entering a new field of labor.

Motorman Gets Watch As Reward.

Boone.—The Fort Dodge Des Moines and Southern railway has presented a gold watch to J. S. Stokes, a motorman. The watch was given to him as a reward for his rare presence of mind in a time of danger. Recently Stokes was taking a crowded passenger car up Fraser hill. A runaway freight was tearing down the hill when seen by Stokes. He reversed his power and began to go back towards Boone. When the crash came no one was injured.

Heavy Fine on Druggist.

Webster City.—Judge Wright who is holding court in this city is making it most uncomfortable for illegal dispensers of intoxicating liquors. He has just assessed a fine of $550 and costs against W. T. Faucett, a local druggist. Faucett was indicted last spring and at the present term of court entered a plea of guilty.

Honor Late Priest.

Ft. Dodge.—Solemn high requiem mass, in memory of the late Monsignor B. C. Lenehan, was said at Corpus Christi church at which about sixty priests from this diocese officiated. The service is known as the month mind mass, and was held just thirty days from the funeral of the departed prelate.

Advance in Jasper County Land.

Colfax.—Mr. S. A. Sharp sold his 125 acre improved farm to J. W. Kartchner for $125 per acre. The land lies a mile north of this city and was bought four years ago for $85 per acre. The price advanced $50 per acre. Mrs. T. J. Shaw sold her fine farm near Mitchellville for $150 per acre.

Sues Liquor Man.

Creston.—Mrs. E. Wilkins has started a suit against L. M. Tourman, a liquor dealer, for selling her husband liquor after he had been warned not to do so. She wants $5,000 damages. She declares her husband is unable to work and is abusive while under the influence of liquor.

Apple Crop Is Blighted.

Burlington.—Reports received indicate that the apple orchards in southeastern Iowa have been almost blighted by the frost of the past several mornings. Only a small portion of the apple crop had been harvested and thousands of bushels are still on the trees.

Oxford Farmer Found Dead.

Iowa City.—The body of Adam Probst, a young farmer, was found on his father's farm near Oxford. It is supposed his neck was broken by being pitched from a horse while herding cattle. The family thought he was visiting a neighbor. He was 20 years old.

Silk Stockings Indispensable.

Susan B. Anthony was a woman of simple taste in dress, but her close friends knew of one pretty feminine vanity she always held to. She had a weakness for silk stockings. Being pressed on one occasion for an explanation of what most women at that time regarded as an unnecessary extravagance, she laughingly exclaimed: "Oh, I just love 'em. They are my inspiration. If I have my silk stockings on when I rise to make an address, I feel just like I am walking among the clouds. They help me to soar away on flights of eloquence. I wouldn't be without them."

CURED ITCHING HUMOR

Big, Painful Swellings Broke and Did Not Heal—Suffered 3 Years.

Tortures Yield to Cuticura.

"Little black swellings were scattered over my face and neck and they would leave little black scars that would itch so I couldn't keep from scratching them. Larger swellings would appear and my clothes would stick to the sores. I went to a doctor but the trouble only got worse. At this time it was all over my arms and the upper part of my body in swellings as large as a dollar. It was so painful that I could not bear to lie on my back. The second doctor stopped the swellings, but when they broke the places would not heal. I bought a set of the Cuticura Remedies and in less than a week some of the places were nearly well. I continued until I had used three sets, and now I am sound and well. The disease lasted three years. O. L. Wilson, Puryear, Tenn., Feb. 8, 1908."

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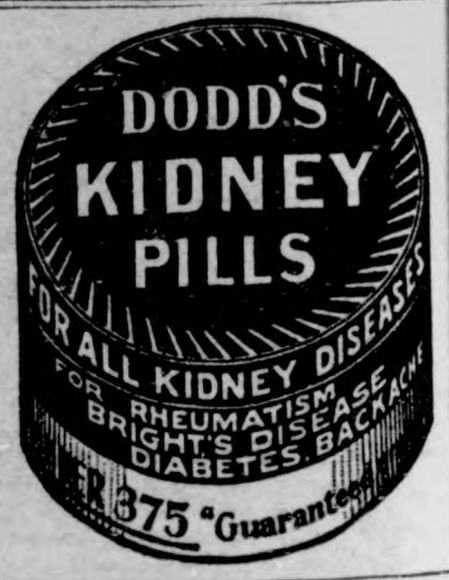

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LIPS THAT WERE SEALED

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with a scene at a box party. Miss Henrietta Winstantley, sister of Bishop Winstanley overheard banker Ankony propose to Barbara Hemingray, whose brother Dan was in his employ. Dan was one of the town's popular young men. He showed some nervousness when Attorney Tom Twining told him Barbara refused Ankony. Ankony the following day, summoning Twining, accused Dan of looting the bank. Twining refused to prosecute. Barbara persuaded Ankony to postpone starting prosecution. Twining learned of the engagement of Ankony and Barbara. He congratulated both. He visited Miss Hemingray and found her almost in tears. He told her he had loved her, but feared prematurely announcing his affection. By actions alone she told him she reciprocated. Mrs. Anson Dines, wealthy widow, proposed a marriage by proxy with Bishop Winstanley. The latter consulted with Twining. The bishop had been paying attentions to Miss Streeter. Dan consulted Twining, saying his sister was determined to marry Ankony, declaring she actually loved the banker, though he could not help believing she was making a sacrifice to save him from jail. Miss Winstanley, finding a pressed rose in the bishop's book, scented a love affair. Mrs. Dines sailed for America. Miss Winstanley informed Twining that Mrs. Dines was intent upon stopping the marriage of Barbara and Ankony.

CHAPTER VIII.—Continued.

I tramped the floor, and Miss Winstanley did innumerable things as an outlet for her brimming emotions. She closed an open magazine, patted a depressed pillow into plumpness, hovered over a bowl of flowers, and teased her spaniel, talking all the time about what this might mean to us all.

"You may put your faith in Hannah Dines," she said.

"I wish I felt as sure of it as you do."

"She means just what she says, and she knows she can do it. The marriage is as good as stopped, Mr. Twining; you may take my word for it."

"Mrs. Dines is counting without her host; they will not give each other up."

"Rubbish!" she cried, confronting me with an indignant face, and snapping her fingers. "Why will you insist that she cares for him? I tell you she does not. Once the reason for her marrying him is removed, you will see."

"The Lord grant that I may!" I fervently ejaculated.

"You will," she insisted.

"Mrs. Dines should be here within four days," I said, making a rapid calculation.

She nodded.

"What are we to do in the meantime?" I asked.

"Possess ourselves in patience."

She was rapturously jubilant.

"I wish I could be as sanguine as you," said I.

"If you knew Mrs. Dines you would be," she declared. "I should have had my doubts if any other woman had written this, but I know how perfectly sure of herself she is."

I recalled one failure of hers. Then I remembered the bishop's distress and smiled.

"We must keep the matter entirely between ourselves," said Miss Winstanley. "I have not even told my brother what her coming will mean. He is a long-time friend of hers; so I have told him that she is on her way to America, knowing that he would be interested to hear it, but I made no mention of her errand, nor do I expect to."

She was standing at the window, looking out. She turned on the instant and came toward me.

"Do try to be a little glad," she cried.

"You know what a second disappointment would mean," I said. "I am trying not to hope too much."

"But you may hope all you like. I have faith in Hannah Dines, and I am sure things are coming out right; sure of it, sure of it, sure of it," and she laughed blithely.

CHAPTER IX.

The steamer on which Mrs. Dines arrived was three days belated, to our great impatience, arriving only the day but one before the wedding invitations were to go out; and as the bishop was away from town on a trip, which annoyed and puzzled his sister, it fell to my lot to accompany her to meet Mrs. Dines.

It had been years since I had seen that lady and then but once and briefly, but I knew her the moment she came down the gang-plank, so exactly did she look as I had been sure she would; a large, ruddyish woman, in an indifferently tailored cheviot, with a man's keen eyes, a woman's nose, the copious chins of the bishop's description, and a mouth inclining slightly to gentleness, with a firm jaw; the brusque, direct woman that one finds in a thousand. She had come easily into success, as the bishop had said, and one could see that if Anson Dines had not accomplished anything for himself, she must have accomplished it for him, since a woman built in her mold could not have been a failure nor have allowed the man she married to remain one.

"I am ill," she said at once, as we moved to meet her and she stooped to offer a grayish cheek to her friend's lips. "The passage was frightfully rough. I don't know when I've had such a trip. I must get home and to bed."

She nodded briefly when I was presented to her, declined the arm I proffered, and, when we had finally got to the carriage, leaned back and closed her eyes, maintaining an absolute silence except when she aroused herself to answer briefly some question in the flow of Miss Winstanley's solicitude. It was evident that mal de mer did not leave her in the most amiable spirits in the world.

Henrietta Winstanley sank lower and lower in her corner of the carriage, looking at me with appealing and dejected eyes. It was no wonder; to have waited all these nerve-wearing days on Mrs. Dines and then to have her arrive in this undone and uncommunicative condition was enough to sink even her buoyant spirits. For myself, I felt the hopelessness of the whole affair as I had felt it from the beginning.

She Looked at Me Questioningly.

As we neared the Winstanley house, Miss Winstanley said, quite casually: "By the way, Hannah, the Hemingray-Ankony invitations are out day after to-morrow."

"What!" cried Mrs. Dines, and her eyes flew open on the instant. "Why didn't you tell me at once? I had no idea it was to be so soon. I must see Dean at once."

Dean was her agent and adviser.

Miss Winstanley revived immediately.

"Are you able?" she inquired tenderly.

Mrs. Dines nodded, swallowed hard, and tried to sit up. She was greenish gray and looked frightfully ill.

"It isn't a question as to that," she declared; "I must see Dean this morning, at once. Aren't we almost home?"

"You see she has come fortified," said Miss Winstanley to me, as I was leaving, after having assisted Mrs. Dines into the house.

I went back to my office and managed to put in the rest of the morning and part of the afternoon, but my nerves were ragged and my alarm as to Mrs. Dines' condition was very real. Miss Winstanley had mentioned the physician she meant to call, and I went round to see him late in the day to inquire as to his patient, but his report of her was not at all encouraging and I almost wished I had stayed away. He thought it probable that she would not be out of bed for a fortnight.

Toward evening, as I came out of my club and started through Union square, I became suddenly conscious of a slender familiar figure ahead of me, and, hastening, overtook Barbara. She was walking rapidly, and she turned at my salutation with a start, as if her thoughts had been far from her surroundings. Her eyes were feverish and I could see at once that she was very tired.

"Are you walking home?" I asked. "May I come along?"

She looked at me, hesitating.

"I don't think you had better," she said. "I am hurried and cross and absent-minded."

"I've seen you all three and still found you fairly—"

"Oh, don't muster out any silly compliments," she broke in quickly. "I know that in my present mood I couldn't inspire a genuine one; so don't try to palm off any spurious ones on me. I'm not in the humor to be easily deceived. But you may come along if you're sure you don't mind. Perhaps it's just as well; there is—I have just posted you a note to say good-by."

"Good-by!" I gasped. "Where in the world are you going?"

"We sail for London to-morrow. Mr. Ankony has been called there by important business. We are to be married at noon. It's very sudden, isn't it? I feel as if I had been caught up by a huge whirlwind that wouldn't let me down."

"To-morrow! You sail to-morrow!" I repeated.

She nodded. "It was only a matter of a few weeks at most," she said.

"But to-morrow!" I echoed inanely.

She did not reply. Gathering her skirts out of the way of the fountain spray that drifted across the asphalt, she kept her eyes resolutely ahead. The roar of Broadway was in our ears. Through Fifteenth street the late sunshine poured, and a mist came up from the bay. River whistles blew, and here and there an electric light sprang out. Walking hurriedly and in silence we crossed Broadway and came into the kindling shadows of the side-street, turning presently into Fifth avenue.

"And your note?" I asked.

"Was only to say good-by and explain our hurried departure. We are so sorry to not have you all with us at the marriage, as we had expected. Even Dan may not get to town in time. I wired him at once, of course, but I'm afraid he can't make it. And Bishop Winstanley is away! It is all so unsatisfactory! I had never thought to have anyone marry me but him, you know. I'm afraid it will seem a sort of makeshift ceremony," with a little sigh.

"Suppose something should come up to prevent your sailing?" I asked, with an uncontrollable impulse.

She turned to me quickly, an odd look in her eyes, but in the same instant it faded and she lifted the shield of an impersonal smile.

"That is quite improbable. I never think of such things. Some people do, I know. But in this case we are almost quite ready. Mr. Ankony is rushing his preparations through, and I had even this half-hour's breathing space, so I walked through the old Square for the last time. Does that sound ghastly?" she asked, with a smile. "But I dare say it will never seem quite the same again."

Her tone was light, but it held the pang of sadness. Was it only the sadness that a woman must naturally feel at such a time, I asked myself, or did it hold all the ache and bitterness that Henrietta Winstanley still stoutly contended that it did? I looked at her keenly, and, feeling my glance, she put up a quick, impatient hand to her cheek.

"It isn't nice to stare at a bride-elect like that on the eve of her wedding," she said "Don't you know that? She is always cross and pale and nervous. It isn't fair."

"Forgive me; but to-morrow—to-morrow I can't look at you—nor for weeks and months perhaps. Oh, I know I'm hurting you! I'm a beast to do it. But a man can't mask a thing forever. And it hurts. God! how it hurts to think of your going!"

"Does that make it any harder—the going?" she asked.

"It is the suddenness of it," I said dully, and we walked a little way in silence. It was she who broke it.

"I am so sorry! so sorry!" she said, in the lowest, softest voice, and the regret and the tenderness in it touched me profoundly. "If I could say something, do something, to help—to make it easier for you! But I can't, and it—it hurts me, too. Oh, look at me once in friendliness and forgiveness!"

A lovely April twilight was setting about us, and in its shadows I turned to her.

"Can you do me the injustice to believe that I have anything but friendliness for you, dear?" I asked. "I am a poor whimpering thing to trouble you like this now—to let you see."

We had reached the steps of her house, and as we mounted them she slipped her hand through my arm with a little pressure, then quickly withdrew it.

"No, no, you are not that," she protested warmly; "you are all that is considerate and kind and good, and I—"

"If I were yielding you to any one else—" I blundered.

"Don't!" she cried; "you have your own little shrine in the temple of my heart, and I don't want you to dethrone yourself at the last. This is—is the last, you know. Good-by. I can't ask you in, and we shall not meet again before I go."

"Yet I think," said I, "that I will not say good-by."

She looked at me questioningly.

"Do you think leaving out a good-by makes a separation seem less real?" she smiled.

"This one would set the seal upon too many things," I replied.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Father Was "Wise" to Game

Possibly Dad Had Recalled a Few Incidents of His Own College Days.

A student at the University of Pennsylvania had been going a fast pace with the boys of his class and fraternity and had had frequent interviews with father concerning debts and other financial troubles occasioned by the drain his pleasures had made on his source of supply.

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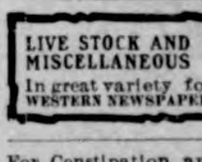

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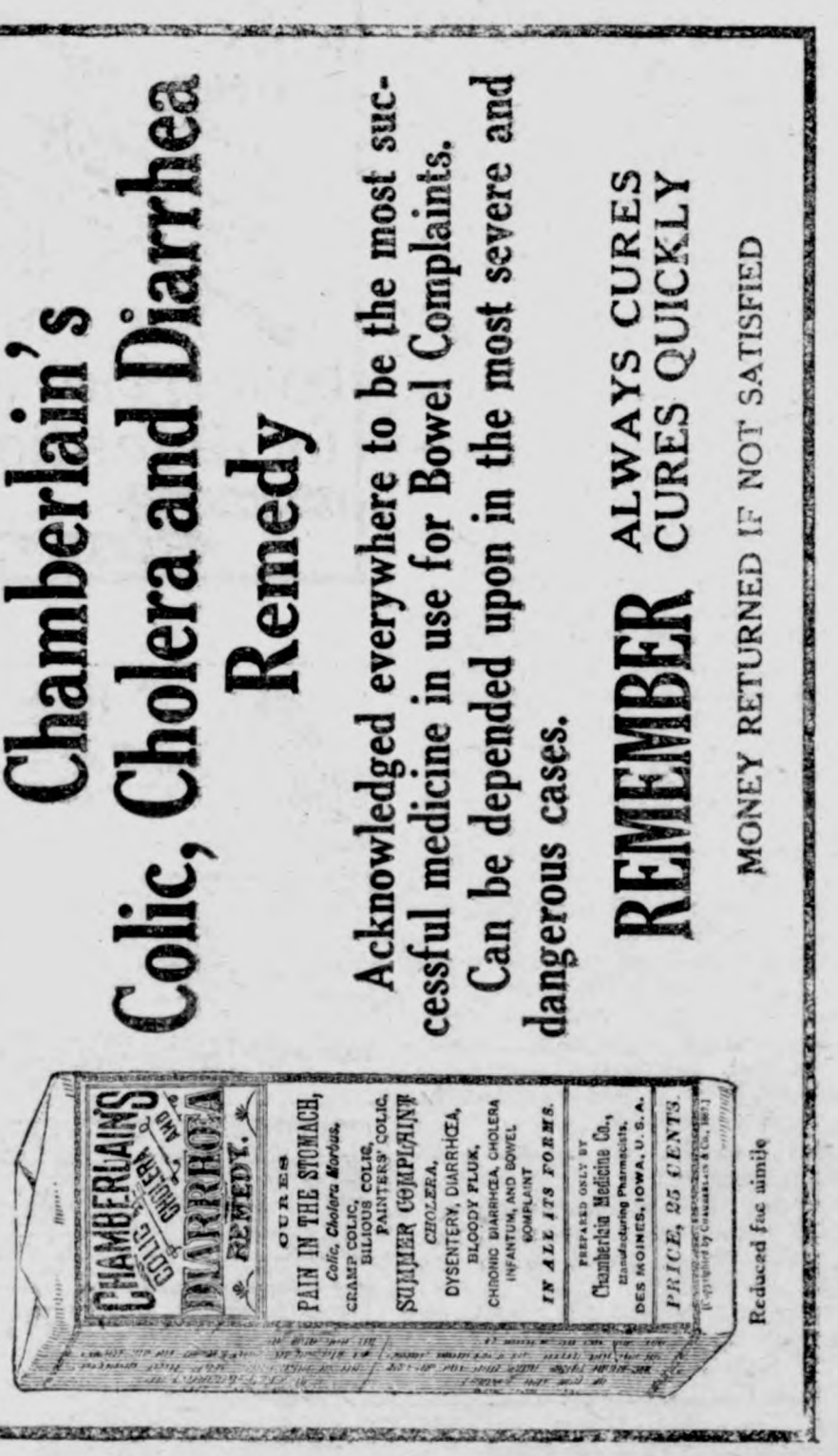

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GOODELL

From the Globe:

T. R. Burgess is building an addition to his residence in Goodell.

Ed Cashman came down from Hayfield and spent Sunday in Goodell.

B. H. Luken was a business visitor at Mason City the fore part of the week.

Mrs. S. E. Hall, of Moline, Ill., is a guest at the S. P. Kennett home west of town.

A. R. White and wife, of near Klemme, spent Sunday at the A. D. White home.

S. E. Eldred and family, of Clear Lake, attended the funeral of Peter Nelson here on last Sunday.

L. D. Harmon, of Oshkosh, Wisconsin, is having a large barn built on his farm which is rented by Gus Okrueg west of town.

Rev. Doty and wife, of Clarksville, Iowa, spent Sunday in Goodell. Rev. Doty preached three sermons here during the day. It is expected that Rev. Doty will be the new U. B. pastor and they will probably move their household goods here this week.

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James P. Courtney, who has been sick with typhoid, is able to be about town.

A. C. Mayers came home Monday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Mayers.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moehl and two children left Monday for their home at Granville, Ill., after visiting their relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Quandt returned home Friday after visiting three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Immel, at Waukomis, Oklahoma.

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Any farmer who intends to erect a silo will find Bulletin No. 100, "Modern Silo Construction," a very valuable help in deciding on the type and size of silo to build. A great many practical hints on the details of construction are also given. Copies of the revised edition of this bulletin can be obtained free by applying to C. F. Curtiss, Director Iowa Experiment Station, Ames, Iowa.

Notice of Probate of Will

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Hancock County, }

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Charles Schroeder, deceased, was filed in the office of the undersigned on the 25th day of October, A. D. 1909, and that December 6th, 1909, was fixed for hearing proof in relation thereto.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the District Court attached at Garner, in said County, this 25th day of October, A. D., 1909.

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Pupils neither absent nor tardy for month ending Oct. 29th:

High School Room— Esther Lenz, Verner Lewis, Gail Bloom Clarence Waterman, Holly Lewis.

Intermediate—Harold Gruetzmacher, Ella Ridder, Paul Achtermann, Ada Bowker, Miriam Achtermann, Cyrus Griewe, George Musfeldt, Florence Sampson, Vera Flint, Howard Terhufen.

Primary—Beryl Flint. Linda Musfelt, Ariel Achtermann, Florence Bowker, Frank Bowker, Mabel Waterman, Walter Bloom, Mark Achtermann, Evelyn Elder, Sadie Bowker.

Isaac Sweigard and George Asplin were down from Garner last week Thursday in Mr. Sweigard's Brush runabout.

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EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Horace H. Lurton of Nashville is believed in Washington to have the best chance for appointment to the bench of the supreme court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Justice Peckham. Lurton is an old friend of President Taft.

G. A. Simpson, a Grant county (Ky.) tobacco grower, who shipped 75,000 pounds of his 1909 crop, with the aid of state troops, says he will move to New Mexico, as he fears night riders.

Jacob M. Dickinson, secretary of war, says if his candidacy for senator in Tennessee would unite the Democratic factions in the state, he would make the race.

Prof. Headlee of the Kansas agricultural college says chinch bugs cause from $5,000,000 to $25,000,000 loss annually to the farmers of the state. He is experimenting with destroyers.

Dr E. B. Morgan, an eye and ear specialist of Paterson, N. J., has come into possession of $1,000,000 through the generosity of a brother who made $7,000,000 in stock deals and shared his fortune.

Cardinal Gibbons says he pities the friendless rich. "Millions," he says, "avail nothing to a man if he have no one to give him solace in sorrow."

Richard Croker's trip to the United States this fall is not in response to a call for aid from Charles W. Morse, according to a statement by Mr. Morse, who is a prisoner in the Tombs at New York.

GENERAL NOTES.

Five hundred Indian bucks and squaws, after receiving their annuities, indulged in one of the wildest orgies that the Leech Lake (Minn.) agency ever witnessed. It was the last day when saloons could sell liquor to the redskins.

Mrs. Frank Stanley, at Pana, Ill., shot and killed her husband, Frank, during a struggle for the possession of a shotgun. The woman claims she shot in self-defense.

Frederick Gebhardt, the New York self-confessed wife murderer, admits he has been guilty of three such crimes, for the purpose of securing the women's money.

Grand jury at Chicago in their final report to Judge Tuthill, declared the jury-drawing system of Cook county "rotten and corrupt," and charge the commissioners with wholesale violations of the law.

Gen. Oliver O. Howard, the last of the union commanders of the civil war, died at his home in Burlington, Vt., of heart disease, aged 79 years.

Credence is given by Tokyo officials to the report that the assassination of Prince Ito was the culmination of a plot, the ramifications of which extended through Korea and into China.

Federal Judge Holt, at New York, handed down a decision which will allow Gustav E. Kissel and Thomas B. Harned, who were among those indicted along with the American Sugar Refining Company for criminal conspiracy, to escape prosecution through the provisions of the statute of limitations.

John R. Walsh, the former Chicago banker, has received $100,000 for an option on his railroads from the United States Steel Corporation, which will enable him to settle his financial difficulties for the time being, at least.

A secret investigation into alleged irregularities in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., is being made by Alexander Bruce Bielaski, a special examiner from the department of justice at Washington.

The fourth annual convention of the Lakes-to-the-Gulf Deep Waterway association is in session at New Orleans, with President Taft, Vice-President Sherman, Speaker Cannon, several members of the cabinet, numerous governors, senators, representatives, members of state legislatures and members of industrial and semi-public organizations in attendance.

The thirty-ninth annual reunion of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee was held in Columbus, O., Gen. James Grant Wilson delivering the address.

KEEP OF CONVICTS

Quarterly Report Shows State Expense Is Quite Cheap.

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Illinois Prison Officials Have Asked the Iowa Board for Copies of Supply Specifications—Summary of Expense.

Des Moines, Oct. 29.—Accountant of the state board of control A. B. McCowan, has made his quarterly report of the expenses of maintaining the 454 convicts at Fort Madison. It costs 52 cents per day to care for each of them. Officials of Illinois prisons have written the Iowa board asking for copies of supply specifications, stating that the big wholesale houses of Chicago have commended the shrewd purchasing system of the Iowa board.

The summary of expense follows:

Anamosa, 432 inmates, daily cost per capita, 59 cents; Cherokee, 893 inmates, daily cost per capita, 43 cents; Clarinda, 1,070 inmates, daily cost per capita, 34 cents; Council Bluffs, one inmate, no estimate given; Davenport, 531 inmates, daily per capita cost, 30 cents; Eldora, 603 inmates, daily per capita cost, 42 cents; Fort Madison, 454 inmates, daily per capita cost, 52 cents; Glenwood, 1,102 inmates, daily per capita cost, 38 cents; Independence, 1,163 inmates, daily per capita cost, 39 cents; Oakdale Sanatorium, daily per capita cost, $1.43; Knoxville, 68 inmates, daily per capita cost, 82 cents; Marshalltown, 102 inmates, daily per capita cost, 45 cents, Mitchellville, 767 inmates, daily per capita cost, 49 cents; Mount Pleasant, 191 inmates, daily per capita cost, 33 cents; Vinton, 46 inmates, daily per capita cost, $1.16.

Attacked by Meningitis.

Mason City.—The first case of the dread cerebo-spinal meningitis known here in years made its appearance attacking the 2-year-old daughter of R. E. Eldred and the family, preferring to accompany the child, have been placed in the detention hospital. There is considerable alarm and the disease is epidemic in form. A new serum, a discovery of Dr. Flexner, has been administered but the child is in a critical condition. Two years ago an elder child died from the same disease while the family were residents of Blooming Prairie, Minn., and the living child has been wearing some of the clothing left by the elder which it is said were not fumigated.

Big Apples in Harrison County.

Logan.—A short time ago Preston Walker picked from an orchard near Logan an apple measuring fourteen inches in circumference. T. M. Adams of Logan has had on exhibition in his store an apple measuring fifteen inches in circumference, but Clay F. Johnson of near Logan has produced an apple that put Walker and Adams out of commission. Mr. Johnson has grown an apple on his farm measuring seventeen inches in circumference.

Brick Mason Kills Tailor in Fall.

Des Moines.—Losing his balance while working at the top of the south wall of the Coliseum, W. J. Kennedy, a bricklayer, plunged with terrific force through fifty-five feet of space striking squarely upon John A. Holmquist, a tailor, who was passing beneath. Holmquist's neck was broken, and he died within a few minutes. Kennedy suffered only a slight scalp wound, and his right ear was partly torn off.

Northern Iowa Potato Harvest.

Forest City.—While other sections of north Iowa met serious loss by frost to their potato crop, the loss here will be slight. The potato harvest is in full blast and the yield throughout the country is averaging 150 bushels per acre. About 5,000 bushels were marketed here in one day, many being shipped out, at a price on the cars of 35 cents per bushel.

Draw Plans for Hospital Wing.

Iowa City.—Architect W. T. Proudfoot, Des Moines, is perfecting plans for the new wing of the university hospital. The wing will cost $75,000. The contract will be let in January and work will probably be commenced next spring. The building will be modern in every way.

Shoots Off Toe.

Mt. Pleasant.—Emery Martin accidentally shot off a part of one of his toes while shooting at rats at the county jail. He is serving a sentence and being a trusty was given the gun to shoot the rats which were getting thick around the jail.

Delegates to Farm Land Congress.

Des Moines, Iowa.—Before leaving for St. Louis, where he will join President Taft's down-the-Mississippi party, Governor Carroll named the Iowa delegates to the National Farm Land congress, which meets in Chicago for a five day session Nov. 16.

The twenty-four men who will represent Iowa are: O. J. Gibson, Red Oak; Winfield Smouse, Washington; A. F. N. Hambleton, Oskaloosa; F. B. Rogers, Britt; J. W. Topping, Burlington; M. V. Bolton, Cedar Rapids; Eugene Secor, Forest City; William Stewart, Mount Pleasant; P. A. Fisher, Fairfield; E. T. Meredith, Des Moines; E. L. Roth, Ottumwa; Julius Kunz, Wesley; B. T. Nix, Afton; Frank Sheldon, Mount Ayr; Frank E. Jones, Corning; J. W. Reed, Ida Grove; H. P. Snover, Battle Creek; John H. Riley, Waterloo; J. A. Mooney, Waverly; S. L. Berry, Bloomfield; E. A. Walker, Moulton; B. R. Vail, Bonaparte; John Ledgerwood, Leon; W. C. Brown, Clarion.

Charles A. Walsh, former state chairman of the democratic central committee, is secretary of the congress. The president of the United States, the secretary of the interior, secretary of agriculture, governors of all states and territories and hundreds of other men high in the business world and in state and federal administration are members of the congress.

The object of the congress is to educate and inform the people of the country as to the possibilities for development of all lands in the United States; to promote the movement for farm land reclamation and farm development; to encourage colonization and settlement, and the like.

The session Nov. 16 will be the first in the history of the organization.

Unusual Family Reunion.

Marshalltown.—By means of publicity by the newspapers of Iowa, Mrs. O. O. Donley of Vinton, Ia.; Mrs. Clarence Kirk of Bangor, Ia.,; Mrs. John Cole of Newton, Kan., and Lee Chase of Burlington, Ia., have been brought to know one another as brother and sisters should. Twenty years ago the family was separated in this city and the children were reared in different homes. No one knew of the other's whereabouts until Mrs. Donley made an appeal through the newspapers. Two of her sisters were found within a few days, and now the brother's attention has been called to the notice. The three sisters returned from Burlington, where they went to see their brother, and the reunion proved a most happy one. There are two brothers, Henry and Roy Chase, some place, but their whereabouts are still unknown.

Farmers' Mutual Election.

Allison.—The Butler County Farmers' Mutual Insurance company has insurance in force to the amount of $5,145,203. At the annual meeting of the company the following officers were elected: W. P. Miller, president; W. A. Broka, vice president; A. T. Perrin, secretary; W. F. Ray, treasurer.

Gets Thirty Years In Pen.

Le Mars.—Judge Mould in the district court sentenced Caspar Mehuis to thirty years in the penitentiary. Mehuis attempted to murder Anna Wengles, a 17-year-old girl on April 14 because she rejected his attentions. He fired five shots into her body. He pleaded guilty.

Midget Babe Dies.

Marshalltown. — Albion's midget babe, Chester Carton, the 1-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Graves, who weighed three pounds at birth, gave up the unequal struggle for existence, due to mal-nutrition. The babe when born could be completely covered by a quart cup.

Try to Burn Church.

Council Bluffs.—An attempt was made to burn the St. Paul's church. A cocoa matting was picked up, thrown over the rear seats of the church and set on fire. When discovered by the janitor the church was filled with smoke but the fire had burned out.

Oxford Farmer Found Dead.

Iowa City.—The body of Adam Probst, a young farmer, was found on his father's farm near Oxford. It is supposed his neck was broken by being pitched from a horse while herding cattle. The family thought he was visiting a neighbor. He was 20 years old.

Require Parents Consent.

Belle Plaine.—The Belle Plaine school board has adopted and published resolutions to the effect that any pupil in the public schools must obtain the written consent of its parents or guardian to permit the pupil to take part in a game of football.

Has Pellagra.

Marengo.—C. E. Vance has pellagra according to a local physician. This is the first case of the kind in Iowa. The disease is common in Europe.

PENSION TEACHERS

Fund Certain to Be Asked of the Next Legislature.

PROGRAM FOR CONVENTION

Topics for Lectures at State Meeting in Des Moines Auditorium, November 4-6, Announced—Headquarters at Savery.

Des Moines, Oct. 30—A State Pension fund maintained by biennial appropriation for the benefit of the teachers of Iowa who have taught in the public schools twenty-five years or over, will be asked of the next legislature by the teachers of the state in association in Des Moines, Nov. 4-6.

By ruling of the association, subjects that affect the welfare of the teachers and mean legislative enactments, must first pass the consideration of the educational council of the association twice before coming before the assembled body for final adoption. This was done at the educational council meeting last year. The plan was adopted unanimously by the council on second years consideration and now comes to final adoption at the state meeting. That this plan will be adopted is without doubt. The teachers believe it is now public policy for the state to recompense its teaching force in the public schools for remainder of life after they have spent a quarter of a century in moulding the state's citizenship. W. H. Bender of Cedar Falls, will bring this subject up again in the educational council which meets the day previous to the annual meeting. Another subject that may reach conclusion will be state jurisdiction over medical inspection of the public schools. J. C. King of Boone will have charge of this school inspection discussion.

The official program for the association has been issued by the executive committee. The official headquarters will be the Savery hotel and the general association sessions will be held in the Auditorium. The program for the general association opens Thursday evening with the annual address of the president, E. J. H. Beard of Newton. He will be followed by Dr. Frank Crane of Chicago. The superintendent of public instruction gives his annual address to the association Friday morning. His subject will be: "The State Association and School Legislation." His address will be followed by that of President A. Ross Hill of Missouri and Professor Rollin D. Salisbury of Chicago university on the subject, "Theories of the Origin of the Earth." Friday evening, Dean James E. Russell of the Teachers' college of Columbia university will give the address on the subject, "School Training Through Handiwork and Headwork." On Saturday morning Dean Charles H. Judd of the school of education of the University of Chicago will give an address on "Scientific Study of Education." He will be followed by Miss Jane Brownlee of New York, subject not announced. A. S. Draper, educational commissioner for New York state, will give an address on the subject, "Public Morals and Public Schools." The business meeting of the association will be held all of Saturday afternoon, that the questions of a pension fund and medical inspection of schools may be given entire attention and some policy adopted for legislative enactment.

Th eround table of the association will be held Thursday afternoon in the class rooms of the West Des Moines High school. The college department will be in charge of Dean J. P. Stephenson of Des Moines college. It is this department this year that names the president. The departments and chairman are as follows: County superintendents and principals, W. E. Cramer, Red Oak; intermediate and grammar, O. W. Hunt, Sioux City; primary, Miss Fannie Foster, Sioux City; English, Miss Ellen M. Geyer, Iowa City; Mathematics, A. W. Merrill, Des Moines; Latin, Louise Smith, Cedar Rapids; German, Charles Bundy, Wilson; history and civics, President Charles Eldred Shelton, Indianola; manual training, R. C. Kelly, Sioux City; drawing, Miss Clara A. Wilson, Des Moines; physical education, Otto Wendelburg, Des Moines; physics, L. Begeman, Cedar Falls; chemistry, Sarah Nollen, Des Moines; biology, B. E. Conkin, Des Moines.

The departments and sections will be held Friday afternoon. The mothers' congress of Iowa meets as an auxiliary with the teachers' association. Mrs. Florence Ward of Cedar Rapids and Mrs. J. G. Grundy of Des Moines will have charge of the program.

The annual college reunions and banquets will be held at the different hotels Friday evening at 5 o'clock.

State Fair Nets Neat Sum.

The financial statement of t partment of agriculture coveri last state fair has been made b retary John Simpson showing the profits from this year's fair $29,828.56. This is considerabl than last year due to the inc expenses of the fair and to the The total expense was $10[illegible],353, last year the expense was bu 000. The receipts this year were 182 which is but about $1,500 g than last year. The two rainy cost the state fair over $25,000 least calculation.

The statement shows that the proceeds from the state fai 000 was put into improvement year. The year before, $53,000 a year before that $41,000 was pu improvements on the grounds the proceeds of the fair making tal of $150,000 that has been pu improvements above the appr tions made by the legislature. ing the appropriations from the lature the improvements made fair grounds this year amou $155,899.11.

Fine Legal Point in Case.

County Attorney A. M. Clou Delaware county, acting for the treasurer, has brought action to the supervisors of Delaware to pay the state a collateral i tance tax of 5 per cent on the farm left by Harry Spangler fo inmates of the Delaware county farm.

The case is now up to the su court, Prosecutor Cloud having ried the case there after being aganist in district court.

The Spangler bequest to th fortunates is one of the most bequests ever made and has mad county farm inmates famous. Th provided that a farm valued at was to be held in trust by the supervisors and that once each all the unfortunates in the poor were to be given to eat all tha income could buy.

For several years the inmates strived to meet this provision b yet have never been able to e that the income from the $9,000 could buy. Everything eatable had a place on the unfortunates' the day of the annual "big feed always there was money left ov

Des Moines Shows Big Building

Des Moines made the biggest of any city in the country in bui operations for September over same month a year ago.

Building permits aggregating 760, an increase of 730 per cent, issued during September of this according to statistics issued by street's. New Orleans made the ond biggest gain in building tions with 239 per cent, while kane was third with 236 per ce crease.

The total building operations Greater New York for the were $13,890,596, which sum sents an increase of only 3.5 per over September of last year.

San Francisco showed a loss o per cent in the building for month. This was because of th building of San Francisco last Detroit and Buffalo also showed es for the month.

Injured in Bridge Smash.

Edith Lowe, an occupant of th fated Highland Park street car collided with an interurban ca the Highland Park bridge a time ago and resulted in the of two men, has brought actio district court to recover $10,000 ages from the city and inter railway companies to cover he juries.

Baby Drowns in Wash Tub.

A sad accident is reported Huxley, where the little son o and Mrs. Ben Storm, aged 18 mo was drowned in a tub containin inches of water. The mother m the little fellow and began a se which resulted in the finding o child's corpse, headforemost in tub.

Carroll Names New Examiners.

Governor Carroll has appointe T. A. Cook of Burlington and I A. West of Des Moines membe the state board of medical exam Dr. Cook succeeds Dr. Conne Dubuque, whose term has ex and Dr. West will take the pla Dr. Ball of Tama, who resigne

Convention Comes to Des Moine

The 1910 Iowa State Conventi the Court of Honor has been se for Des Moines. It will be hel first week in February. A great paign for a class of 1,000 for initi at that time is now on in full Frank Johnson has been appo city manager.

Bride Dies at Hospital.

Mrs. C. R. Hardin, formerly Iva Ashley and a bride of only ven weeks, died at Mercy ho after a lingering illness. Her fa who came to Des Moines from shalltown died here only a few ago of asthma.

LIPS THAT WERE SEALED

BY ALMA MARTIN ESTABROOK

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with a scene at a box party. Miss Henrietta Winstantley, sister of Bishop Winstanley overheard Banker Ankony propose to Barbara Hemingray, whose brother Dan was in his company. Dan was one of the town's popular young men. He showed some nervousness when Attorney Tom Twining told him Barbara refused Ankony. Ankony the following day, summoning Twining, accused Dan of looting the bank. Twining refused to prosecute. Barbara persuaded Ankony to postpone starting prosecution. Twining learned of the engagement of Ankony and Barbara. He congratulated both. He visited Miss Hemingray and found her almost in tears. He told her he had loved her, but regretted prematurely announcing his affection. By actions alone she told him of reciprocated. Mrs. Anson Dines, wealthy widow, proposed a marriage by proxy with Bishop Winstanley. The latter consulted with Twining. The bishop had been paying attentions to Miss Fleeter. Dan consulted Twining, saying his sister was determined to marry Ankony, declaring she actually loved the banker, though he could not help believing she was making a sacrifice to save him from jail. Miss Winstanley, finding a pressed rose in the bishop's book, suspected a love affair. Mrs. Dines sailed for America. Miss Winstanley informed Twining that Mrs. Dines was intent upon stopping the marriage of Barbara and Ankony. Mrs. Dines arrived and Ankony immediately set about to sail with Barbara for Europe the following day, in order, it seemed, to avoid Mrs. Dines.

CHAPTER IX.—Continued.

She regarded me curiously there in the dim light of the old door-way, then bent her head distractingly until I could see only her lips and her rounded chin. That the lips trembled a little I could have sworn, but her voice was steady, although it was so low I could scarcely hear it.

"The seal was set long ago," she said. And for just an instant we stood, her fingers in mine; then she withdrew them and went in and left me.

I hailed a cab and went at once to Henrietta Winstanley. I found her poring over her charity accounts in her brother's study, looking miserable and down-spirited.

"Have you heard?" I demanded at once.

"Nothing. Not a word. What is there to hear?" she cried, with kindling excitement.

"She sent you a note, too, I suppose. It must have been delayed."

"Who sent me a note? Do try to be a little lucid, won't you? What has happened?"

"Nothing yet. It all happens tomorrow. Ankony is to marry Barbara at noon and sail with her by the Deutschland in the afternoon. I have just seen her. How is Mrs. Dines? Dare we hope—"

She caught me by the arm and shook it in her agitation.

"Dean has warned him! Don't you see? I told Hannah that he was Ankony's friend before he became her agent. That's exactly what he has done. You see, she sent for him yesterday and made him bring a packet of papers that she went over with him. Those papers incriminate Ankony. And Dean has warned him. If he marries Barbara, he knows that Mrs. Dines will not prosecute him. He'll be safe forever as Barbara's husband. And so he has the double motive in carrying her off; he wants her, and he wants to stop Hannah. But we'll see whether he can do it or not. We'll see. Wait for me. I must tell her at once."

She ran from the room and pattered up the stairs. I heard the excited babble of their voices from a room above, and her brisk steps as she paced the floor over my head.

I was as excited as she and impatient of any delay, but they did not keep me waiting long, and when she came again her cheeks were burning like a girl's.

"She'll stop him," she declared, in a high-pitched voice that trembled in its own elation. "She says she can do it. You leave it to her. She'll attend to it."

"But is she able? Isn't she abed?"

She laughed out sharply.

"My dear, if she were dead she'd send her spirit back to outwit him. That's what she'd do."

"What has she come armed with?" I mused.

She shook her head, smiling.

"Something that will do the work," she declared; "you may rely on that." And she put her hands in mine and smiled a flashing smile up at me.

With her assurance ringing in my ears and all my nerves throbbing, I left her, and went home and tried to dine, and then to sleep, but could do neither.

CHAPTER X.

At an unearthly hour the next morning Ankony sent for me to go over some last company affairs with him. He looked as if he had slept as little as I, and was exceedingly nervous.

"Miss Hemingray wrote you that we are to be married at noon," he said. "We sail by the Deutschland. This business which is taking me will admit of no delay. It is awkward, coming just at this time. There are several affairs I shall have to leave unsettled here, but I'll explain them to you, and you can keep an eye on them while I'm away. We expect to get back as quickly as possible. I tried to find you yesterday, but you were out. However, I have as much time now as I had then—which isn't a great deal, you will understand."

"You came to this decision yesterday?" I asked, looking at him with deliberate inspection.

He nodded. "Annoyingly sudden all round; but, fortunately, Miss Hemingray can make herself ready to go with me. Nothing but this very necessary business in London could make me change her plans so completely."

I looked at him curiously, and, giving me a quick glance, he moved to his desk.

"We must get to business," he said."

"By all means," I answered.

Throughout the consultation he kept looking at his watch and glancing toward the door, as if he feared an interruption and wanted to put himself out of reach of it. I expected it, too, but hardly so soon as it came.

Mrs. Dines Turned Her Chair Till She Faced Him.

"Mrs. Dines and Miss Winstanley," the office boy announced.

My eyes fixed eagerly upon Ankony. He went as white as chalk as he turned toward the door and saw them there, and his jaw took an ugly set.

Mrs. Dines was as pale as she had been when she came down the gangplank of the Cambria, but she was quite composed. Beside her little Miss Winstanley looked like an agitated moth beside a placid robin. I was nearer the door than Ankony, and in sweeping me with her glance Mrs. Dines bowed curtly, then let her eyes travel on at once to him.

She overlooked the hand that he extended rather hesitatingly, and, sitting down where I had sat beside his desk, motioned him to his chair.

"I have heard of your engagement to Miss Hemingray," she said at once.

He murmured a conventional reply, and I took up my hat.

"Don't go, if you please, Mr. Twining," she said, without so much as turning to me. "We shall probably require your services, if you will be so good as to remain."

The scent of battle was thick in the air. Ankony had lost his pallor and was turning gray; he is always gray or choleric under emotion. I began to believe in Mrs. Dines, even as Henrietta Winstanley did. There was that about her which seemed to denote certain victory.

Poor Miss Winstanley, however, looked decidedly uncomfortable, in spite of the fact that she felt she was about to witness the culmination of this engagement which she held to be so monstrous. She too was a general, and a good one—one whose record none could assail—but her mode of attack differed widely from that of her friend Mrs. Dines. She was a stategist, pure and simple, while one could see with half an eye that Mrs. Dines had been born to the hammer-and-tongs method. She scorned strategy as some illustrious generals scorn latter-day war tactics.

She leaned toward Ankony across his wide desk.

"I have come from Africa to tell you that you must break the engagement at once," she said, making no pretense at lowering her full, steady voice.

Over the gray of his face a dull red spread and his lip curled slowly into an ugly downward curve.

"The statement is amazing, as well as amusing, madam," he observed, meeting her eyes steadily enough.

But she refused to skirmish. Her attack was to be open and direct, with no foolish beating about in the bushes.

"You know precisely why I make it, and how I can compel you to comply with it," she said.

He answered her with a smile of bravado.

"It has been a long time since this thing happened to which I refer, Mr. Ankony," she went on quickly; "but the sense of injury is not short lived. I may seem to have forgotten, as did my husband, no doubt. But he remembered, and so do I. Shall I go further?"

"We must speak in private," he said.

Miss Winstanley and I arose at once, but Mrs. Dines motioned us to remain.

"Miss Winstanley is equally interested with me in the establishment of justice," she said to him, "and Mr. Twining may be required to distinguish for you between the illegal and the merely dishonorable. They must both remain. I should have been glad to spare you this, as I think my continued inaction in the matter must prove to you. But you have forced me to act. You have violated all sense of honor and right, and you have brought upon your head precisely the thing you would most eagerly have averted. If you thought I would stand by and see you marry Barbara Hemingray, knowing you to be the sort of man you are, you greatly misjudge me. But I am inclined to believe that you did not think me to be my husband's confidante, and that you felt yourself secure, your ignominy buried with him."

Ankony arose and held open the door into the inner office.

"I must insist upon discussing this matter in private," he protested hotly, in a voice that quavered.

Mrs. Dines sat still, an imperative hand held out detainingly to us. "The time is past for that," she told him; "if you had sought me out long ago it might have been very different. But understand that I mean to make no public disclosures if you accede to my demand. It remains with you to decide whether or not the very unpleasant facts go forth."

He continued to stand across the room from her, his hand still upon the door. He did not reply, and I could feel, rather than see, that he was terribly shaken. Mrs. Dines turned her chair till she faced him.

"That we may come to an understanding at once, I think I should tell you in the beginning that I know that when you were my husband's agent some years ago you hypothecated securities that were his—not yours. You were hard pushed then, and he knew it to be the crucial period of your whole business career; so he waited, believing that his confidence in you had not been entirely misplaced and that when you could you would make good the amount you had—stolen. But you did not. And after two years, when you had become amply able to do so, and did not, he realized that you had grown secure in the belief that your peculation was not discovered, and that you were without even the semblance of honor. He admitted this with singular reluctance, Mr. Ankony, for I think you know that he trusted you as not many men trust their fellows."

She paused, her eyes on his face. His muttered reply was not coherent, and she went on at once:

"When he saw you at last as you really were, he determined to prosecute you; but there came his last long illness and his death, and afterward my heart had softened a little to you and I had not the mind beside to put shame and sorrow upon your mother, so I did nothing. But when I heard the amazing news that you had proposed to marry a girl like Barbara Hemingray, I came back to America to tell you that you must give her up or the delayed prosecution will begin at once."

Then he spoke. "You understand what this is you ask of me?" he said thickly.

"Perfectly," she nodded, and her tone was less unkindly. "If I did not know just how sweet and lovely and full of grace and innocence she is, I might perhaps have stayed away and left you to your wooing."

There was a long silence.

"You demand large interest, Mrs. Dines," he said.

"Accumulated interest is always large," she retorted. "But I do not wish to humiliate you any more than is necessary. You must, of course, bring to an immediate end this unfortunate engagement—I believe you were to have been married at noon, were you not?" She glanced at the clock. "You have not much time. Some part of the truth Miss Hemingray must know. But you may make your own explanation aside from that. I only exact that she shall be made to understand that whatever sense of obligation she may have entertained for you is dissipated."

Ankony colored painfully and made no reply.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Totem Pole Thief is Punished

The theft of an ancient totem pole from the old Tongass Indian village on Cat Island, Alaska, is what caused the arrest and imprisonment of Clarence McBeth, a resident of Ketchikan, Alaska, recently. The story of the arrest was received in detail at the office of E. T. Allen, district supervisor of government forest reserves.

With a party of friends McBeth chartered the launch Elk and went over to the island. The totem pole was stolen under cover of darkness from the Indian village, tied to the boat and towed behind on the return trip.

According to Supervisor Allen, the government's regulations concerning the protection of aboriginal antiquities are very stringent, and officials hope this case will prove an object lesson to persons who have been making it a business to collect these relics and sell them. The Indians regard the action of the palefaces as nothing short of sacrilege.

The Pessimist.

We make him pause in his repining; make him admit the silver lining may be there, as stated. Alas, he is a hardened sinner, and says he'll wager us a dinner that lining's only plated.

Must Do It.

When a man takes his wife to the theater he thinks it's up to him to go out between the acts and telephone home to learn if the house is still there.

Gigantic Grain Elevator.

The port of Rosario, Argentina, has a grain elevator capable of loading 1,000 tons an hour. Its cost was $1,000,000.

All Who Would Enjoy

good health, with its blessings, must understand, quite clearly, that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to living aright. Then the use of medicines may be dispensed with to advantage, but under ordinary conditions in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time and the California Fig Syrup Co. holds that it is alike important to present the subject truthfully and to supply the one perfect laxative to those desiring it.

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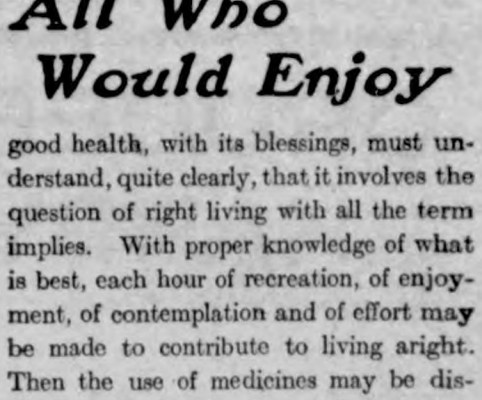

"Half a pound of tea, please?"

"Green or black?"

"Doesn't matter which. It's for a blind person."

SUFFERED TERRIBLY.

How Relief from Distressing Kidney Trouble Was Found.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wolf, 388 W. Morgan St., Tipton, Mo., says: "Inflammation of the bladder reached its climax last spring and I suffered terribly. My back ached and pained so I could hardly get around and the secretions were scanty, frequent of passage and painful. I was tired all the time and very nervous. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and after taking a few boxes was cured and have been well ever since."

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Preserves clothes and makes and keeps them white as snow. All grocers 5c.

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Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach liver and bowels and cure constipation.

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We have just received a new shipment and will be glad to show them to you. Call early while the assortment is complete. See the Summit Range

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Are You Going to Build?

If so, let us figure on your Lumber bill. We have a large stock and a fine assortment of Lumber, Sash, Doors, Tile. both square and diamond Mesh Field Fence, and everything carried in a first class lumber yard. It will pay you to get our figures.....

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ALLEN C. FLINT, PUBLISHER

Published every Thursday at Klemme, Iowa.

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Locals 5 cents per line each insertion. Display advertising 10 cents per inch. Display advertising 7c per inch without chang by the year.

Advertising accounts due on the last publication day of each month. Job work cash on delivery.

Peck Hanson and O. F. Missman returned from the Dakotas the last of the week. Should they both succeed in getting good claims near each other one could clerk the work, the other could put it on record, but who would do it?—Garner Democrat.

Such base insinuations against two of our hustling, ambitious, energetic, hard-working county officials should not be tolerated and could be concocted only in a rank, dyed-in the-wool, rip-roaring democratic sanctum. Anyone who is acquainted with either Missman or Hanson knows it would be a source of much contention between them as to which would be allowed to do the most hard work. These worthy officials will be able to get even with the greatest and only democratic paper in the county for the above vile slander upon their innocent heads by turning that paper down the next time it asks for republican patronage. Wow! The very fact that a person tries to get a farm shows that he wants to work—although it is sometimes done by proxy or deputy.

Frank Ufken is a new subscriber to this great family journal.

Sheriff Suurballe was down from the county seat last Thursday.

German M. E. Church Items

Grandpa Kraus was on the sick list the first of the week.

The Klemme W. F. M. S. met with Mrs. Arthur Wellemeyer Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Griewe spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Kanawha.

Camilla Neff was in Garner a few days last week and took the teachers' examination.

John Gruetzmacher and family were Germantown callers last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Schuler and children of Garner, visited several days at the John Gruetzmacher home.

A number of our school teachers will attend the state teachers convention at Des Moines this week.

On account of the unpleasant weather the Standard Bearer meeting was changed from Monday to Tuesday evening.

Florence Sampson went to Buelah, Iowa, last Saturday to get acquainted with her new relatives. She will return with her mother the last of this week.

The Standard Bearers spent a delightful evening at the home of Joe Schuldt, Sr., on Tuesday. There were 31 present besides the family. For a change the young men furnished the entire program for the evening. After the regular mission study they entertained the ladies with a few hallowe'en stunts which were enjoyed by all The Misses Tena and Friede Schuldt had prepared a splendid lunch consisting of coffee, sandwiches and pumpkin pie which was relished like a good breakfast by a hungry tramp.

Young Girls are Victims

of headache as well as older women, but all get quick relief and prompt cure from Dr. King's New Life Pills, the world's best remedy for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

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Latest and most approved styles

We are showing the nicest line of Stylish Millinery ever shown in our town and we want every lady in this vicinity to call and see our line.

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Friday and Saturday, Oct. 29 and 30, and Nov. 5 and 6. On Children's Headwear

Children's Tams, Caps and Hoods at COST.
A fine line of Bengaline and Moire Silks for ladies waists at Reduced Prices.

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The Winter Season

Is now close at hand and it calls for good, warm wearing apparel, good Shoes and Overshoes, etc. We are, as usual, prepared to furnish you with the needed articles and our prices are as low as possible, consistent with the quality of goods we furnish. We want to call your special attention to our full and complete line of

Genuine Old Fashioned Wool Flannel

Ranging in price per yard from.... **50c TO $1.50**

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Outing Flannels

The kind usually sold for 10c per yard we sell for.... 8c

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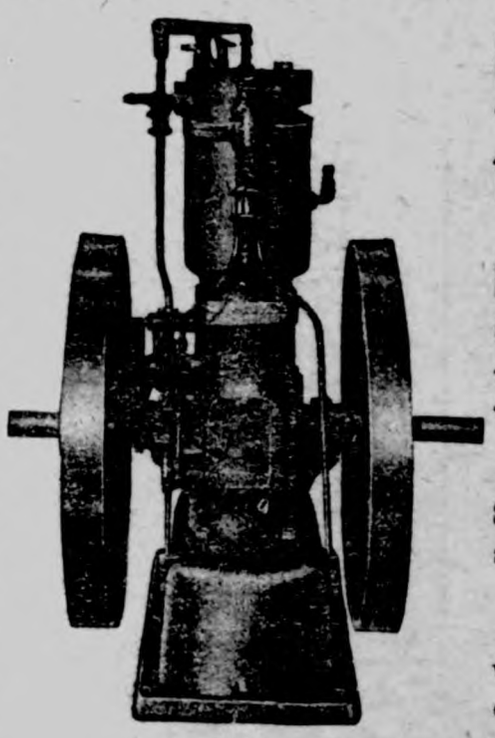
This is no special sale, just our every-day prices.

See our complete line of Seasonable Goods.
We absolutely guarantee satisfaction.

W. J. BARZ, - Garner, Iowa



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Notice of Probate of Will

STATE OF IOWA, } ss
Hancock County, }

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Charles Schroeder, deceased, was filed in the office of the undersigned on the 25th day of October, A. D 1909, and that December 6th, 1909, was fixed for hearing proof in relation thereto.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the District Court attached at Garner, in said County, this 25th day of October, A. D., 1909.

(SEAL) O. F. MISSMAN,
Clerk of the District Court.
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e Best Ever— Blue Point er crackers. They're fine. a package with your next ers. At Kluckhohn's. 13tf

rs. George Schuler and Mrs Schuler, of Garner, visited a few days during the past at the John Gruetzmacher e.

handle the Ball Band and Royal Blue rubber goods in irst qualities, and am sell-these goods at about the e usually charged for the od quality. Buy your win-supply of footwear for the e family NOW. Frank etzmacher.

Fresh oysters daily at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. John Newberger, on Monday, Nov. 1, a boy.

A foundation is being built under the barber shop building. Harve Allen is doing the work.

Henry Schroeder and family drove down from Garner yesterday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. O. S. Bailey and little son, of Britt, visited this week in Klemme with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Flint.

A dance is billed to take place in the Klemme opera house Friday evening. Nov. 12th. The Imperial Harp Orchestra will furnish the music.

Mrs. A. B. Shafer celebrated her 63rd birthday on Tuesday, and on that day her friends from near and far showered her with post cards, she receiving in all about eighty cards.

Fresh apple cider at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

Being obliged to take it for rent I will sell it out cheap;

Dr. Hess Stock Food.

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Dr. Hess Hog Worm Powder. To be had at G. F. Schuler's Garner, Iowa.

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M. E. Peck was down from Garner Saturday.

A new baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stille on Sunday, Oct. 31st.

Lawrence Larsen, M. I. Parker and Frank Wenck were Garner visitors last Thursday.

C. C. Suckow and wife drove up to Garner Sunday. Their daughter Fern, who had been visiting at the Schuldt home there, returned home with them.

Autos are all right sometimes but a team of horses is a more sure means of locomotion in all kinds of weather—as one of our autoists who lives east of town found out last Sunday night when he got stuck in the mud down in Avery Center.

Carrol Church and Miss Alpha Christenson, both of Goodell, were married at the German Reformed parsonage in Klemme on Wednesday evening, October 27, Rev. Achtermann officiating. Earl Clark and Gertrude Parker accompanied the contracting parties and acted as witnesses.

Our friend, Fred Haupt of Klemme, was so sick that he was taken to Dubuque to the hospital. They feared cancer of the stomach. The doctors at Dubuque told him that was not the case and he would better return home. He came back Tuesday and as he was out to the Dakotas he thought the derangement might have been caused by alkali water.—Garner Democrat.

Read the new State Savings Bank ad.

Mrs. Wm. F. Lau came down from Garner Saturday evening.

If you are in the market for a gasoline engine, see us about the Gade engine before purchasing. Wm Schmidt or J. W. Scott. 12-5*

Mrs. A. C. Flint entertained a few lady friends Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. A. B. Shafer and Mrs. O. S. Bailey of Britt.

George Wellemeyer was down from Garner Sunday visiting with relatives and friends. George some years ago presided over the destinies of this paper.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. White are the happy parents of a brand new baby boy of regulation size and fineness. The little fellow came to take up his abode with them last Thursday, the 28th.

Misses Pearl Volding and Isabel Milde, of Crystal Lake, came down last Thursday evening for a visit at the L. E. Bowker home. They were former pupils of Prof. Bowker when he was at the Lake.

We note a great improvement in the appearance of the old Hancock County Democrat the past two weeks, since G. L. Wellemeyer has been working in that office. Last week the paper had nearly twice the usual amount of local news and there was a marked improvement in the ads and general make-up.

FURS

We are paying leading prices for No. 1 Furs of all kinds, Mink, Muskrat, Weasel, Skunk and Civot Cat. Don't fail to let us examine your furs as our price will buy them. Yours for a prosperous fur season,

ELL BROS.

The basket social given in the opera house last Friday evening by the Royal Neighbors was a most successful affair. A good sized crowd was present and the baskets sold well. A guessing contest as to the number of seeds in a large pumpkin was won by M. I. Parker and he received a handsome prize.

Ralph Blank and wife returned last Saturday evening from Minneapolis where they had been called by the illness of Mrs. Blank's mother. On Monday morning Ralph went to Goodell where he has secured a position as section foreman for the Rock Island, and we understand he intends to move down there soon.

The Des Moines Capital and the Klemme Times will be sent to any address from now until Jan. 1, 1911, on receipt of $2.85. This is an exceptionally liberal offer and should be taken advantage of at once to secure its full benefits. If you have already paid in advance for the Times, ask for our rate on the Capital. Call at this office today and get a daily paper for the winter's reading.

The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York last week made a prompt settlement of the $10,000 policy held by the late Rodney Hill, of Britt. During the month of September (4 weeks) it issued twenty-four and a half million dollars of 'new business.' Drop a post card to its agent, J. D. G. Houghton, Goodell, Iowa, and get particulars of the strongest and safest Insurance Co. and the policies that give best returns. 14-2

Wm. Fuller's mother left last Monday evening for her home, after an extended visit with him here.

Ray Hillary and Miss Avis Sage drove down from Garner Sunday afternoon and visited at the Times home.

We are glad to report that Henry Medaus has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be up and around again.

The Northern Lumber Company is building new cement walks along the front of their business lots, which is a noteworthy improvement. John Henschen and his men are doing the work.

At the October meeting of the Klemme Fire Company the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—John Baumgartner.

Vice President—Arthur Wellemeyer.

Secretary—F. A. Arnold.

Treasurer—Chas. Yahnke.

Chief—Herman Miller.

Ass't Chief—Fred Ridder.

Trustees — Fred Henschen, John Terhufen and Herman Miller.

A Scalded Boy's Shrieks

horrified his grandmother, Mrs Maria Taylor, of Nebo, Ky., who writes that when all thought he would die, Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured him. Infallible for burns, scalds, cuts, corns boils, skin eruptions, chilblains, chapped hands. Soon routs piles. 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

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Best Grades of Hard and Soft Coal. Will be prepared to furnish my patrons with the celebrated Petroleum COKE about July 1st. Leave your orders while you can get the coke.

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Russel's Maple Nut Chocolates—Try them and you will buy nothing else.

Get one of our delicious Oyster Stews and you will become a regular customer.

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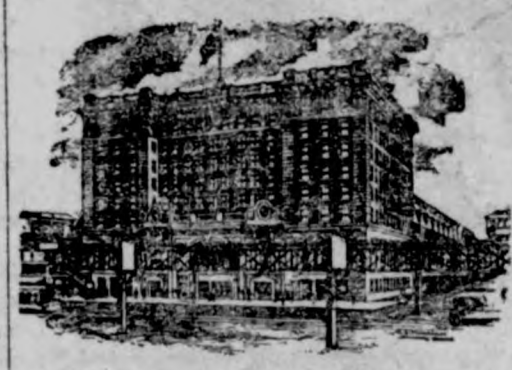

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TAFT FOR WATERWAY

TELLS CONVENTION AT NEW ORLEANS HE FAVORS THE PROJECT.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF ALL

President Promises the Support of the Administration, But Will Not Stand for Any "Pork Barrel"—Sherman, Cannon and Dickinson Pledge Aid.

New Orleans, Nov. 1.—Ringing demands for "14 feet through the valley" and elaborate argument in support of the program for the creation of a deep waterway from the lakes to the gulf have marked the great convention of the Deep Waterway association that opened here Saturday.

President Taft, Vice-President Sherman, Speaker Cannon, governors of the Mississippi valley states, innumerable senators and representatives and a mighty throng of private citizens who believe in the big river project are here and all urge that it be undertaken and carried to a speedy conclusion.

President Taft Promises Support.

President Taft, who arrived in New Orleans escorted by a great flotilla, after an illuminating trip down the Mississippi river from St. Louis, landed from the lighthouse tender Oleander about eight o'clock Saturday morning, and was driven to his hotel through streets that were canopied with magnolia barnches, palmettoes and southern moss, and everywhere the mottoes "Fourteen Feet Through the Valley" and "River Rate Regulation Is Rate Regulation." At the Athenaeum in the afternoon the president aroused a storm of cheers by promising that if the 14-feet project proved feasible and advisable, the present administration would favor the issuance of government bonds to defray the cost.

Not for a "Pork Barrel."

At the same time Mr. Taft made it plain that he would not stand for any plan to make a "pork barrel" of the project. He said he opposed any such general bond issue of $500,000,000 or $1,000,000,000 for waterways improvement, the money to be cut up and parceled out to different sections. He declared that the improvement of waterways had been carried forward in a haphazard fashion in the past, and that a new method should be adopted.

Vice-President Sherman.

"I believe in the deep waterway," said the president. "I am for it, and I shall use all the power that I possess in doing what may be accomplished to give you citizens of this great valley what you so earnestly desire. It is all a part of a still greater movement inaugurated by Theodore Roosevelt, and properly called by him the conservation of our national resources.

"The projects for irrigation and for the improvement of waterways in the future are not to be for the purpose of distributing 'pork' to every part of the country. Every measure is to be adopted on the ground that it will be useful to the whole country. They are not to be adopted for sending certain congressmen back to Washington or for making certain parts of the country profitable during the expenditure of the money.

"We should take up every comprehensive project on its merits and determine whether the country where the project is to be carried out has so far developed as to justify the enormous expenditure of money and if it will be useful when done. When we decide in favor of a project, I believe in issuing bonds to carry it to completion as rapidly as possible. It has been proposed that we issue bonds for $500,000,000 or $1,000,000,000, and cut it up and parcel the money out in this and that section of the country. I am opposed to any such proposition, because it not only smells of the 'pork barrel,' but would be a 'pork barrel.'"

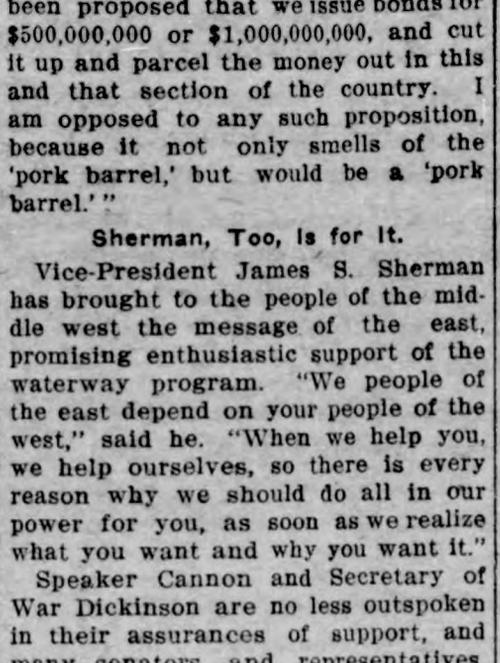
Sherman, Too, Is for It.

Vice-President James S. Sherman has brought to the people of the middle west the message of the east, promising enthusiastic support of the waterway program. "We people of the east depend on your people of the west," said he. "When we help you, we help ourselves, so there is every reason why we should do all in our power for you, as soon as we realize what you want and why you want it."

Speaker Cannon and Secretary of War Dickinson are no less outspoken in their assurances of support, and many senators and representatives, among them Senator Lorimer of Illinois, the father of the deep waterway movement, this afternoon made addresses full of hopeful enthusiasm.

Kavanaugh Opens Convention.

William K. Kavanaugh of Missouri, president of the association, called the



Speaker Joseph G. Cannon.

convention to order Saturday morning and set forth briefly the aims and plans of the organization. He said the deep waterway work is now in this condition:

1. The sanitary district of Chicago has built the deep waterway, practically to Joliet, nearly 40 miles, and $60,000,000 have been spent thus far on the work.

2. The entire route of the lakes-to-the-gulf deep waterway from Joliet to New Orleans, through the Des Plaines river, the Illinois river and the Mississippi river, has been surveyed under direction of congress by United States engineers, who have officially reported to congress that the building of the deep waterway is feasible.

3. The people of the state of Illinois have adopted a constitutional amendment providing for a bond issue of $20,000,000, the money to be spent in constructing the deep waterway southward from Joliet.

4. A bill introduced by United States Representative Richard Bartholdt of Missouri is now pending in congress, providing for the issuance by the United States government of bonds to the amount of $500,000,000, the money to be spent in constructing this deep waterway from the lakes to the gulf and other meritorious projected river improvements.

5. It is intended to ask the Sixty-first congress to pass a bill providing definitely that the United States government undertake the construction of the deep waterway from the point where the Illinois work will end, to the Gulf of Mexico.

In the afternoon, following the address of President Taft, Clifford Pinchot, head of the government forestry department, made an address on the conservation of the nation's natural resources.

In the evening the delegates to the convention were entertained at a stag smoker by the Progressive union of New Orleans. This evening all the delegates and the ladies accompanying them were the guests of the Progressive union at the New Orleans Opera house, where "La Juive" was given by the French Opera Company.

Philately of Aviation.

One of the very few genuine "varieties" in stamps is announced. It would be more correct to say it is a rare postmark. Rare it will be if interested parties did not take advantage of the occurrence and have addressed to themselves thousands of envelopes bearing the mark. It seems that during the now historical aviation week at Rheims a temporary postoffice was set up on the aviation ground and all letters there posted bearing the ordinary French stamps were postmarked "Betheny-Aviation," besides the various service marks. The marking stamp was hexagonal instead of round. These stamps will, no doubt, be curiosities. Time will tell whether they will be sought after like the unnecessary Brunei provisionals, which in the aggregate must have fetched just as high a sum as the year's revenue of the swamp in which they were issued.

HUNTING FOR BIG GAME.

The Highlands of Ontario is an ideal spot for the sportsman during the open hunting season for big game. In the Temagami region moose are plentiful and may be killed during the period from October 16th to November 15th. This territory is a forest preserve of vast expanse, and in addition to being the hunter's paradise, its waters abound with game fish of many species. The home of the red deer is located somewhat to the south of Temagami, particularly in the districts known as "Muskoka Lakes," "Lake of Bays, "Maganetawan River," "Lake Nipissing," and "Kawartha Lakes" territories.

Write to W. S. Cookson, A. G. P. A., 135 Adams St., Chicago, for a copy of "Haunts of Fish and Game," issued by the Grand Trunk Railway System which fully describes the hunting territories reached by this line, giving game laws, maps and all information.

How to Care for the Child.

Perplexed mother writes: "My child has sneezing fits after the morning sponge bath. What would you advise?" Some mothers give their babies a hypodermic of morphine for sneezing. But we have always felt that this was too harsh a remedy. Give the baby about three tablespoonfuls of Old Tom gin with a little sugar and a pinch of lemon peel. The sugar makes this remedy more grateful to the child. Be sure to keep this prophylactic away from father.

Important to Mothers.

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Why He Won.

Abou Ben Adhem set forth his claim.

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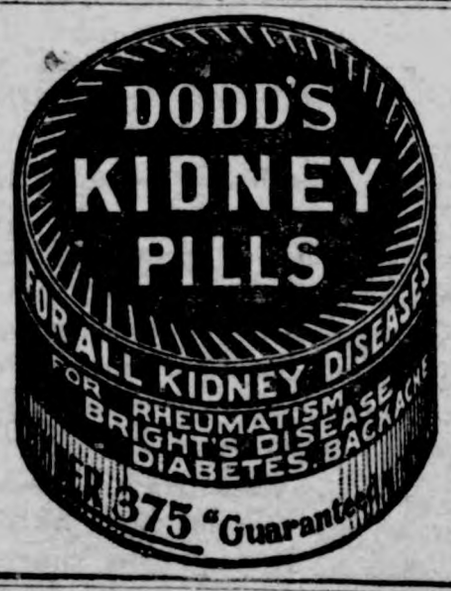
When the end of your work is out of sight, look aloft.—De Lesseps.



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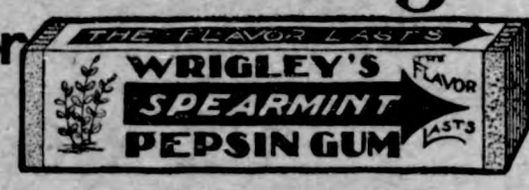

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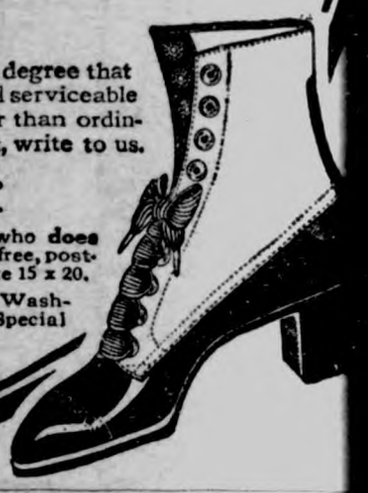

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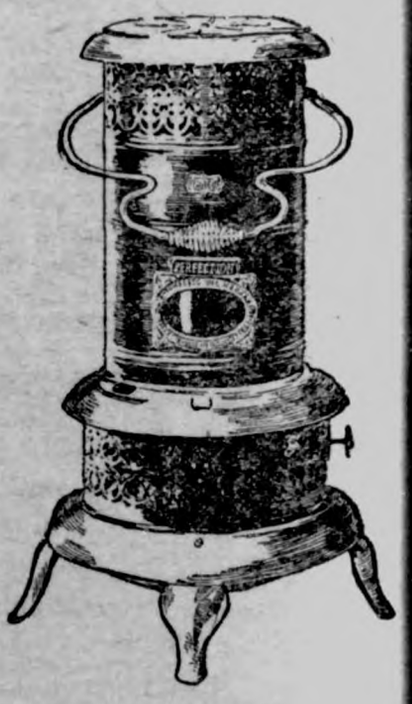

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HISTORICAL ADDRESS BY PRESIDENT MOORE.

McCormick Theological Institution at Chicago is Celebrating the Anniversary of its Founding.

Chicago, Nov. 2—The McCormick Theological seminary of the Presbyterian church is 80 years old today, and is celebrating the anniversary in fitting manner. Eminent theological educators and divines from various parts of the country are here to take part in the ceremonies. The celebration was formally begun last night when the historical address was delivered by President W. W. Moore of Union seminary, Richmond, Va.

At ten o'clock this morning Rev. S. J. Nicolls of St. Louis, president of the board of directors, presided over a conference on the seminary outlook, at which papers were read by Rev. Augustus H. Strong, Rochester, N. Y.; Prof. R. W. Rogers, Madison, N. J. and Prof. Williston Walker, of New Haven, Conn.

In the afternoon there was a conference on ministerial leadership, with papers by three of McCormick's alumni pastors: Rev. J. Ross Stevenson, D. D., New York; Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, D. D., Brooklyn, and Rev. Edward Yates Hill, D. D., Philadelphia, following which a reception was tendered to invited guests, alumni and students.

This evening, with Rev. J. M. Barkley, D. D., moderator of the general assembly, presiding, the closing address will be delivered by President Woodrow Wilson, Princeton, N. J.

JAPS SEE POTOMAC DRIVE

View Boulevard Along Which Cherry Trees Sent by Mikado Will Be Planted.

Washington, Nov. 1—The honorary commercial commissioners of Japan and their large retinue arrived in Washington today and were given a fitting official welcome. The most interesting event of the day for the visitors was an automobile ride out Potomac drive, for it is along this boulevard that the 2,000 cherry trees presented to the United States by the emperor of Japan will be planted.

The shipment and planting of the trees was intrusted to Torajira Watase, one of the commissioners, who said they were sent especially to Mrs. Taft for presentation to the government. In Japan, the land of the cherry blossoms, there are many legends about the cherry tree and flower. The blossom of the Japanese cherry is of a peculiarly delicate beauty and there is a tradition that if the same tone appears in the blossom planted in country, that country can be subjugated by Japan.

Mr. Watese is authority for the statement that while many Japanese trees have been brought to the United States, the color of the blossoms, although just as beautiful, is unlike that in Japan.

NEBRASKA TEACHERS MEET

Forty-fourth Annual Session of Their State Association is Opened in Lincoln.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 3—The forty-fourth annual meeting of the Nebraska State Teachers, association opened here today with a session of the school officers' section presided over by J. C. Elliott of West Point. The speakers were J. J. Tooley of Anselmo, J. F. Daly of Wisner, Charles D. Marr of Fremont and C. E. V. Smith of Beaver City. Tomorrow, in St. Paul's church, President A. L. Caviness of Fairbury will call to order the first general session.

There will be four banquets this evening, one for state university and college graduates, one for the Kearney and Fremont normal graduates, and the fourth for graduates and senior classes from normal training high schools.

Among the well known men who will address the teachers during the meeting are Earl Barnes of Philadelphia, Henry Turner Bailey of Massachusetts, Dr. Luther H. Gulick of New York, W. N. Clifford of the government forestry service, Gilbert B. Morrison of St. Louis, Henry G. Williams of Ohio university and Booker T. Washington.

Interurbans to Meet at Stuart.

Des Moines, Oct. 30.—The directors of the Red Oak, Des Moines and Northern interurban railway and those of the Des Moines, Council Bluffs and Western interurban railway have agreed that the proposed lines shall meet at Stuart.

Forest Fires Uncontrolled.

Deadwood, S. D., Oct. 30—The fire in the Black Hills forest reserve has got beyond control and already 5,000 acres of the finest pine timber in the central hills has been destroyed.

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Outside cleanliness is less than half the battle. A man may scrub himself a dozen times a day, and still be unclean. Good health means cleanliness not only outside, but inside. It means a clean stomach, clean bowels, clean blood, a clean liver, and new, clean, healthy tissues. The man who is clean in this way will look it and act it. He will work with energy and think clean, clear, healthy thoughts.

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Heartless Parent Again.

Beautiful Girl—Gardener, don't make a flower bed there. It will spoil our croquet ground."

Gardener—Can't help it, miss. Them's my orders. Your father says he is going to have this garden devoted to horticulture, not husbandry.

Beaten by Nature.

Waggs—I had the laugh on my wife yesterday

Boggs—How did it happen?

Waggs—We were out driving and she discovered an echo that beat her out of the last word.—Stray Stories.

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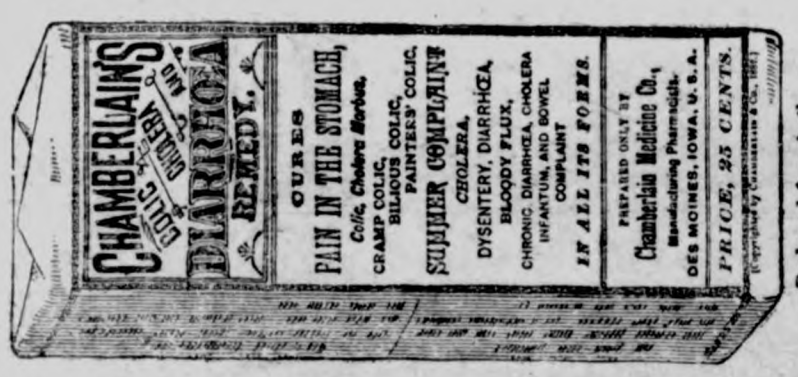

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Lost in Antiquity.

A little fellow who had just felt the hard side of the slipper turned to his mother for consolation.

"Mother," he asked, "did grandpa thrash father when he was a little boy?"

"Yes," answered his mother, impressively.

"And did his father thrash him when he was little?"

"Yes."

"And did his father thrash him?"

"Yes."

A pause.

"Well, who started this thing, anyway?"—Cassell's Saturday Journal.

She Could Not.

"With one wave of my wand," says the fairy, "I can make you grow young again."

"Excuse me," replied the woman, "if I decline your kind offer. If you can bring youth to me at my present age, all right; but I positively refuse to travel back through pyrography, the first stages of bridge, the habit back, the straight front, balloon sleeves, and all the rest of the fads I can remember."

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A magazine contributor, being hard pressed by his creditors, recently wrote to his editor: "Please send check at once, as my gas bill is due." The candid editor replied in this brief fashion: "So is mine. God help us all."

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Wigg—Scribbler's stories all have such sad endings.

Wagg—Yes, they generally find their way into the wastebasket.—Philadelphia Record.

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SUCCESSFUL MEETING CLOSED

Summary of the Resolutions Passed at the Closing Session—Attendance More Than Double Any Previous Meeting.

Des Moines, Nov. 8.—While the other 3,960 teachers of Iowa supposed to be in attendance at the closing session of the state teachers' association meeting at the Auditorium, were rooting for their favorite team on the side lines of the Iowa-Drake football game, a few conscientious teachers of the state sat through the long hours and conducted the business for the entire association.

There were about 4,000 teachers registered at this meeting, which is more than double the number present at any previous meeting.

At the closing session the fifty-fifth annual convention of the Iowa State Teachers' association, declared for a liberal increase in the salary of the state superintendent of education; a minimum salary for teachers; longer tenure for teachers; the abolition of the registration fee; pensions for teachers; the establishment of two state normal schools; the appointment of a high school inspector whose duty shall be to recommend and approve high school training courses that prepare teachers for rural and elementary schools; the general introduction of manual training and domestic science as a means of developing habits of attention, accuracy and self control; that pupils living in districts which have no high schools be permitted to attend high schools at the expense of the state; endorsed the efforts of State Superintendent Riggs for larger unit of organization of schools; asked for legislation for a township, township-county or county system of organization of rural schools; thanked the local press for correct reports and President Beard and the executive committee for the fine program and the local committee for looking after the wants of the teachers. These provisions were all contained in the report of the committee on resolutions, presented by Superintendent F. T. Oldt of Dubuque and were adopted.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Hill M. Bell, Drake university, Des Moines.

First vice president—George H. Kellogg Tipton.

Second vice president—O. P. Boswick, Clinton.

Third vice president—Margaret Dolliver, Morningside college, Sioux City.

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Executive committee — Maurice Ricker, chairman, Des Moines; Frank L. Smart, Davenport; O. H. Benson, superintendent Wright county.

GIRL RUN DOWN BY AN AUTO

Miss Beatrice Booth Badly Injured by Machine Which Puts on Speed and Disappears.

Carroll, Ia., Nov. 8.—Miss Beatrice Booth of Glidden, with one leg broken and crushed in half a dozen places and other severe injuries is lying in the Carroll hospital as a result of an automobile accident.

Miss Booth was hit by a machine, driven by unknown parties, a few miles west of Glidden. The machine was a Chalmers-Detroit and carried the number N. A. 306.

After striking Miss Booth the occupants of the car put on all possible speed and disappeared in the direction of Harlan.

Big Fire at Morrison.

Reinbeck, Ia., Nov. 8.—Three buildings at Morrison, near here, were destroyed by fire entailing a loss of $5,500; insurance $2,700. The fire started in the dry goods store of Mike Haddy which was totally destroyed, as were the adjoining buildings on each side. One of these was the city calaboose, and the other belonged to T. E. Dickey.

Aldrich to Speak in Des Moines.

Des Moines, Nov. 8.—Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Providence, R. I., author of the tariff bill enacted by the last special session of congress, will address the business men of Des Moines at a banquet in the Savery hotel Thursday evening next at 5:30 o'clock.

Girl Kills Young Man.

Portsmouth, O., Nov. 8.—Just after she had finished singing his favorite song Miss Bontha Wolf shot and fatally wounded Thomas Fetty in her father's home in New Boston.

ANOTHER IMPORTANT VICTORY FOR THE CARTER MEDICINE COMPANY IN THE UNITED STATES COURT.

The United States Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York—sitting in New York City—has just awarded to the Carter Medicine Company a decree which again sustains the company's exclusive right to use the red package for liver pills.

By the terms of the decree, it is, among other things:

Adjudged that the Carter Medicine Company is the owner of the sole and exclusive right to the use of red colored wrappers and labels upon said small, round packages of liver pills of the style described in the bill of complaint; said right having been acquired by the prior adoption of said style and color of package for liver pills by the complainant predecessors more than thirty years ago, and established by the continuous and exclusive use of the same in constantly increasing quantities by said predecessors and by the complainant, the Carter Medicine Company, itself, from the time of their said adoption until the present day.

The decision just announced is perhaps the most important and far-reaching of all, by reason of the character of the tribunal which rendered it. No Court in the country stands higher.

—*National Druggist, St. Louis, Mo.*

Ruled by Kindness.

Lucy Burd's success with boys at the reform school in Bucks county, Pennsylvania, she thinks, is due simply to kindness. She has reformed more than 100 boys in her term of five years as superintendent. Some of her boys are in the navy some on farms. Few have gone back to their old ways after coming under her influence.

As to the Hessian Fly.

The Hessian fly is a German product which was conceived in iniquity and born in sauerkraut. It is a long, rangy fly with a bite like a steel trap, and it lays a pale blue, oblong egg at the rate of 30,000 an hour. The Hessian fly will eat anything from decayed custard pie to a glass inkwell, but its favorite dish is the double neck of a fat gent. This bird can perform a two-step on sticky fly paper without crooking its toes, and is proof against rough on rats, the daisy fly killer, and a strychnine hypodermic. No Hessian fly was ever known to die of anything but old age, which accounts for the color of its whiskers. If it ever fastens upon your jowl, it will stay until removed by the undertaker.—Manchester (Ia.) Press.

Mistake Somewhere.

A story comes from a Kentucky town that is worth repeating. There lives there a woman who says that she has immediate communion with the Almighty, and now and then delivers to those of common clay a message that she has received from on high. The fact that these messages sometimes take on a very materialistic hue does not alter their effectiveness, in her opinion.

One day she went into the office of a well known attorney and approached him solemnly as one about to reveal an awe-inspiring secret.

"The Lord sent me to you for $25," she announced.

The attorney looked up and smiled.

"That must be a mistake," he replied, blandly, "because the Lord knows I have not got it."

Celestial communication was thereupon broken off.

SOME HARD KNOCKS
Woman Gets Rid of "Coffee Heart."

The injurious action of Coffee on the heart of many persons is well known by physicians to be caused by caffeine. This is the drug found by chemists in coffee and tea.

A woman suffered a long time with severe heart trouble and finally her doctor told her she must give up coffee, as that was the principal cause of the trouble. She writes:

"My heart was so weak it could not do its work properly. My husband would sometimes have to carry me from the table, and it would seem that I would never breathe again.

"The doctor told me that coffee was causing the weakness of my heart. He said I must stop it, but it seemed I could not give it up until I was down in bed with nervous prostration.

"For eleven weeks I lay there and suffered. Finally Husband brought home some Postum and I quit coffee and started new and right. Slowly I got well. Now I do not have any headaches, nor those spells with weak heart. We know it is Postum that helped me. The Dr. said the other day, 'I never thought you would be what you are.' I used to weigh 92 pounds and now I weigh 158.

"Postum has done much for me and I would not go back to coffee again for any money, for I believe it would kill me if I kept at it. Postum must be well boiled according to directions on pkg., then it has a rich flavour and with cream is fine."

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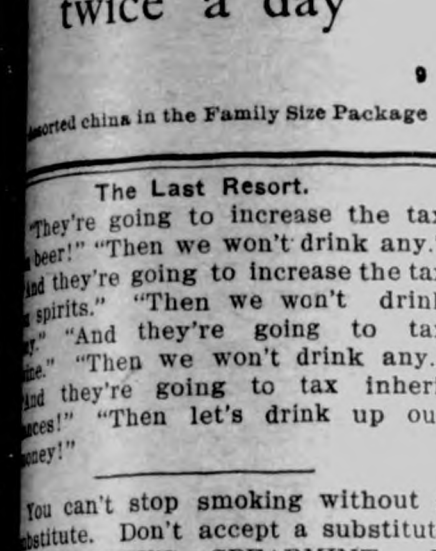

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IOWA GETS BIG SUM

From the Nearly 80,000 Licenses Issued to Hunters.

TO PROTECT FISH AND GAME

Funds Coming in From Hunters' Licenses Expected to Reach Total of $80,000 the First Year.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Nov. 8.—The sportsmen of Iowa are wondering what the state is going to do with the immense amount of money that is being derived from the issue of hunters' licenses.

Already 73,750 blank licenses have been sent out from the office of State Fish and Game Warden Lincoln in this city to the various counties of the state, a major portion of which, it is believed have been issued. Estimates place the total number of hunters' licenses that will be issued at 80,000, as many more will doubtless call for them when the quail season opens and the winter shooting of rabbits begins. The number of licenses to non-residents will be comparatively small, as there is no shooting in Iowa as compared with that to be had in Minnesota the Dakotas and other neighboring states.

It is safe to assume, therefore, that the state will derive a net revenue of something more than $80,000 from this source which will go under the terms of the new law, to the credit of the fish and game protection fund. This amount is practically six times more than the fish and game warden's department has ever had to expend in any one year, and as no plan has been laid for the expenditure of this money it will be seen that by the end of five years a fund will have accumulated that will enable the state authorities not only to maintain a strong and vigorous warfare against the violators of the game laws, but as well to do something substantial in the way of propogating fish and game.

New Matron Installed.

Cedar Falls—The finance committee of the state board of education have equipped the old home of President H. H. Seerley on the college campus up for a hospital, and hereafter all sick students at the Iowa State Teachers' college will be cared for at the hospital. Each student will be permitted to have the doctor of their choice. Mrs. A. M. Potter of Wilton Iowa, has been made the first matron of the new hospital and will take up her work at once.

Crawford County Land Sales.

Denison.—The highest price ever paid for Crawford county land in farms of over twenty acres, was paid when Ben Smith sold his 160 acres near Denison for $175 per acre. This price is considered a record breaker, as there is considerable timber on the land and it has been farmed for many years. H. Mordhorst was the purchaser. At the same time he sold his 240 acres to Wm. McBride of Dow City for $120 per acre. Both farms are well improved.

Bishop Keane Hits Woman's Sucrage

Dubuque.—Bishop J. J. Keane, probably the next archbishop of Dubuque, in an interview, gave out a statement to the effect that the home was woman's sphere and what women might gain by suffrage would be a loss to society and the world. He believes there are more effective reforms in political and other fields through women's influence at home than in the political arena.

Repv. Fox's Daughter Divorced.

Jefferson.—Mrs. G. M. Miller has been granted a divorce from G. M. Miller. Cruel and inhuman treatment were the grounds of the action. The wife, who is the daughter of Representative John Fox of Dallas Center, retains the custody of the two children.

Killed in Coal Mine.

Seymour.—Erni Magers, 24, was killed when a car of coal was overturned falling on him in a mine here. He leaves a wife and two children. He was a member of the Odd Fellows and had a local reputation as a ball player.

Woman Committed Suicide.

Fertile.—Found in a stream near the mill dam lends the theory that Mrs. Nels Jorgenson, wife of a well known resident here, committed suicide. She leaves a family of children, the youngest four months old.

Dubuque Brakeman Killed.

Dubuque.—Charles First, aged 18, brakeman on the Milwaukee here, was crushed to death in the upper shop yards. A misplaced switch threw a train into a string of standing cars, killing him.

Simpson Gets a Gift of $20,000.

Indianola.—Three prominent Indianola business men have donated $20,000 to Simpson college. The announcement was made at chapel by President Shelton. Wm. Buxton, Sr., Harry E. Hopper, and F. C. Signer were the donors. Recently these men bought a large tract of timber land in Canada for speculation. They announced that when the land was sold one-fourth of the proceeds would be given to Simpson. The deal recently was closed at a profit of $80,000, thereby netting the college $20,000.

Carmody's Slayer Gets Twenty Years

Cedar Rapids, Iowa.—Arthur Johnson alias Harris, convicted of the burglary of the home of Dr. J. H. Smith last May, was sentenced under the indeterminate law to Fort Madison for a term not to exceed twenty years. Johnson will undoubtedly be tried on several other charges, including the shooting of Mayor Carmody in his home on the night of May 24, from which the mayor died in August. Johnson has served one penitentiary term in Illinois and six in Missouri.

Engineer Killed in Cab.

Sioux City.—Sitting in the cab of his engine, making the fastest time on the Sioux City division of the Milwaukee railroad, which run he had won through promotions on account of long and faithful service to the road, John Smith, one of the most popular and efficient engineers in the service of the company was almost instantly killed by the breaking of the driving rod on his side of the engine.

Wedded for Half a Century.

Washington.—Mr. and Mrs. Adam Guy, pioneers of the county, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their West Chester home. They were married in this city at the United Presbyterian parsonage by the Rev. Mr. Van Atta. Over half a century they have lived in Washington county and for forty years have resided at their present home. Mr. Guy is aged 71 years and Mrs. Guy 70.

McArthur Gets Parole.

Dubuque.—Word was received in Dubuque that Arthur McArthur, sentenced to four years in Fort Madison prison on Nov. 18 1907, has been paroled and will arrive home. McArthur was former superintendent of the Dubuque municipally owned water works, and figured in a scandal that cost the water works $60,000. He was convicted of embezzlement of funds.

Minus the Dark Dance.

Iowa City.—Minus the dark dances the sophomore cotillion in the University of Iowa will be given on December 17. The committee, despite the fact that the party will not be so attractive as it was with the dark dances, has decided to give the party. Efforts will be made to bring parties from Coe college and Cornell to attend.

Former Iowa Minister Weds.

Mason City.—Friends here have received announcement of the marriage of Rev. Albert H. Jordan, formerly pastor of the Congregational church of this place, but now pastor of a large church of St. Louis, to Miss Emma Stewart Bixby daughter of a prominent resident of that city.

Create New Office.

Sioux City.—The new office of second vice president has been created by the directors of the live stock fair and Captain W. S. A. Smith has been given the position and will have charge of the live stock exhibits. President F. L. Eaton and the other officers were re-elected.

Iowa City Water Plant.

Iowa City.—The Iowa City Water company has commenced work on a $20,000 filtering plant which will insure pure water for the people of the state university and of Iowa City. The work had been temporarily delayed by fire which destroyed the Horrybin sand pump.

Keokuk Man Takes His Own Life.

Keokuk.—Constantine Lieffier, 62, a machinist, after suffering ill health for sixteen years, shot himself through the heart with a 38 calibre revolver, dying instantly. He leaves a wife, who found his body in a coal shed shortly after the suicide.

County Attorney Appointed.

Clarion.—A. R. Ladd of the firm of Ladd and Rogers, has been appointed county attorney by the county commissioners to fill the unexpired term of Bradford Knapp who has resigned to accept a position in Washington, D. C.

High School Orchestra.

Washington.—An orchestra has been organized in the Washington High school under the direction of Prof. Frank Sherratt, of Burlington. Ths is the first orchestra in the history of the high school to be organized.

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Milwaukee, Wis.—Mrs. Emma Imse, 883 1st St., *German.*

Change of Life.

South Bend, Ind.—Mrs. Fred Certia, 1014 S. Lafayette Street.
Noah, Kentucky.—Mrs. Lizzie Holland.
Brookfield, Mo.—Mrs. Sarah Lousignont, 207 S. Market St.
Paterson, N.J.—Mrs. Wm. Somerville, 195 Hamburgh Avenue.
Philadelphia, Pa.—Mrs. K. E. Garrett, 2407 North Garnet Street.
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Maternity Troubles.

Worcester, Mass.—Mrs. Dosylva Coté, 117 Southgate Street.
Indianapolis, Ind.—Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 1207 E. Pratt Street.
Big Run, Pa.—Mrs. W. E. Pooler.
Atwater Station, O.—Mrs. Anton Muelhaupt.
Cincinnati, Ohio.—Mrs. E. H. Maddocks, 2135 Gilbert Avenue.
Mogadore, Ohio.—Mrs. Lee Manges, Box 131.
Dewittville, N.Y.—Mrs. A. A. Giles.
Johnstown, N.Y.—Mrs. Homer N. Seaman, 108 E. Main Street.
Burtonview, Ill.—Mrs. Peter Langenbahn.

Avoid Operations.

Hampstead, Md.—Mrs. Jos. H. Dandy.
Adrian, Ga.—Lena V. Henry, Route No. 3.
Indianapolis, Ind.—Bessie V. Piper, 29 South Addison Street.
Louisville, Ky.—Mrs. Sam Lee, 3523 Fourth St.
South West Harbor, Maine.—Mrs. Lillian Robbins, Mt. Desert Light Station.
Detroit, Mich.—Mrs. Frieda Rosenau, 544 Meldrum Avenue, *German.*

Organic Displacements.

Mozier, Ills.—Mrs. Mary Ball.
Ligonier, Ind.—Mrs. Eliza Wood, R.F.D. No. 4.
Melbourne, Iowa.—Mrs. Clara Watermann, R. F. D. No. 1.
Bardstown, Ky.—Mrs. Joseph Hall.
Lewiston, Maine.—Mrs. Henry Cloutier, 56 Oxford Street.
Minneapolis, Minn.—Mrs. John G. Moldan, 2115 Second Street, N.
Shamrock, Mo.—Josie Ham, R.F.D. No. 1; Box 22.
Marlton, N.J.—Mrs. Geo. Jordy, Route No. 3, Box 40.
Chester, Ark.—Mrs. Ella Wood.
Ocilla, Ga.—Mrs. T. A. Cribb.
Pendleton, Ind.—Mrs. May Marshall, R.R. 44.
Cambridge, Neb.—Mrs. Nellie Moslander.

Painful Periods.

Goshen, Ala.—Mrs. W. T. Dalton, Route No. 3.
Chicago, Ill.—Mrs. Wm. Tully, 465 Ogden Av.
Paw Paw, Mich.—Mrs. Emma Draper.
Flushing, Mich.—Mrs. Burt Loyd, R. F. D. No. 3; care of D. A. Sanborn.
Coffeeville, Miss.—Mrs. S. J. Jones.
Cincinnati, Ohio.—Mrs. Flora Ahr, 1362 Ernst Street.
Cleveland, Ohio—Miss Lizzie Steiger, 5510 Fleet Avenue, S.E.
Wesleyville, Pa.—Mrs. Maggie Ester, R.F.D. 1.
Dyersburg, Tenn.—Mrs. Lue Hilliard, R.R. 1.
Hayfield, Va.—Mrs. Mayme Windle.

Irregularity.

Herrin, Ill.—Mrs. Chas. Folkel.
Winchester, Ind.—Mrs. May Deal.
Dyer, Ind.—Mrs. Wm. Oberloh, R. F. D. No. 1.
Baltimore, Md.—Mrs. W. S. Ford, 1938 Lansdowne Street.
Roxbury, Mass.—Mrs. Francis Merkle, 13 Field Street.
Clarksdale, Mo.—Miss Anna Wallace.
Guysville, Ohio.—Mrs. Ella Michael, R.F.D. 3.
Dayton, Ohio.—Mrs. Ida Hale, Box 25, National Military Home.
Lebanon, Pa.—Mrs. Harry L. Rittle, 233 Lehman Street.
Sykes, Tenn.—Minnie Hall.
Detroit, Mich.—Mrs. Louise Jung, 332 Chestnut St.

Ovarian Trouble.

Vincennes, Ind.—Mrs. Syl. B. Jerauld, 508 N. Tenth Street.
Gardiner, Maine.—Mrs. S. A. Williams, R. F. D. No. 14; Box 39.
Philadelphia, Pa.—Mrs. Chas. Boell, 2407 N. Garnet Street.
Plattsburg, Miss.—Miss Verna Wilkes, R.F.D. 1.

Female Weakness.

Willimantic, Conn.—Mrs. Etta Donovan, Box 299.
Woodside, Idaho.—Mrs. Rachel Johnson.
Rockland, Maine.—Mrs. Will Young, 6 Columbia Avenue.
Scottville, Mich.—Mrs. J. G. Johnson, R.F.D. 3.
Dayton, Ohio.—Mrs. F. R. Smith, 431 Elm St.
Erie, Pa.—Mrs. J. P. Endlich, R. F. D. No. 7.
Beaver Falls, Pa.—Mrs. W. P. Boyd, 2109 Seventh Avenue.
Fairchance, Pa.—Mrs. I. A. Dunham, Box 152.
Fort Hunter, Pa.—Mrs. Mary Jane Shatto.
East Earl, Pa.—Mrs. Augustus Lyon, R.F.D. 2.
Vienna, W. Va.—Mrs. Emma Wheaton.

Nervous Prostration.

Oronogo, Mo.—Mrs. Mae McKnight.
Camden, N.J.—Mrs. Tillie Waters, 451 Liberty Street.
Joseph, Oregon.—Mrs. Alice Huffman.
Philadelphia, Pa.—Mrs. John Johnston, 210 Siegel Street.
Christiana, Tenn.—Mrs. Mary Wood, R F. D. No. 3.
Pecos, Texas.—Mrs. Ada Young Eggleston.
Granitevillo, Vt.—Mrs. Chas. Barclay, R.F.D.

These women are only a few of thousands of living witnesses of the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to cure female diseases. Not one of these women ever received compensation in any form for the use of their names in this advertisement—but are willing that we should refer to them because of the good they may do other suffering women to prove that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a reliable and honest medicine, and that the statements made in our advertisements regarding its merit are the truth and nothing but the truth.

Refuted.

"Just think of it! One person in every 37 in England is a pauper!"

"Why, John," she returned, "it isn't so. I met more than 37 people in London last summer, and there wasn't a pauper in the lot!"

A man never realizes what a small potato he really is until he hears in a roundabout way what the girl whom he could have married but didn't thinks of him.

Don't stop eating to chew WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT. Chew it after. It's fine for digestion.

Happiness is increased, not by the enlargement of the possessions, but of the heart.—Ruskin.

DON'T NEGLECT THAT COUGH
It certainly racks your system and may run into something serious. Allen's Lung Balsam will check it quickly and permanently. For sale at all druggists.

Gratitude is the sweetest music that flows from the human heart.—Henry Lee.

ASK YOUR OWN GROCER to give you RUSS BLUE. It will whiten your clothes and preserve your temper.

Some people are more afraid of germs than they are of a mad dog.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny, granules, easy to take. Do not gripe.

Procrastination is the thief of many a good time.

Here's something good that bad little boys like.—WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT.

Often the milk of human kindness tastes of the can.

Five Minutes in the Morning
NO STROPPING NO HONING
TRADE Gillette MARK
KNOWN THE WORLD OVER

If afflicted with sore eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**

Not Sisters

Now and again you see two women passing down the street who look like sisters. You are astonished to learn that they are mother and daughter, and you realize that a woman at forty or forty-five ought to be at her finest and fairest. Why isn't it so?

The general health of woman is so intimately associated with the local health of the essentially feminine organs that there can be no red cheeks and round form where there is female weakness.

Women who have suffered from this trouble have found prompt relief and cure in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It gives vigor and vitality to the organs of womanhood. It clears the complexion, brightens the eyes and reddens the cheeks.

No alcohol, or habit-forming drugs is contained in "Favorite Prescription." Any sick woman may consult Dr. Pierce by letter, free. Every letter is held as sacredly confidential, and answered in a plain envelope. Address: World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R.V. Pierce, Pres., Buffalo, N.Y.

GROCERIES & HARDWARE

COLD WEATHER

Is SURE to be here soon. Are you prepared for it? Perhaps you will need a new stove before winter sets in. If so you will miss it if you don't call and inspect our line of

HEATERS AND RANGES

We have just received a new shipment and will be glad to show them to you. Call early while the assortment is complete. See the Summit Range

TERHUFEN BROS.

—PROPRIETORS OF THE—

ONE PRICE CASH STORE

KLEMME, IOWA

DRUGS

A full line of patents of every manufacture. Jewelery, Wall Paper, Paints and Oils, School Supplies and Stationery.

TOILET ARTICLES

Face Powder, Talcum Powder, Sachet Powder, Face Creams, Toilet Waters, Hand Lotions.

MUSICAL GOODS

String and Brass Instruments, Edison Phonographs and Supplies. We are selling Phonographs on small weekly payments and going one better than the Chicago price by saving you the freight.

G. A. PABST & CO.

DRUGGISTS

Are You Going to Build?

If so, let us figure on your Lumber bill. We have a large stock and a fine assortment of Lumber, Sash, Doors, Tile. both square and diamond Mesh Field Fence, and everything carried in a first class lumber yard. It will pay you to get our figures.....

See us when you want to buy TILE.

Northern Lumber Company

N. L. PALMER, AGENT

KLEMME . . . . . IOWA

THRESHING COAL

The very best grades in Hocking Valley, Wineferd Splint, Indiana Block, Sootless and Washed Egg. Call and get prices.

Highest Market Price Paid for Grain and Live Stock Six Days in the Week

H. C. LAU

THE KLEMME TIMES

ALLEN C. FLINT, PUBLISHER

Published every Thursday at Klemme, Iowa.

Subscription price $1.00 per year in advance.

STATEMENT

of the condition of the

State Savings Bank

organized under the laws of Iowa, located at Klemme, in the county of Hancock, at the close of business on the 3rd day of November A. D., 1969, made to the Auditor of State as required by law.

ASSETS

Amount of Bills, Bonds and other evidences of debt discounted or purchased actually owned by the Bank (carried out)			$117,407 17
Amount of cash on hand described as follows:			
Gold coin,	435 00		
Silver coin and bullion	536 51		
Legal tender and national bank notes and subsidary coin	3129 00		
Drafts and checks on other solvent banks and other cash items not dishonored on hand and belonging to the bank	1470 91	4,599 91	
			$5,571 42
Amount subject to be drawn at sight on deposit with solvent banks or bankers (specifying names and locations of the banks):			
Continental Nat'l Bk. Chicago, Ill.	2,193 80		
Merchants Nat'l Bk. Cedar Rapids, Iowa	1,231 72		
Drovers Deposit National B Chicago, Ill	546 35		
Farmers Nat'l Bk. Garner, Iowa	1,515 66		
Century Savings Bk. Des Moines, Iowa	1,394 53	6,882 06	
Overdrafts secured		2,778 26	
Expense account			2,778 26
Value of real property (owned by the Bank)		9,949 34	
Value of personal property [owned by the bank]		1,784 92	11,734 26
Total Assets			144,373 17

LIABILITIES

Amount of capial stock actually paid up in cash			15.000 00
Total amount due depositors, as follows:			
Amount sight deposits	31,759.16		
Amount demand deposits	1,200.00		
Amount time deposits	82,489.87	115,449.03	
Indebtedness of every kind, due banks, bankers, or persons other than regular depositors:			
Bills Payable	$2.500 00		$2,500 00
Surplus fund	10,500 00		
Other profits on hand (after deducting taxes and expenses)	924 14		11.424 14
Total Liabilities			144.373.17
Amount of all liabilities to the Bank on part of its directors:			
As borrowers	6,403.51		
As endorsers	4,167 22		10,570.73

STATE OF IOWA, HANCOCK COUNTY. } ss.

We, W. R. Bloom, President and F. J. Wenck, Assistant Cashier of the Bank above named, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is full, true and correct. to the best of our knowledge and belief, that the assets therein set forth are bona fide the propery of said Bank in its corporate capacity and that no part of the same has been loaned or advanced to said Bank for the purpose of being exhibited as a portion of its assets.

W. R. BLOOM, President.

F. J. WENCK, Asst. Cashier.

{ SEAL } Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence by W. R. Bloom and F. J. Wenck, this 9th day of November, A.D. 1909.

F. E. BLACKSTONE,
Notary Public in and for Hancock County

Attested by:

P. M. Griesemer, }
D. D. Ross, } Directors.

Great Sacrifice SALE ON Trimmed Hats

Commencing Nov. 9th, continuing ONE WEEK ONLY

Ten per cent off on Black Trimmed Hats

Greater Reduction on Colors.

Pretty Pattern Hats worth $12.00 go at **$9.50**

Pretty Pattern Hats worth $8.00 go at **$6**

Pretty Pattern Hats worth $7.00 go at **$5.50**

Children's Tams, Caps and Hoods at COST.

A fine line of Bengaline and Moire Silks for ladies waists at Reduced Prices.

Special Reduction on Corsets during this sale.

Buy Now and Save Money

MRS. JOHN JOSTEN

The Winter Season

Is now close at hand and it calls for good, warm wearing apparel, good Shoes and Overshoes, etc. We are, as usual, prepared to furnish you with the needed articles and our prices are as low as possible, consistent with the quality of goods we furnish. We want to call your special attention to our full and complete line of

Genuine Old Fashioned Wool Flannel

Ranging in price per yard from.... **5oc TO $1.50**

LARGE LINE TO SELECT FROM

Outing Flannels

The kind usually sold for 10c per yard we sell for.... **8c**

The kind usually sold for 12c per yard we sell for... **10c**

This is no special sale, just our every-day prices.

See our complete line of Seasonable Goods.
We absolutely guarantee satisfaction.

W. J. BARZ, - Garner, Iowa

A good one

The Eva Bartlett Macey Co.

Second Number Lecture Course, at opera house,

November 23

Miss Macey—Reader, banjoist and entertainer.
Miss Chamberlain—Violin soloist.
Walter Ammann—'Celloist.
William R. Kirn—Vocalist and Accompanist.

A company of Artists

You cannot afford to miss this high-class entertainment. A musical treat.

YOUR NEW FALL CLOTHING was so popular that we almost run out of Men's Suits and were obliged to have another large shipment made up which just arrived today.....

BY FAST EXPRESS

Talk about correct color and shade!
Talk about quality in fabric!
Talk about Pure Wool!
Talk about style and fit!

These new suits have all that and more too.

The rich Olive Suits at - $18.00
The Splendid Taup Blue Suits at $20.00

HAVE A LOOK

Today or Tomorrow and prepare for Thanksgiving Day.

Arthur Wellemeyer

bout People You Know

KLEMME MARKET.

.....	45 to c
.....	34 to 35c
.....	80 to 90
.....	40 to 48c
.....	4 00 to 6.00
.....	7.00 to 7.25
.....	3.00 to 6.00

d Wellemeyer's ad.

sh fruits at Kluckhohn's.

sh apple cider at Kluck- 13tf

A. Fell was down from r Monday.

R. Bloom shipped a car f hogs Sunday morning.

tlieb Goll is hauling lumber e erection of a large new

ond number lecture course ay, Nov. 23—Eva Bartlett Company.

Fred Ridder and Mrs. t Lau were Garner visit- st Thursday.

W F. Missman was visit- the home of his parents rner last Friday between

Koerner has now secured e parts to his automobile ith the new engine at work es nobody's dust.

Bros. are presenting their mers with a Wall Pocket dar for 1910 which is one neatest and nobbiest we ever seen—and we have ots of them too. It is a of art, neatly embossed— ad for their business and rnament good enough for dy's wall.

g obliged to take it for will sell it out cheap;
Hess Stock Food.
Hess Poultry Panacea.
Hess Instant Louse Kill-
Hess Hog Worm Powder.
e had at G. F. Schuler's r, Iowa.

Fresh oysters daily at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

Mrs. Houghton and daughter were north bound passengers Thursday.

Poultry wanted every day. Highest market price paid. H. Lau & Son.

Mrs. Sweigard and Mrs. Freeman, of Goodell, were visiting Klemme friends last Thursday.

The Best Ever—Blue Point oyster crackers. They're fine. Try a package with your next oysters. At Kluckhohn's. 13tf

Mrs. O S. Bailey returned last Thursday to her home in Britt, after visiting a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Flint.

J. W. Scott has joined the "progressives" and last week had new cement walks laid along the front of his blacksmith shop. This has been a great cement year for Klemme.

E. P. Dow, of Rake, Iowa, was a Klemme caller a few hours Monday forenoon on his way home from a trip to the western part of the state. We acknowledge a friendly call.

The teachers in our public schools all went to Des Moines to attend the state teachers' meeting last week Thursday, Friday and Saturday. A large attendance and a very interesting meeting is reported.

The next number of the Lecture Course will be given in the opera house on Tuesday evening, Nov. 23rd. The attraction is the Eva Bartlett Macey Company, which comes very highly recommended as a company of artists. Don't forget the date and don't fail to attend.

Notice

Having finished my work on the farm, I will now devote my time to my practice and to the collections for what I have done. Pay up Dr. Geo. Zinn.

A full line of Post Cards at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

The National Bank has a change of ad.

H. Lau & Son are painting their machine shed.

Mrs. H. Missman and Mrs. Wm. Schaper were down from Garner Monday.

Frank Terhufen was the only Klemme man who was lucky enough to draw a South Dakota farm, his number being 6626.

Mrs. L. A. Turgasen and little son of Swea City, is visiting here at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kluckhohn.

T. A. Williams arrived here from Ward, So. Dak., last week and assumed charge of the Rock Island station here. He expects to move his family here as soon as he can find a suitable residence.

I handle the Ball Band and the Royal Blue rubber goods in the first qualities, and am selling these goods at about the price usually charged for the second quality. Buy your winter supply of footwear for the whole family NOW. Frank Gruetzmacher.

Wm. Schmidt, Jr., was thrown from his buggy last Saturday night and had his face somewhat skinned and was badly shaken up. He was driving a spirited team which did not take kindly to passing a noisy automobile, so they spilled Bill out that they might run things to suit themselves.

Arthur Wellemeyer was a Forest City visitor Monday to see Buster Brown and Tige in their demonstration and advertising campaign setting forth the merits of the products of the factories of the Brown Shoe Co., of St. Louis. Mr. Wellemeyer informs the writer that he expects to have Buster and Tige in Klemme some time next year if things work out right.

The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York last week made a prompt settlement of the $10,000 policy held by the late Rodney Hill, of Britt. During the month of September (4 weeks) it issued twenty-four and a half million dollars of 'new business.' Drop a post card to its agent, J. D. G. Houghton, Goodell, Iowa, and get particulars of the strongest and safest Insurance Co. and the policies that give best returns. 14-2

Another thunder shower last Sunday.

Souvenir dishes at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

Read the new ad of the State Savings Bank.

Mrs. Geo. Kluckhohn and daughter Lola were Garner visitors Friday.

If you are in the market for a gasoline engine, see us about the Gade engine before purchasing. Wm. Schmidt or J. W. Scott. 12-5*

This is to call your attention to the new ad of Mrs. John Josten in this issue. She is holding a special sale on trimmed hats and if you want a bargain you had better read her ad.

Your attention is respectfully directed to the statement of the State Savings Bank in this issue This report shows this popular banking institution to be in a flourishing condition and enjoying a healthy and continually increasing business.

R. M. Day returned Monday from an extended trip to South Dakota. He reports that he has disposed of his real estate holdings there at a handsome profit. He still has some chattles there however which will demand more or less of his attention during the coming year.

The Des Moines Capital and the Klemme Times will be sent to any address from now until Jan. 1, 1911, on receipt of $2.85. This is an exceptionally liberal offer and should be taken advantage of at once to secure its full benefits. If you have already paid in advance for the Times, ask for our rate on the Capital. Call at this office today and get a daily paper for the winter's reading.

Young Girls are Victims

of headache as well as older women, but all get quick relief and prompt cure from Dr. King's New Life Pills, the world's best remedy for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 25c at G. A. Pabst & Co.

German M. E. Church Items

Mrs. Bettin went to Charles City last Saturday to spend a few days with her children.

Chas. Albrecht left Monday for Kirksville, Mo., where he will take treatment for various physical disorders.

A series of gospel meetings will begin in Klemme Sunday evening and continue about three weeks. All are cordially invited.

Elmer and Walter Weisbrod, of Fenton, put in an appearance last Saturday and Sunday, and of course some one was all smiles.

Ella Griewe returned home from Charles City last Saturday to be present at the birthday surprise of her father. She returned Tuesday morning.

F. C. Griewe returned from his maiden trip in his new line of work. He is well pleased with it thus far and has good prospects of working up a nice business. In our humble judgment he has the best and fairest plan of life insurance out.

The writer conducted the quarterly meeting in Garner and Hayfield last Sunday and administered the Lord's Supper at both places. Wm. Bredlow had charge of the services in Germantown and Geo. Gruetzmacher in Klemme in the morning and Henry Griewe in the evening.

Some one who must have known that ye scribe was not at home Monday night, thought it an opportune time to visit our hen roost, but he had not figured that the alarm would be heard in the house before he ever touched a chicken. Too bad we were not at home or we should have assisted him a little. As it was, Mrs. Wessel asked him what he wanted but he failed to tell her and she only heard him make a hasty retreat over fence and across lots.

A number of his friends, remembering that Henry Griewe had reached three score years last Sunday, planned a surprise on him in which they were successful. When he arrived home from church at noon he found a number of people occupying the house and a sumptuous dinner was in readiness. Those present were F. C. Griewe and family, Arthur Wellemeyer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kluckhohn, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Ell, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bredlow, Mrs. Wessel, and the other children of Mr. and Mrs. Griewe. The afternoon was spent in pleasant conversation.

PUBLIC AUCTION

As I have decided to quit farming, I will offer at Public Auction on the farm now occupied by me, 4 miles northeast of Klemme and 5½ miles southeast of Garner, on

FRIDAY, NOV. 12, 1909,

commencing at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp, the following property:

4 Horses—Black mare 3 years old wt 1300, black mare 2 years old wt 1100, bay mare 2 years old in Spring, black gelding 2 years old in Spring.

3 milch Cows.

One good Shepherd dog.

20 young hens and some guineas.

Machinery — McCormick mower, McCormick hay rake, Kingman corn planter with 160 rods wire, 2 Deere walking cultivators, one 16-in. Sterling plow, 1 three-section steel drag, endgate seeder with seed attachment, fanning mill, 2 hole corn sheller, set bob sleighs, wagon box 36 in., 20 ft. galvanized pipe, 2 scythes, 2 scoops, scoop board, 2 sets harness.

Household Goods— Story & Clark organ, Singer sewing machine, 6-hole Majestic steel range, 2 tables, 2 bureaus, 3 rocking chairs, 6 chairs, 1 set chairs, heating stove, cupboard, dishes, 5 iron bedsteads, wooden bedstead, 2 cream cans, washing machine, 3 mattresses.

Terms—Sums of $10 and under Cash; over this amount a credit of 12 months time will be given on approved notes bearing 8 per cent interest.

C. KUSKIE & SONS, Props.
Col. J. J. Wilson, Auct.
P. M. Griesemer, Clerk.

Notice of Probate of Will

STATE OF IOWA, } ss
Hancock County, }

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Charles Schroeder, deceased, was filed in the office of the undersigned on the 25th day of October, A. D. 1909, and that December 6th, 1909, was fixed for hearing proof in relation thereto.

Witness my hand and the Seal of the District Court attached at Garner, in said County, this 25th day of October, A. D., 1909.

(SEAL) O. F. MISSMAN,
Clerk of the District Court,
13-3 Hancock County, Iowa.

RESTAURANT

Russel's Maple Nut Chocolates—Try them and you will buy nothing else.

Get one of our delicious Oyster Stews and you will become a regular customer.

HOME MADE BAKERY GOODS

A. Kirkwood & Son

Ask for

a Copy

of our folder, just issued, account

NATIONAL

Corn Exposition

to be held for the third consecutive year at

OMAHA, NEBRASKA
December 6 to 18, 1909

The scope of the exposition is much larger this year than in the past and will cover the small grains and grasses as well as corn.

Exhibits from twenty States and the United States Department of Agriculture.

$50,000 in Premiums

A splendid program of addresses on topics pertaining to advanced work in agriculture.

EDUCATIONAL—ENTERTAINING

Information as to fares and copy of folder on request.

Rock Island

T. A. WILLIAMS, Agent,
Rock Island Lines,
Klemme, Iowa

The Klemme Times

ALLEN C. FLINT, Publisher.

KLEMME, - - - IOWA

IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Rev. Elwood Worcester of Boston, founder of the Emmanuel healing movement, declares the movement has grown to such an extent and so many ministers are interested that a college at which the teaching of Emmanuel methods shall be the principal feature of the curriculum is demanded.

Dr. Jennie McCowen, president of the Iowa Conference of Charities and Correction, called to order the eleventh annual meeting of that organization in Davenport.

Jose R. Capablanca, the 21-year-old Cuban chess expert, has played 29 opponents simultaneously at New York, defeating 26, losing one game and drawing two.

Samuel Untermeyer, the well-known New York lawyer, has been awarded the prize by the Horticultural society for a chrysanthemum plant 30 feet in circumference and bearing more than 1,000 large and perfect blooms.

Rev. John R. Pratt, pastor of the First Congregational church of Verona, N. J. has been elected mayor of the borough, because no one would run against him, and he is now the busiest man in Verona.

Mrs. Raymond Robins, who is in New York to welcome Mrs. Pankhurst, the English suffragette, said western factory girls are superior physically to those of the east.

Congressman Aiken of South Carolina says he will introduce a bill in the next congress for prohibition in the District of Columbia.

De Witt Clinton Duncan, the well-known Cherokee writer and statesman, is dead at his home in Vinita, Okla., at the age of 75 years. Mr. Duncan wrote many notable articles on Cherokee affairs and poems under the Indian name of "Too-Qua-Stee."

GENERAL NEWS.

Seth Low, former mayor of New York, refused to discuss a report that he was to succeed Whitelaw Reid as ambassador to Great Britain.

William Dobson, cashier of the Canadian Express Company at Niagara Falls, was sandbagged while alone in the company's office at the Grand Trunk station and a package containing $14,156 taken from him by two unknown men in broad daylight.

The British house of commons has passed the third reading of the finance bill by a vote of 379 to 149, the government's majority being much larger than had been anticipated.

A terrific battle between the revolutionists and the Nicaraguan government forces has been fought and the rebels are in possession of Las Lajas, near Los Chiles. Many are reported to have fallen on both sides, Maxim guns being used with terrible effect.

Martin Kaufmann of New York is under arrest at Berlin on the charge of frauds amounting to $107,000 in connection with the Cotton Goods Converter's Company of New York. He was for many years considered one of the most worthy business men of New York.

The twenty-fifth annual national horse show opened in Madison Square garden, New York, with a remarkable display of western draft horses among the exhibits.

It is said that Speaker Cannon is making an effort to purchase the franchise of the South Bend (Ind.) baseball club of the Central league and then transfer it to Danville, Ill., his home.

Twelve miners were killed by a gas explosion in the Cambria Steel Company's coal mine near Johnstown, Pa. All were foreigners.

Judge Marvin of the probate court at Hartford, Conn., announced that he would appoint a conservator for Mrs. Lucinda Treat Goddard, the 70-year-old bride of Charles R. Goddard, a Yale student, who but recently reached his twenty-first birthday.

Leonard Dunmore, a negro, was burned to death by a mob at Knoxville, Miss., and his daughter, who attempted to render him aid, was shot and fatally wounded. The black man was charged with arson.

Problems of city management and betterment were taken up by the American Society of Municipal Improvements which began its sixteenth annual meeting in Little Rock, Ark., James Owen of Montclair, N. J., presiding.

The Central Conference of American Rabbis began an eight days' session in New York. Rabbi David Philipson of Cincinnati is president.

United States Senator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa, addressing the Marquette club of Chicago, vigorously defended himself and the other "insurgent" senators against the attacks of Speaker Cannon.

The Chicago police are searching for E. J. Goshorn, a prominent business man of Charleston, W. Va., who disappeared from his home on October 20 with about $30,000 in his possession. On the day he vanished Goshorn wrote letters to his wife and several confidential acquaintances stating that he had left home never to return.

Theft of a mail pouch, which it is estimated contained between $25,000 and $50,000 in express and post office orders, was revealed through the cashing of several of the stolen orders in Chicago. The rifled bag was discovered by a farmer boy in a cornfield near Tolono, Ill. Scores of secret service men and post office inspectors are searching for the robbers.

Government troops defeated the Nicaraguan revolutionists in a sharp engagement. Many of Gen. Estrada's followers were killed, wounded or captured. The government lost 15 men, including Gen. Castillo Chammoro.

John Stewart Kennedy, one of America's little-known rich men, who recently died of whooping cough in his New York residence, left bequests of more than $25,000,000 to 60 religious, charitable and educational institutions in his will. The gift is the largest single contribution of its kind ever made.

Former President Roosevelt has lost his record as the highest paid author. For the narrative of his hunt in Africa it is generally understood he is to receive a dollar a word, but a comparatively new magazine announces it has contracted to pay Commander Robert E. Peary $1.20 a word for a north pole story of about 50,000 words.

Following the donation of $1,000,000 by John D. Rockefeller to be used in fighting the hook worm disease in the south, Washington officials have received information that two other $1,000,000 donations are likely to be forthcoming very soon—one from Mrs. Russell Sage, to be used in extending the work for the eradication of tuberculosis, the other from Andrew Carnegie, for fighting pellagra.

Jesse James, Jr., son of the famous bandit, now living in Kansas City, has been sued by his wife for divorce. The couple were married in 1900, a few months after James had been acquitted on a charge of robbing a Missouri Pacific train.

Cholera has invaded the German side of the Russian border and the consular agent at Koenigsburg has reported to the state department at Washington 22 cases, including seven deaths, so far.

Mount Vernon, one of New York city's largest suburbs, has adopted the "Des Moines plan" and it will be the first city in New York state to try the commission plan, including the "recall."

Twenty-two persons were killed and 34 seriously injured by automobiles and horse-driven trucks in New York city during October. This is twice as many as in any other month and forms the largest list of casualties resulting from such accidents of of any city in the country for the same time.

All of the original "V. D. B." Lincoln pennies, which aroused such wide interest because of the prominence of Designer Brenner's initials on them and the subsequent change in dies to make the initials less conspicuous, have passed entirely into the public's hands.

Because he spanked a 12-year-old schoolboy with a shingle, Timothy Tripp, a district schoolmaster in the town of Greene, N. Y., was found guilty of assault and sentenced to pay a fine of $20 or serve 20 days in the county jail.

The National Geographic society at Washington has accepted Commander Robert E. Peary's evidence that he reached the north pole, and presented him with a gold medal for accomplishing his achievement.

Attorney Stephen G. Porter filed an appeal in the superior court of Pennsylvania at Pittsburg in behalf of Helen Boyle, asking for a reversal of her sentence of 25 years to the Western penitentiary, inflicted in Mercer recently, after she was convicted of complicity in the kidnaping of Billy Whitla, the son of Attorney James Whitla of Sharon, Pa.

In the Steinheil trial at Paris, a wild scene of disorder was created when a man giving the name of Lefevre arose and loudly proclaimed that he was the slayer of M. Steinheil and Mme. Japy for whose murder the widow of the former is being tried. Not much credence is placed in the man's confession.

IOWA CHARITY CONFERENCE

WARDEN SANDERS TALKS ON "MAKING OF CRIMINALS."

Dr. Jennie McCowen Presides Over the Eleventh Annual Meeting of State Organizations.

Davenport, Ia., Nov. 8.—The Iowa Conference of Charities and Correction began its eleventh annual meeting here today, its three-fold object being to discuss the problem of charity and correction, to improve the methods of dealing with dependents and delinquents and to disseminate information on these subjects. Dr. Jennie McCowen of this city, president of the conference, is presiding over its deliberations.

In a way, the meeting began yesterday, for the pulpits of 11 churches were filled by conference speakers and in the afternoon a mass-meeting was addressed by Warden Sanders of the state penitentiary on "The Making of Criminals." This morning the general sectional sessions began, all being largely attended. Among those on the program for papers are: Miss Marjorie Sutherland of Ida Grove, Miss E. L. Meacham matron of the Cook Home for Old Ladies, of Davenport; Miss Eva Shaw of the Davenport Ladies' Industrial Relief society; R. K. Atkinson, president Tri-City Social Service club; Miss Bessie A. McClenahan of Des Moines; Henry T. Burt of Minneapolis, Dr. Max E. Witte, superintendent of the Clarinda state hospital; Dr. George Mogridge, head of the state institution for the feeble minded; Dr. H. H. Hart of the Russell Sage Foundation, of New York, and others. The conference will close Wednesday.

BETTER CITIES THEIR AIM

Members of American Society of Municipal Improvements Are in Session at Little Rock.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 9.—Hundreds of experts in the management of cities and hundreds of other persons who want to be experts met here today when the sixteenth annual convention of the American Society of Municipal Improvements was called to order by its president, James Owen of Montclair, N. J., in the city hall. Acting Mayor John H. Touhey and H. L. Remmel, president of the board of trade, welcomed the delegates, and the society heard the address of the president and the reports of its officers.

At the second session this afternoon, many committees reported and papers on public parks were read by William Solotaroff of East Orange, N. J., and E. A. Harper of Kansas City, and on water supply by Morris R. Sherrerd of Newark, N. J., and Lucien Buck of Canton, N. C. All kinds of municipal problems will be discussed during the succeeding sessions which will continue until Thursday evening.

The local committees have arranged for a number of entertaining events, the first of which will be a tour of industrial plants tomorrow morning. Friday all the visitors will be entertained in Memphis by the city officials and the Business Men's club.

GREAT MEETING OF FARMERS

National Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, is Holding Its Annual Session in Des Moines, Ia.

Des Moines, Ia. Nov. 10—The forty-third annual session of the National Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, convened this morning in the Hotel Savery, Nahum J. Bachelder, the national master, was in the chair and after the roll call he delivered his address. Reports of the officers, committees and state masters followed, this routine business taking up the day's session.

Tomorrow there will be a great farmers' meeting, open to all, with sessions morning, afternoon and evening. Sir Horace Plunkett of Ireland will be present and tell the meeting about the co-operative movement in the Emerald Isle. Other well-known men will speak, among the topics being the department of agriculture at Washington, the agricultural colleges of the middle west, the tariff question. good roads, parcels post and postal savings banks. Friday and Saturday will be devoted to exemplification of the degree work of the order. Sunday memorial services will be held and Monday and the following days will be devoted to the usual work of the Grange.

Twenty-five Hurt in Joplin Wreck.

Joplin Mo., Nov. 6.—Twenty-five persons were injured, three it is believed, seriously, when train No. 408 on the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad was derailed near Granby No one was killed.

Aged Man Burns to Death.

Leon, Ia.. Nov. 6—Samuel Farquhar, an aged man residing in the outskirts of this city, was burned to death in a fire which consumed his home.

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SYNOPSIS.

he story opens with a scene at a box rty. Miss Henrietta Winstantley, sis- of Bishop Winstanley overheard ker Ankony propose to Barbara Hem- ray, whose brother Dan was in his ploy. Dan was one of the town's pop- r young men. He showed some nerv- ness when Attorney Tom Twining told Barbara refused Ankony. Ankony following day, summoning Twining, used Dan of looting the bank. Twin- refused to prosecute. Barbara per- ded Ankony to postpone starting secution. Twining learned of the en- ement of Ankony and Barbara. He gratulated both. He visited Miss mingray and found her almost in rs. He told her he had loved her, but red prematurely announcing his af- tion. By actions alone she told him reciprocated. Mrs. Anson Dines, althy widow, proposed a marriage by ry with Bishop Winstanley. The lat- consulted with Twining. The bishop been paying attentions to Miss eter. Dan consulted Twining, say- his sister was determined to marry kony, declaring she actually loved the ker, though he could not help believ- she was making a sacrifice to save from jail. Miss Winstanley, find- a pressed rose in the bishop's book, ted a love affair. Mrs. Dines sailed America. Miss Winstanley informed ining that Mrs. Dines was intent upon pping the marriage of Barbara and kony. Mrs. Dines arrived and Ankony mediately set about to sail with Bar- ra for Europe the following day, in or- , it seemed, to avoid Mrs. Dines. Mrs. nes confronted Ankony with evidence his peculations while attorney for the e Mr. Dines.

CHAPTER X.—Continued.

"I shall not intrude upon you fur- her", she said; "but I desire you to derstand that I am prepared to do ll that I say I will do in case you o not yield to my stipulation. I have ith me the papers which leave no om for doubt as to your guilt. Shall give them to Mr. Twining, as your ttorney?"

"I am the attorney of the company which Mr. Ankony is the president, adam," I said; "but in no case—"

"It is not worth while," Ankony in- rrupted.

Mrs. Dines bowed. "My own attor- ey, Mr. Dean, has examined the pa- ers, and he will tell you—"

"If he has not already done so," iss Winstanley ventured, as her one ttle shot.

"That I am able to carry out my lans," Mrs. Dines finished. "But I hink you will see the wisdom in fol- owing the less aggressive course."

"You leave me no choice in the mat- er," he said bitterly. "I am the un- er dog in the fight."

"The under dog is often to blame or the fight," she said, tersely.

She approached the door, and I eld it open for her.

"Do you sail alone by the Deutsch- and, Mr. Ankony?" she asked, turning.

He smiled grimly.

"I shall sail alone," he said.

CHAPTER XI.

Once in the corridor Mrs. Dines put ut an unsteady hand to her friend.

"My tablets, Henrietta. It is so an- oying to be weak."

"Weak!" echoed Miss Winstanley; you were magnificent!" She clicked pen her bag and produced a small hite box, whose lid she quickly lipped, extending it to the suffering ady, while I begged them to come nto my office until Mrs. Dines had ested and felt a little recovered. But rs. Dines declined.

"We must go to Barbara at once," he said. "Why, the poor child is robably getting into her wedding- own at this minute. Think of it! Ankony will go to her, of course, with ome explanation; but she must have nough of the truth from us to prevent ny further mistake."

"And oh, the blessed relief it will be o her!" breathed Miss Winstanley.

"You forget that she may love him," suggested.

Mrs. Dines spun round on me at hat like a huge, laboriously spinning op.

"You think that possible? Gracious eaven, I hope not! I came to bring er happiness, not to break her eart."

"You need have no fear as to that," Miss Winstanley hastened, assuringly. You have done her a service beyond ords. You see, she has been very lever in carrying forward her part f the hideous program which she apped out, and her cleverness has eceived Mr. Twining. I am willing to take everything I have that she oesn't love Ankony, and that she oes—" She paused, her significant lance full upon me.

Mrs. Dines lifted her brows, and, omprehending suddenly, held out her and to me with gratifying and unex- ected warmth.

"I hope Henrietta is right, Mr. Twin- g," she said; "I do indeed."

"You cannot hope it as I do," I re- lied earnestly; "but I have none of er assurance, and a great many oubts."

"We shall see," declared Miss Winstanley blithely.

We went down to the carriage in silence. There we found the Winstanley coachman about to ascend with a telegram which a house servant had just brought, knowing his mistress was to make her first visit to Ankony and hoping to find her there. She climbed into the carriage, opened the message, read it, went so white I was sure she was going to faint, and held it out to me without a word.

I read it with amazement and a conscience that gave me some decided twinges.

"Married!" I exclaimed. "Bishop Winstanley married! And to the Sistine!"

"What!" cried Mrs. Dines; "did I scare him like that?"

Her pallor gave way to a rush of color, and, leaning back, she laughed till her eyes fairly brimmed with tears. There was no attitudinizing about it; she was simply overcome with the humor of the situation, and I hoped

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earnestly that the bishop's sister would gradually yield herself to it also. At present she showed no signs of it.

"Get in," she said to me; "we can't discuss it here."

Obeying, we rolled decorously off.

Mrs. Dines' hand went out and covered her friend's.

"My dear, can you ever forgive me for precipitating such a thing as this?" she asked anxiously.

Miss Winstanley shook her head.

"You—you didn't do it," she murmured; "he has been—been carrying pressed roses; I suppose any one else would have known what that meant, but I—dear heaven, how could I believe such a thing?" she wailed. "And to elope—oh, Hannah, think of it, Charles to elope!"

Mrs. Dines' laugh rumbled forth so contagiously that to save me I could not help echoing it softly.

"That's just what I am thinking of, dear," she said. "To think of his imagining that he had to fly from poor me like that! It's so funny! Oh, do try to see how very funny it is, Henrietta," and she sobbed in her enjoyment of the affair.

"It is absurd and unforgivable," said Miss Winstanley austerely.

The large hand tightened over hers, and Mrs. Dines' tones became serious.

"You are not to hold it against him. Promise me that. Take it out of me, but don't spoil his happiness by censuring him. I'm the one to be punished, for anybody can see that the hastening is entirely due to me. I suppose if I had any vanity I'd be getting my punishment right now, but, unfortunately, my sense of the humorous outweighs my vanity and I can only—only—oh, Henrietta, for goodness' sake, laugh!"

A faint—a very faint twinkle lit in Miss Winstanley's hurt eyes.

"It is absurd for him to run away from us like this," she said. "For you know, Hannah, I was arrayed with you."

Her friend nodded warmly, laughter dancing over her face and in and out among the copious chins.

"She is really a charming girl," I put in.

"Who is she, anyway?" asked Mrs. Dines. "To think of my not asking that before!"

"Miss Streeter," said I; "a cousin of Mrs. Jack Ankony."

"Not Cecelia Streeter! You don't tell me! Why, Henrietta, dry your eyes; this match was made in heaven. She was born for the bishopric. Think how she looks the part."

"So I am always reminding Miss Winstanley," I ventured.

"Then that's all she ever does," wailed her sister-in-law miserably.

"Oh, by no means. You greatly misjudge her," Mrs. Dines contended. "She is calm, I grant you, but a bishop's wife should be calm. No, really, since your brother wouldn't have me, I don't know where he could have done better. Besides, she's prodigiously rich, you know. What! You didn't know? Oh, yes, immensely so. My poor little dot looks small beside hers. She doesn't talk about it, but—"

"Does she talk about anything?" I inquired.

Mrs. Dines shot me an amused glance over her friend's head.

"Silence is an excellent qualification for a bishop's wife, I'm sure, Mr. Twining; then she isn't always getting herself and the diocese into trouble. Now, see here, Henrietta, considering her looks and her reserve and her money, surely you might forgive her for letting your brother run off with her."

"It's very good of you to try to cheer me up," Miss Winstanley responded, vaguely.

"And it's downright foolish of you to hold out against so beautiful an arrangement. To my mind this is as admirable a match all round as I have known of in a very long time. So do cheer up and be glad. Don't you agree with me, Mr. Twining?"

"Most heartily, as Miss Winstanley knows," said I.

That little lady was not, however, ready to yield herself at once to the sudden situation.

"To run away!" she moaned; "at Charles' age!"

"But don't you see that it's a great compliment to me?" smiled Mrs. Dines. "Let me get that much out of it, won't you? It shows how much confidence he has in my getting what I—want. You see, he didn't know what brought me to America, and, following on the heels of my proposal to him, it really seemed, you know, that I was coming to marry him, whether or no. You can see for yourself how the poor dear man must have felt. Did he imagine, I wonder, that if everything else failed I should kidnap him? Well, I forgive him even that. And I want you to forgive him, Henrietta. You must. That's a good, sensible sister. And now it's quite time we came back to our mutton. Tell the man to drive us to the Hemingrays', will you, Mr. Twining? If you don't feel up to going in, Henrietta, I'll go alone, but one of us must certainly see Barbara at once."

"Then you may let me down at the Fifteenth street corner of the Square," said I. "I'll get along back to the office."

As the carriage stopped, Miss Winstanley bent forward, looking eagerly after a fast-disappearing figure.

"Isn't that Dan?" she cried. "Can you overtake him? He is the one to take her the word."

I sprang out and caught up with him within the block, although he was swinging along at an uncomfortably brisk gait.

"On your way to the house, are you?" he asked when he saw me. "It must be pretty nearly time for the wedding. I was afraid I couldn't make it in time, but I caught a flyer within the hour after I had Barbara's message."

"Miss Winstanley wants you," I said, nodding to the carriage, that had turned and was bringing up to the curb.

He was surprised to see Mrs. Dines, and greeted her with a boyish affection that must have warmed her heart.

"All on the way to the wedding?" he inquired after he had shaken hands.

"There is to be no wedding, Dan," Miss Winstanley said, gently.

He had paled before she could explain.

"Nothing's wrong with Barbara?" he asked, quickly.

"No, no; everything is just coming right for her. Get in"—with a glance toward the coachman. "We are driving to the house now, and Mrs. Dines will explain to you. Then you must tell Barbara what is to be told. We'll wait outside, and if she wants us we'll come right in. If not you must tell us, and we'll go away again. Don't you—will you—"

"I must tell you good-by," I said.

As I started off across the Square, Miss Winstanley called after me that she would send for me later in the day.

But I was too impatient to await her summons, and four o'clock found me at her door. As I turned in at the steps, the door opened and Dan came out, hurrying down and stopping at sight of me to wring my hand. He was beaming. I had not seen him so much like his old self in months, and it did my heart good. Somehow it also seemed to presage well for me. All his buoyancy had returned, and he was once more the charming, irresistible fellow we all loved.

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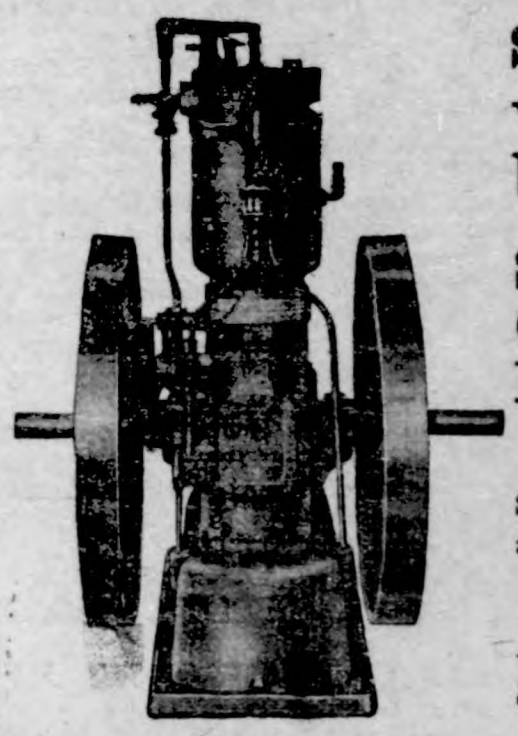

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A debt of gratitude and a vote of thanks will be due the Chicago Tribune from the American people when the United States Land and Irrigation Exposition is over. The inception of this great undertaking was entirely due to the Tribune. The idea originated with the Tribune, and the entire responsibility, financial and otherwise, was assumed by the Tribune.

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All the exhibits of the exposition will deal with the idea of establishing American homes upon small farms. All the features of this unique and wonderful show will be pivoted around the idea that the best place for an American family is in a home of its own, and that home a tract of land large enough to maintain the family in any emergency. With our better knowledge of plants and soils and cultural practices a few acres have an astonishing capacity for production. Valuable instruction along these lines will be found by the visitor at the coming exposition, Nov. 20 to Dec. 4, at Chicago's great Coliseum.

Besides the features specially prepared and brought from Washington, the best features of the government's exhibit at Seattle will be installed at Chicago. The reclamation service, the geological survey, the land office, the forestry service, the patent office, the bureau of animal industry, the bureau of plant industry, the weather bureau, the office of experiment stations and the bureau of entomology will all participate in a manner worthy of the govenment of eighty million people.

The value of the government exhibits to the visitor will lie in the fact that they are new and represent the latest thought and development in the various lines which they represent. All will relate to irrigation, drainage, dry farming and to the industries of the farm, especially of the new farms which are being reclaimed from what has long been regarded as waste land.

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Patents issued to Iowa inventors during the week were:

H. F. Cook, Lake Mills—Window shade and lace curtain support.

M. J. Frambach, assignor of one half to E. F. Broders, Hartley—Anti-slipping attachment for tires.

W. Hopper, Jefferson—Windmill tower.

L. and D. Moeller, Andrew—Lock bolt.

A. H. Neller and W. Louden, Fairfield—Supporting device for overhead tracks.

C. E. Olden, Mason City—Clay gathering machine.

T. R. Stam, West Union—Trolley head.

V. Willimack, Lost Nation—Sharpener for lawn mower cutters.

Notice of Appointment of Administrator

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator of the Estate of August H. Wenz, late of Hancock County, State of Iowa, deceased. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims against the same will present them, duly authenticated, to the undersigned, for allowance.

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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Senator Aldrich in an address before the bankers of Des Moines declared that if a central bank of the United States should ever come it must be the servant and not the master of existing financial institutions.

Commissioner Henry W. West of the District of Columbia has sent his resignation to the president. Mr. West was appointed seven years ago by President Roosevelt. He resigns to resume newspaper work in Washington.

W. Cameron Forbes has assumed the office of governor general of the Philippines. The formal inauguration will take place November 24.

James J. Corbett, a bricklayer and former Bostonian, who when last heard from was seeking employment at Pittsburg, Pa., is heir to $250,000, which will be turned over to him when he puts in an appearance at Boston.

Charles P. Taft, brother of the president, has purchased a rare portrait, probably the finest of its kind in the world, in Limoges enamel, for which it is understood he paid $100,000. It is a portrait of the duke of Nevers, by Limousin, a sixteenth century artist.

Franklin Taylor, who ran for municipal judge in the New York election and lost, filed an expense account of $832.23, accompanied by the remark that "A fool and his money are soon parted."

Mrs. Sarah T. Rorer, the well-known culinary expert, shocked the Mothers' club of New York by declaring that men were not fit to bring up their own sons.

Gen. Thomas H. Hubbard has been elected president of the Lincoln University Endowment association, to succeed the late Gen. O. O. Howard.

Dr. Charles W. Eliot, as president of the National Conservation association, authorizes a statement on the danger of the monopolistic control of water power and coal lands, which is declared to be urgent.

Rev. Harry E. Woodcock, who was ordained as a minister of the Congregational church in 1848, celebrated his ninety-third birthday in Kansas City by preaching a sermon.

GENERAL NEWS.

The national apple show opened in Spokane, Wash., with exhibits from commercial orchards in all parts of the northwest and a prize list of $25,000.

Advocates of an inland waterway from the Mississippi to the Apalachicola and thence across the Florida penisula to the Atlantic met in convention in Jacksonville, Fla.

A Cairo (Ill.) mob lynched Will James (negro) the confessed slayer of Miss Anna Pelley, and Henry Salzner, (white) a photographer accused of the murder of his wife. James confessed his crime implicating another colored man named Arthur Alexander. The rope by which James was strung up broke and he was then shot to death. Later his body was burned on a pyre built by his slayers. Salzner was hanged afterwards and a search for Alexander instituted. Gov. Deneen ordered several companies of state militia to the scene.

The American Federation of Labor in convention at Toronto, Ont., has gone on record as favoring trade schools in connection with the public school system.

Mrs. Jeannette Ford-Stewart, accused by C. L. Warriner, the defaulting Cincinnati treasurer of the Big Four Railroad Company, denies that she shared in his peculations by blackmailing him, and declares she will tell the whole story in court. She says her tale will disclose some sensational facts.

President Taft, in a speech at Richmond, Va., outlined his annual message to congress and put reclamation and irrigation first in importance, with anti-trust, interstate commerce and postal savings banks following.

The Kansas board of health has issued a decree against the roller towel, and that feature of the country hotel will have to go in Kansas.

The National Municipal league and the American Civic association began their annual meetings in Cincinnati with a joint session at which addresses were made by Charles J. Bonaparte and J. Horace McFarland, presidents of the organizations.

Fragmentary reports received at Kingston, Jamaica, from the countryside show that the damage to railroads, plantations and telegraph lines by a hurricane is very heavy. In and around Kingston the property loss is estimated at $500,000.

Arthur Alexander, the negro whom William James, the black man lynched at Cairo, Ill., implicated in the murder of Miss Anna Pelley, was taken to Kankakee by a strong guard of soldiers and safely lodged in jail there. Cairo is under martial law but the mob spirit there is apparently broken.

Ransom R. Cable, one of the builders of the Rock Island Railway system, is dead at the home of his son, Benjamin F. Cable of Chicago, after a brief illness. He was 75 years of age.

Clara Brodenberger, an 18-year-old girl, told the Chicago police that her mother, who is now confined in an insane asylum, shot and killed her husband, Henry Brodenberger, a jeweler of Madison, Wis., three years ago because she was jealous of him. This clears up a case that has mystified the police for years.

James F. Bendernagel, for many years general superintendent of the Williamsburg Sugar Refinery Company, was arrested and indicted at New York, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government by false weighing of sugar. He was released on $5,000 bail.

President Taft delivered an address at the installation ceremonies of making Dr. William Arnold Shanklin president of Wesleyan university, at Middletown, Conn.

Driven to bay by an armed mob, Earl Bullock, the 17-year-old bandit of Lawrence, Kan., held up the Endora (Kan.) State bank for the second time. He shot Fred Starr, a patron of the bank and snatching $800, fled. A mob pursued him and when capture was inevitable Bullock fired a bullet into his own head and will probably die. He was accompanied by William McKay, aged 15 years, who was jailed. Less than a month ago Bullock robbed the same bank of nearly $1,000 and when Policeman Wilson Pringle undertook to arrest him, the youthful robber shot and killed the officer.

Mrs. Isabella G. McCosh, widow of the late Dr. James McCosh, who was president of Princeton college from 1868 to 1888, died at her home at Princeton, N. J. She was the mother of Dr. Andrew McCosh, who was killed in a runaway accident in New York last year.

Gustav H. Schwab of the Merchants' association of New York, announced that in the near future he will resign from the chairmanship of the executive committee of the National Council of Commerce owing to pressure of business.

Directum, 2:05¼, who set a world's record for four-year-old trotters in 1893 on the Nashville track, died at Savage, Minn. Death was due to blood poisoning. M. W. Savage purchased Directum, who was 21 years old, in 1898 for $20,000.

That Samuel L. Clemens is the greatest living literary man was the opinion voiced by Prof. Brander Matthews of Columbia university during his fourth lecture on "Moliere" at the Cincinnati university. This opinion was called forth by a series of questions from one of the students in the audience.

Because his wife would not get up and prepare his breakfast as quickly as he thought she should Steve Wasmenski of Paterson, N. J., set fire to the bed on which she lay and nearly made himself a widower.

After 48 years of active service in the United States army, Maj. Gen. John F. Weston, commander of the department of California, has retired, having passed the age limit.

The grand encampment of Illinois Odd Fellows began in Springfield.

Thomas J. Hall, aged 17, the son of a Louisville furniture dealer, entered the Merchants' National bank at New Albany, Ind., and in an attempt to hold up the institution shot and killed J. H. Fawcett, the cashier, and seriously wounded President J. K. Woodward. In attempting to escape young Hall shot and mortally injured a colored chauffeur when the latter failed to start his automobile. The youthful robber was captured on the Kentucky side of the river after an exciting chase and only escaped the vengeance of a mob by a ruse on the part of the sheriff.

Deputy United States Attorney General Stimson at New York is making preparations to push criminal proceedings against the sugar trust which, it is charged, has stolen $30,000,000 from the United States treasury through underweighing importations in the last 20 years.

Seven persons were injured, some probably fatally, in a wreck on the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad, five miles south of Henryetta, Okla. Two passenger coaches left the track and turned over.

DIE IN MINE FIRE

Many Perished in Flames Which Followed Explosion.

FIVE HUNDRED MEN AT WORK

Fifty Miners Went Home and Twenty-five Escaped After Explosion—Little Hope for Entombed Men in Horrible Disaster.

Cherry, Ill., Nov. 15.—Mine officials of the St. Paul Coal company, after an explosion which occurred Saturday, say that 400 men are dead in the mine. Twelve bodies have been taken out. Six of these were heroes, not employed in the mine, who gave their lives in a futile effort to save the imprisoned workers.

Mine Superintendent James Steele declared five hours after the explosion that it was almost impossible that any of the miners could escape. The mine has a day shift of 484 men. Of these fifty left the mine at noon. Twenty-five are known to have escaped after the fire broke out. The others are believed to be dead.

The entrance to the mine has been sealed in the hope of checking the flames. The building above the pit entrance was blown up to permit this.

The fire causing the explosion, which may prove one of the greatest tragedies in the list of mine horrors, had an origin most trivial. A pile of hay allowed to smolder too long, finally ignited the timbers of the mine and before the workers realized their danger the mine was filled with smoke, gases and flames, and all exit was impossible.

Heroism such as is rarely exhibited, was shown by officials of the mine and residents of the town of Cherry. These men, who were outside the mine when the fire originated, contributed five to the list of twelve known dead. Alexander Herberg, a pitman, gave his life in a futile effort to save those of his comrades who risked their lives with him.

Standing at the bottom of the shaft he carried the bodies of four men into the cage, the only way of escape; as the last was carried in, he fell unconscious across the body. He was dead, as were all his companions, when the cage had been lifted to the top. Those who had gone into the pit with him were John Bundy, the mine superintendent, John Flood and Isaac Lewis, merchants of Cherry, and Dominic Fonenti.

KANSAS TOWN DESTROYED

Shook Hit by Cyclone, But No Lives Were Lost—Storms in Michigan and Elsewhere.

Wichita, Kan., Nov. 15.—With the restoration of the telegraphic communication it was learned that the town of Shook, a small station on the Missouri Pacific railway forty miles southwest of here, was practically destroyed by a tornado. The depot was demolished and the general stores and a grain elevator were blown from their foundations. No lives were lost.

In Europe Also.

Berlin, Nov. 15.—Hurricane-like winds have raged in northern Europe winds have raged in northern Europe. There has been some loss of life. In this city many buildings in the course of construction were blown down while others were unroofed. There was one fatality and several persons were injured here.

Cape Haytien, Nov. 15.—No news has been received of the effect of the storm at Port de Paid. That place is stil isolated. Heavy seas are still running on the coast and the storm, while its severity has decreased, is continuing.

Port Au Prince, Hayti, Nov. 15—The hurricane that has swept over Hayti has wrought immense damage, the extent of which it is as yet impossible to determine, but up to the present time no news has been received here of any serious loss of life.

Intelligence received here from Gonaives describes great property losses, but makes no mention of loss of life.

Deep Michigan Snow.

Calumet, Mich., Nov. 15.—Eight inches of snow fell on the Keweena peninsula. Deer hunters are flocking into the woods while on Lake Superior all vessels are seeking shelter.

Many Bridges Went Out.

Mason City, Ia., Nov. 15.—The hardest rain of the season occurred here Saturday. All small streams are out of their banks, and many bridges are gone in the county. A concrete arch bridge under construction here was damaged.

Texas Drought Broken.

El Paso, Tex., Nov. 15.—A drouth of several months' duration has been broken by snow and rain. The heaviest rain in two years fell in western Texas.

POOR WITNESS FOR FRIEND

Deacon's Brief Emphatic Testimony Probably Somewhat Impressed the Jury.

Deacon Stephen Potter, one of the pioneers of Utica, N. Y., was a man of great eccentricity but high moral character. The deacon will speak the truth and shame the devil," was often said of him.

On one occasion a friend was engaged in a lawsuit in regard to some land a few miles from Utica. He held the land at a high price. During the trial he called Deacon Potter as a witness, to prove how valuable the land was. The deacon was sworn and asked if he knew the land.

"Yes," he replied, "I know every foot of it."

"What do you think it is worth, Mr Potter?" was the next question.

The old man paused a moment and then said, slowly: "If I had as many dollars—as my yoke of oxen—could draw—on a sled—on glazed ice—I vow—I would not give—a dollar an acre for it!"—Youth's Companion.

Taking Care of Yourself.

There never was a time when people paid as much attention to their health and strength as they do now. Time was when fine stock and fine horses were fed more carefully than human beings.

The result of properly balanced rations has worked wonders with stock and recent experiments are proving that the same thing is true of mankind.

It has been found that Quaker Oats eaten often and regularly taking the place of heavy, greasy foods will work wonders in the health and strength of a family.

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The Dollar Sign.

When it came time for Mrs. Bluffer to pack her trunk and depart from the resort where she had spent many pleasant days, where she had been the cynosure of all eyes, where she had flirted and gossipped (and been gossiped about), she visited the proprietor.

"I've just received a check for $50 from my husband," she told him. "You will honor it, won't you?"

The proprietor bowed and rubbed his hands.

"My dear Mrs. Bluffer," he ventured. "I will not only honor it, but will fall down and worship it."

Suspicious.

The father of Judge W. H. Wadhams had a chicken-coop and a dog and a stable hand. It began to look to Mr. Wadhams as though some one had discovered the combination. So he kept the coop and the stable hand, but he got a new dog. Next day the bent old negro who groomed the Wadhams' horses came to him. "You los' you affection foh me, boss?" he asked. "No, Scipio," said Mr. Wadhams. "I like you as well as ever." "Then," said Scipio, peevishly, "w'yn't you tie Old Rover in de chicken-coop, 'stid of dat new dorg?"

Chloroform Zoo Animals.

The practice of cutting the claws of the more ferocious animals of the London zoological garden has recently been greatly facilitated by chloroforming the animals. Heretofore it was done by sheer force by a squad of men, the animal being first secured by ropes.

CAREFUL DOCTOR

Prescribed Change of Food Instead of Drugs.

It takes considerable courage for a doctor to deliberately prescribe only food for a despairing patient, instead of resorting to the usual list of medicines.

There are some truly scientific physicians among the present generation who recognize and treat conditions as they are and should be treated regardless of the value to their pockets. Here's an instance:

"Four years ago I was taken with severe gastritis and nothing would stay on my stomach, so that I was on the verge of starvation.

"I heard of a doctor who has a summer cottage near me—a specialist from N. Y., and as a last hope, sent for him.

"After he examined me carefully he advised me to try a small quantity of Grape-Nuts at first, then as my stomach became stronged to eat more.

"I kept at it, and gradually got so I could eat and digest three teaspoonfuls. Then I began to have color in my face, memory became clear, where before everything seemed a blank. My limbs got stronger, and I could walk. So I steadily recovered.

"Now, after a year on Grape-Nuts I weigh 153 lbs. My people were surprised at the way I grew fleshy and strong on this food."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

"There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

GOING UP!

City ways were not altoget to him, but, as he waited at t tor shaft, in one of Omaha's fice buildings, he said to panions.

"Well, I'll be hanged if tha beater."

"Why, what?"

"Just look at that confound road advertising on an Omah tor—UP! What won't they d

His companion replied, "Sh— those letters mean 'up.'"

When I see that word, thi always comes to my mind:

'Whenever the little word see,
Think of Safety, Speed, Ser U. P.'

You will see that word at every passenger elevator in t try, but before you leave for th be sure to buy your ticket v Safe Road to Travel."

MAID FOUND A FEW T

As a Result, Brooklyn Woma Home to Make a Few Rem to Hubby.

Irving Berlin, the author Wife's Gone to the Country," a recent dinner in New York.

"A true happening was the tion of this song.

"In July a Brooklyn woman for Ocean Grove, and on her discovered that her watch, a s fair, was missing. She thou had probably dropped on the soft dining-room rug, so she w the maid at home:

"'Let me know if you find a on rug in dining-room.'

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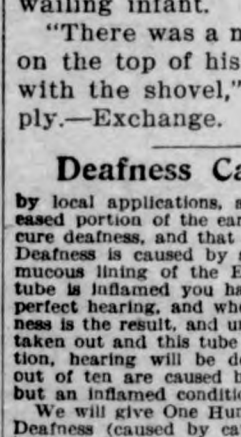

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SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with a scene at a box party. Miss Henrietta Winstantley, sister of Bishop Winstanley overheard Banker Ankony propose to Barbara Hemingray, whose brother Dan was in his employ. Dan was one of the town's popular young men. He showed some nervousness when Attorney Tom Twining told him Barbara refused Ankony. Ankony the following day, summoning Twining, accused Dan of looting the bank. Twining refused to prosecute. Barbara persuaded Ankony to postpone starting prosecution. Twining learned of the engagement of Ankony and Barbara. He congratulated both. He visited Miss Hemingray and found her almost in tears. He told her he had loved her, but feared prematurely announcing his affection. By actions alone she told him she reciprocated. Mrs. Anson Dines, wealthy widow, proposed a marriage by proxy with Bishop Winstanley. The latter consulted with Twining. The bishop had been paying attentions to Miss Streeter. Dan consulted Twining, saying his sister was determined to marry Ankony, declaring she actually loved the banker, though he could not help believing she was making a sacrifice to save him from jail. Miss Winstanley, finding a pressed rose in the bishop's book, scented a love affair. Mrs. Dines sailed for America. Miss Winstanley informed Twining that Mrs. Dines was intent upon stopping the marriage of Barbara and Ankony. Mrs. Dines arrived and Ankony immediately set about to sail with Barbara for Europe the following day, in order, it seemed, to avoid Mrs. Dines. Mrs. Dines confronted Ankony with evidence of his peculations while attorney for the late Mr. Dines. She told him that if he persisted in marrying Barbara that day that she would prosecute him. Finally he agreed to her proposition that he should give up Barbara as the price of Mrs. Dines' silence. Ankony notified Barbara of the necessity for breaking the engagement. Dan was informed also.

CHAPTER XI.—Continued.

"Everything's all right at last, Tom," he cried. "I don't deserve it, but I'm down on my knees giving thanks for it, just the same, and if ever—" he lowered his voice, looking over my shoulder at some one who was approaching—"if ever I get any of you into such a muss again, may I be hanged! Oh, it's been awful! You'll never know. But it's over, thank God! And now it's up to me to make good. And that's what I'm going to do, old man. Who is this confounded fellow coming? I wanted to talk with you a minute, but I'll look in after dinner, if you're to be at home. There's a deal to tell you," and he was off.

An ecclesiastical-looking gentleman mounted the steps with me, inquiring for the bishop, while I went in to Miss Winstanley.

She was flushed and smiling and bright-eyed.

"Did you think I had forgotten you? Bless you, no. But there has been so much to do. We only left Barbara, poor child, an hour ago. There were messages to be sent for her, orders to countermand, and—"

"Then she isn't going with him?" I broke in.

"Oh, did you think—is it possible you gave her credit for so little—"

"If she loved him—"

She caught me up sharply. "Of course she didn't love him. I always told you that, but you would go on in your stubborn unbelief in my intuitions, you foolish, foolish fellow. My, but she was gallant, though! She had me almost bewildered at first; but the moment she found that she could have done with all pretense and that her fancied obligation to Ankony was at an end, then how she changed! It was pitiful to see her. One understood the terrific strain she has been under. I'm not pretending to say whether or not she cares for you, Mr. Twining—that's for you to find out for yourself, you know—but I think it is only fair to tell you that she never has cared for Ankony."

"Thank God!" I devoutly murmured.

She patted my arm and made funny little dabs at her eyes with a dot of a handkerchief.

"She is going out of town to stay with some friends until the storm of the broken engagement has blown over, she told me. They go to-morrow, she and Dan. He will stay with her a fortnight, until she is a little recovered, for in spite of her wonderful courage and poise, she is tremendously undone by all this."

"And is there nothing—"

"Nothing just yet," she smiled. "Now let me tell you what Dan and I are going to do. You remember that I have some undeveloped mining property in Montana. Experts have given me a good deal of encouragement over it, but I have been waiting to find just the right man to put at the head of the work. And now Dan is to undertake it. Oh"—at my glance—"it isn't a philanthropic scheme. The boy will give me excellent service. If it is a good thing for him, it's a better thing for me. And I'm to go out with him to launch the enterprise. I've no notion of being in the way when my brother and his wife return."

"But your brother can't do without you. You will always be as necessary to him as his wife."

"Later, perhaps, but not just at first," she said. "We don't know much about honeymoons, you and I, Mr. Twining; but I'm sure you'll agree with me that no man wants even his beloved sister underfoot at that time. So Dan and I are off in a fortnight."

"Good!" I approved; "and if things don't go well with me I'll come along. May I?"

CHAPTER XII.

Barbara was away several weeks, and then one day Mrs. Dines, meeting me on the street, told me that she had come back to town and that she was well and entirely recovered from the effects of the unfortunate publicity of her broken engagement.

I went to see her that evening. It was just after dinner, and the maid told me that Miss Hemingray was going out, but that she would ask if she would see me for a few minutes.

As we stood talking, Barbara came down the stairs. She wore a rather scrumptious gown of white—one from her trousseau, I imagine, and the hope went over me that it might yet fulfill the purpose for which it had been designed. Her cloak was white too—a velvety thing that I had not seen before. It became her wonderfully, with its bewitching folds and curves and richness. And her brown head, lifting itself with all its charming poise above the new loveliness, thrilled me while the eyes that looked down on me were more like the eyes of the Barbara I loved than they had been for a very long time.

"Oh, you!" she exclaimed, from the landing where she paused an instant at sight of me.

"Going out?" I asked, lightly, as if I were not dazzled and palpitant.

"To a very small affair at the Averills'. Why not come along?"

"Because I'm not asked. But you will give me a minute before you go?" I pleaded.

She glanced at the hall clock.

"Yes, I think so. Hord Averill is coming for me, but it isn't time for him yet."

"Annie," said I to the maid, "if Mr. Averill arrives, show him into the drawing-room and let him wait."

"You are very urgent," Barbara said, with a rather uncertain smile.

I held open the library door and she entered. She did not sit, but stood half turning to me, leaning against the corner of the table near the fire place, where a low fire burned. I had never seen her half so lovely, nor so adorable.

"We have abused our friendship and treated it shamefully," I said at once, "and now perhaps I am about to maroon it; but I must take the chance. Forgive me if I have come too soon, dear, but I can wait no longer. I must know—now that you are free to tell me—whether I can ever hope that you will care for me."

"Do you know all that has happened?" she asked. She was as white as her gown, and her eyes only half lifted to mine.

"Yes, Barbara. Don't mind, dear. Part of it I guessed and the other part had to be told me. But I am glad that there is nothing for you to tell me—nothing but the one thing I am so eager to hear. Yon won't keep me waiting any longer, will you?"

"After all that has happened you still want me for—your—"

"More than ever; a thousand times more than ever!" I cried.

"I don't understand how you can," she said. She turned her face from me, leaning heavily on the table, the soft firelight over her. "Could you ever be sure of me? I have deceived you so long."

"You must deceive neither yourself nor me now," I said, seriously. "I want the truth, whatever that is. Be honest. Don't try to be kind to me. You have had to make pretense so long. Think only of yourself now."

I waited for her reply, but it was long in coming, so long that my heart sank.

"If I am to be honest," she began, "I must tell you that—that—"

"Yes? Don't be afraid, dear."

"That it would be foolish—foolish for me to—to try to—to care for you, for I—"

"Don't try to go on," I cried. "I see. I have been a fool to expect it."

A little sound of pain escaped her.

I pulled myself together with an effort.

"You mustn't worry," I said, dully. "I can't blame you, heaven knows! I wouldn't have you come to me unless you love me, you know that. And I would rather go on—alone—than have you give yourself to me through pity."

"Oh, yes, yes!" she cried.

I stared into the fire. I had thought I was prepared!

Presently she began to speak again: "Won't you let me finish, please? I—I want you to understand. It would be foolish for me to—to try to care for you, because—because—"

"Oh, don't try to ease it for me!" I broke in. "I must learn to bear it. Forgive me for being so long getting myself in hand. You're not to blame yourself, dear. You never gave me any reason to hope, but I did. I told myself that I didn't, but I did—even when I thought Ankony was going to carry you off the next day, I still hoped. It seemed to me that heaven meant you should belong to me, and that I must have you. But there, there! don't look at me like that, and don't—"

"I am going to finish," she said, resolutely. "Let me go on."

"I wish you wouldn't," I urged.

She sat down, bending to the fire. I could not see her eyes, but I knew they were misty, and the softness of her voice was indescribable.

"I couldn't try to care for you because—because I have been—have been fighting for months—to—to quit caring. Oh, why—why will you be so dense?"

"Barbara!" I cried, bending over her.

She put up a futile little hand between us, but I laughed in the rapture of the moment and caught her in my arms.

"Wait," she pleaded.

"My waiting is over!" I breathed. "Oh, look at me, dear one, and let me have the testimony of your eyes. I'm afraid of your lips."

"Foolish!" whispered she, lifting her eyes to mine. And then: "But oh, you are—Tom, Tom! you are crushing my beautiful new gown, and it—it did cost such a pile," with a little breathless laugh.

"There will be plenty of other gowns," I exclaimed, "but never another moment quite like this."

The fire did its best to be up to the situation; it crackled in a sudden noisy glee and threw enchanting shadows over Barbara's head as I looked down on it. Dan's rheumatic old spaniel, who haunted the library, awoke from his nap in the corner at the moment and, coming to stretch himself on the hearth-rug, observed something unusual going on, and, looking up inquiringly, brushed against Barbara's skirts to attract her attention.

The maid's light steps passed down the hall and I heard the outer door open and a man's voice in the vestibule.

"It's Averill," I said. "I shan't so much mind having to give you up to him now."

But he did not seem to enter into the moment with her.

"Oh, it has been so hard," she whispered, a little half sob breaking the sweetness of her voice. "There were times when I thought I should never, never be able to stand it," and I felt her shiver in my arms.

"I know, my brave one," I whispered back; "I know."

She lifted her head a moment later and looked at me, and my heart bowed beneath the shining of her eyes and the tremulous beauty of her dear face.

"But it doesn't matter now. Nothing matters now," she said, thrillingly.

(THE END.)

"My Waiting Is Over," I Breathed.

MANY WORKED ON WIRELESS

As Far Back as 1853 Lord Kelvin Was Experimenting with the Principle.

Wireless telegraphy has many discoverers. As has been so often the case in any branch of physics, whether pure or applied, the name of Lord Kelvin is associated with the discovery. In 1853 he gave forth the theory of oscillation. In 1865 Maxwell propounded the theory of electrical waves, and in 1888 Hertz practically discovered them. Sir Oliver Lodge was looking for the waves at the same time, and was successful in finding them running along wires in the same year that Hertz discovered them going through space. In 1890 he was able to take a further step, developing the receiving arrangements for the detection of these waves by means of the principle which he decided to call syntony.

At the same time another word, coherer, was added to the language. In 1894 he was able to give a demonstration before the British association of signaling across space without wires, and about the same time he published a book.

In 1895 Admiral Popoff of the Russian navy and Capt. Jackson of the English navy carried the idea a little further, and then in 1896 Marconi took up the matter with great success.

A Fruitful Potato Plant.

Not satisfied with yielding an enormous output in the regular way, an Irish potato vine growing in the garden of C. C. Nall at Luthersville, Ga., some time ago began to put out potatoes all along its branches, and when sent to the Constitution office the other day, had potatoes as large as eggs growing practically all over the vine.

In a letter accompanying the freak Mr. Nall states that the vine grew in his garden, where the land is a mixture of sand and red clay. On taking up the plant, he found that the industrious vine had not neglected its regular duty while pulling off its unusual stunt, as proven by the fact that an unusually large number of potatoes were found in their accustomed place in the ground.—Atlanta Constitution.

Mrs. Ferguson (trying on another spring hat)—George, what do you think of this one? You didn't like the other.

Mr. Ferguson—Well, if you are limited to two styles, the inverted waste basket and the inverted coal scuttle, my choice would be the coal scuttle. We need another one at home, anyway.

CERTAIN DEATH.

Hilda—Would you lay down your life for me?

Harold—Gladly, dearest.

Hilda—Then go and tell father of our engagement.

Philosophy.

Billy—Ma, does it do you any good to spank me?

Mother—No, my son; it hurts me to do it.

Billy—Then don't you think it's rather foolish to be hurting the two of us and not benefiting any one?

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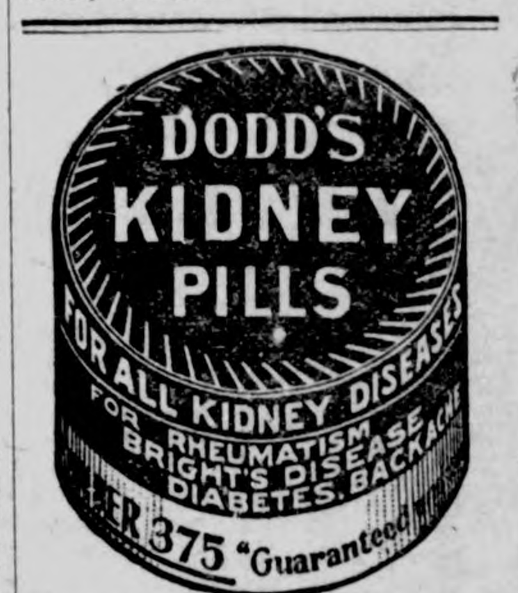

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DOCTORS, PLEASE DON'T READ

Britt Tribune: Although a dentist is called "Doc" there is all the difference in the world between a dentist and a doctor. A dentist gets fifty cents for pulling a tooth, a doctor gets five hundred dollars for pulling a leg. A dentist accidentally drops a piece of gold filling worth fifty cents in a man's throat which he immediately expels by coughing, the same day the man's brother has to cough up three hundred dollars to a doctor for medical attendance to his wife until she dies. The dentist fills cavities the size of a flax seed for five dollars, the doctor fills one six feet by three and six feet deep in half the time and gets five hundred dollars. A dentist earns his living with "great pains," a doctor pains the living with great urns. A dentist stops pains when his patient is in great misery, the doctor is in misery when the patient stops "payin." A dentist makes a mistake, the patient kicks, the doctor makes one and he don't. The dentist's pull is quick and may slip, the doctor's pull is slower but awful sure. When a dentist works for a dollar his patient takes a rest, when the doctor works for a dollar he gets all the rest himself.

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They tell it that in the village of Washington, Iowa, a citizen went to the meat market to buy twenty cents worth of steak. The butcher sliced it off for him and he handed the market man a quarter, received a nickle in change and departed. When he arrived home he could not locate the steak he had bought. He found the nickle loose in his pocket and then discovered what he had done. He had absent mindedly put the nickle in his pocket and the steak in his pocketbook.

It won't be long until some fool will have a law passed prescribing corn cobs and hot water as being the food a man shall eat for breakfast.—Goodell Globe.

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Dr. Hess Hog Worm Powder.
To be had at G. F. Schuler's Garner, Iowa.

Fresh oysters daily at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

Good sleighing in November is a rare occurrence, but be it remembered that it happened in 1909.

Get your reserved seats for the Eva Bartlett Macey Co. entertainment NOW at the State Savings Bank.

If you are in the market for a gasoline engine, see us about the Gade engine before purchasing. Wm Schmidt or J. W. Scott. 12-5*

New hitching posts were put in this week along the side streets east of the State Savings Bank building and Terhufen's store building. These have been needed for some time and will be welcomed by our good farmer customers.

The dance at the opera house last Friday evening was quite well attended considering the inclement weather. Good music was furnished by the Imperial Harp Orchestra of Mason City. Another dance is billed to take place on Friday evening, November 26th.

Twin Lake Township No. 1—Pupils neither absent nor tardy during last month of school were: Clara Swalve, Lena Swalve, Bennie Swalve, Ada Wenig, Oscar Wenig, Gladys Wenig. Winter term begins Nov. 22nd. Val. Josten, Jr. Director. J. D. G. Houghton, Teacher.

Souvenir dishes at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

The regular subscription price of the Chicago Daily Farmers and Drovers Journal is $4 per year, but we have made arrangements whereby we can furnish that paper and the Klemme Times both one year for $4 05. The Chicago F. and D. Journal twice-a-week, and the Times, both one year for $2.05. The Journal once a week and the Times, both one year for $1.55.

Thanksgiving Day comes on Thursday of next week, so this paper will be issued one day earlier, that the "devil" may observe the day the same as decent folks. We may eat turkey if our delinquent subscribers come to the front in time, if not we may eat one of our own chickens. Anyway, don't forget to bring in the copy for your ads next week on Monday.

A full line of Post Cards at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

Mrs C. C. Suckow and daughter Fern were Garner visitors Saturday.

Louie Turgasen was down from Swea City last Sunday visiting old friends and acquaintances.

Goodell Globe: Mrs. A. D White returned from Klemme Tuesday, where she has been for the past two weeks looking after Albert Thomas White.

Col. J. J. Wilson, of Meservey, was a pleasant caller last Friday. He was over to cry the sale of C. Kuskie & Sons, which was quite well attended and very satisfactory as to prices received

The next number of the Lecture Course will be given in the opera house on Tuesday evening, Nov. 23rd. The attraction is the Eva Bartlett Macey Company, which comes very highly recommended as a company of artists. Don't forget the date and don't fail to attend.

We very much dislike to "holler our heads off" about that dollar or two that you owe on subscription, but the fact remains that we unfortunately have bills to pay and what's more we have to pay them. You don't want to beat anyone out of a dollar, but probably just neglect these small matters. We will have to place these accounts in the hands of competent collectors unless they are settled right away, as we have earned the money and need it in our business. It is not a matter of sentiment with us—but necessity. Don't compel us to ask you again or to send a collector after these small accounts. Square up.

The first snow of the season fell last Friday night but it quickly disappeared the next morning when the rain commenced to fall in torrents It continued to rain hard all day Saturday and through the night. The storm must have been general as the river was reported higher on Sunday than it has been for years. To cap the climax in good shape a snow storm struck this country Monday night and on Tuesday morning there was four or five inches of the "beautiful" covering the landscape. Iowa is getting her wet season this fall, preparatory to having a dry spring and a bumper crop next year. At least that's the way we have the dope figured out.

Don't pass up the State Savings Bank ad. Read it.

Miss Amanda Arnold has been quite sick, but is now improving.

The Northern Lumber Company talks about storm sash in their ad this week. Read it and act.

The Northern Lumber Company finished invoicing the stock in the Klemme yard this week.

Mrs. L Sampson returned home last Thursday from an extended visit at Beulah, Iowa, so Lou is again on his good behavior.

Fred L. Flint, of Fairfax, So. Dak., a brother of the writer, arrived in Klemme yesterday for a visit. He has recently sold his newspaper, the Fairfax Advertiser, and will devote his attention to a claim he has acquired in Tripp county, South Dakota.

NOTICE

I am in need of money, therefore cheer up and pay up.

DR. GEO. ZINN,

German M. E. Church Items

Mrs. Bettin returned from Charles City Monday afternoon.

Both Sunday Schools have adopted their Christmas programs for good, old fashioned celebrations.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hartwick, of McGregor, Iowa, arrived last Friday to spend a week with their daughter, Mrs. Wessel.

On account of the inclement weather, the special meetings did not begin this week, but are expected to begin Sunday evening.

The river was so high last Sunday that it was over two feet deep on the grade west of town. As far as we know the writer was the only one who crossed it that day.

The excessive rains of last week and snow storm on Monday makes corn picking very unpleasant, especially since so much of the corn is down. But those who began to pick corn early have their trouble in keeping it. A number of farmers have been obliged to move their corn to keep it from spoiling.

CLOSING OUT SALE!

As I have decided to quit farming I will sell to the highest bidder on place rented by me 1½ miles southeast of Klemme, known as the Wm. Smith farm the following property on

FRIDAY, NOV. 26th, 1909,
Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m.
A big Free Lunch at Noon.

7 head of Horses,
38 head of Cattle,
15 Duroc Jersey Brood Sows,
1200 bushels corn in crib.
35 acres stock feed with 80 a. range.
10 tons of good hay,
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Try these goods; they are fine.

W. R. BLOOM
Buyer and Shipper of
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Best Grades of Hard and Soft Coal. Will be prepared to furnish my patrons with the celebrated Petroleum COKE about July 1st. Leave your orders while you can get the coke.
Stock wanted 6 days in the week

RESTAURANT
Russel's Maple Nut Chocolates—Try them and you will buy nothing else.
Get one of our delicious Oyster Stews and you will become a regular customer.
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A. Kirkwood & Son

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CHICAGO COLISEUM
November 20 to December 4, 1909

Will provide authoritative, graphic information about the vast opportunities now opening up in many States for homeseekers, farmers and investors.

There will be exhibits of the wonderful fruits of virgin soil from all sections.

Elaborate panoramas will show what is being done to irrigate, drain and cultivate it.

INTERNATIONAL
Live Stock Exposition
TENTH ANNIVERSARY
Chicago Union Stock Yards
November 27 to December 10, 1909

The world's greatest collection of prize-winning cattle, horses, sheep and hogs ever brought together will be on exhibition.

All the progress and all the best brains of the live stock industry will be there. Millions of dollars invested in the exhibits.

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HUNTING FOR BIG GAME.

The Highlands of Ontario is an ideal spot for the sportsman during the open hunting season for big game. In the Temagami region moose are plentiful and may be killed during the period from October 16th to November 15th. This territory is a forest preserve of vast expanse, and in addition to being the hunter's paradise, its waters abound with game fish of many species. The home of the red deer is located somewhat to the south of Temagami, particularly in the districts known as "Muskoka Lakes," "Lake of Bays, "Maganetawan River," "Lake Nipissing," and "Kawartha Lakes" territories.

Write to W. S. Cookson, A. G. P. A., 135 Adams St., Chicago, for a copy of "Haunts of Fish and Game," issued by the Grand Trunk Railway System which fully describes the hunting territories reached by this line, giving game laws, maps and all information.

PICTURE ON MEMORY'S WALL.

Uncle—Well, Tommy, how was your report this term?

Nephew—I call feel it yet, uncle.

SKIN TROUBLES CURED.

Two Little Girls Had Eczema Very Badly—In One Case Child's Hair Came Out and Left Bare Patches.

Cuticura Met with Great Success.

"I have two little girls who have been troubled very badly with eczema. One of them had it on her lower limbs. I did everything that I could hear of for her, but it did not give in until warm weather, when it seemingly subsided. The next winter when it became cold the eczema started again and also in her head where it would take the hair out and leave bare patches. At the same time her arms were sore the whole length of them. I took her to a physician, but the child grew worse all the time. Her sister's arms were also affected. I began using Cuticura Remedies, and by the time the second lot was used their skin was soft and smooth. Mrs. Charles Baker, Albion, Me., Sept. 21, '08."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

A Monument in the Snows.

The highest placed monument in the world is situated on La Combra, the summit of a pass in the Andes, and marks the frontier of the Chilian and Argentine republics. It stands at an altitude of 12,796 feet above the sea level, and for awe-inspiring grandeur its surroundings would be hard to match.—Wide World Magazine.

The next time you feel that swallowing sensation, the sure sign of sore throat, gargle Hamlins Wizard Oil immediately with three parts water. It will save you days and perhaps weeks of misery.

In the Future.

Knicker—Well, my dear?

Mrs. Knicker—Wipe your wings before you come into the house.

PERRY DAVIS' PAINKILLER
should be taken without delay when sore chest and tickling throat warn you that an annoying cold threatens. At all druggists in 25c, 35c and 50c bottles.

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THANKSGIVING

From The Christian Science Sentinel

ETERNAL God of Life and Truth and Love,
I thank Thee who hast to my soul conveyed
A consciousness of spiritual birth.
To see Thy face, mine eye is turned above
That I may catch a clear, diviner sense
To use in aid of mortals on the earth.

Bert Poole.

The Prodigal's Wife

A SLIGHT rap at the outer door drew the attention of the gray-haired woman.

"Come in," she called.

The door suddenly opened. A trim young woman stood at the threshold. She looked around and smiled and nodded.

"Good morning," she said, and her voice was clear and pleasant. "May I come in?"

The elderly woman stepped forward.

"Why, yes," she answered. Take this chair. Have you walked far?"

"Only from the village. The hill is a little steep. I am not used to hills lately."

She smiled and nodded again.

"You are very good," said the stranger. "I am not really so tired. It was the dear old house that drew me in. I thought I would like to come."

"Our home is an old one," she said, with a little sigh. "It needs many improvements. But we haven't the means to make them."

"So?" said the girl with a touch of sympathy in her voice. "Perhaps these improvements would take away the dear old home's niceness. You do not live alone?"

"No, there are two of us—my husband and I."

"And the children—they are away, then?"

The gray haired woman turned back to the table.

"We have a child—a son. He is away."

The girl arose quickly.

"Let me help you, madam." She drew off her jacket and hung it on a hook behind the door. "Ah, you will see what a fine bringing up I have. Is there not an apron I may wear?"

The gray haired woman smiling hesitated.

"There isn't much to do," she said. "And we have no money to pay for help."

"Let us not talk of it," cried the girl. "I am not so very poor. You will let me stay a few days. Perhaps you will not like me at all."

The gray haired woman smiled.

"I think I like you already," she said.

The girl pinned up her sleeves on her fair round arms.

"Now you will tell me what to do, and while we work we will talk. You have said something about your son—has he gone far away?"

The woman looked at her with troubled eyes.

"It is an unhappy story," said the mother. "My son quarreled with his father. It was about a girl. Our boy had gone away to the city. There was so little for him on the farm. His father thought he was wrong to go. But John was ambitious and there was no chance for him here. And one day he came home and said he was going to marry. And it came out that the girl was foreign and on the stage. And when John's father heard this he was very angry. To him the theater is a wicked place. It was in the way he was brought up. Perhaps he is too hard. Anyway, he told John that the must give up the girl or he would disown him. And John is proud, too, and they had words and John went away, and since that day his father has never spoken his name." She suddenly put her apron to her eyes. "My dear, dear son," she sobbed.

The girl's face flushed. She went to the weeping mother and touched her hand.

"Don't cry," she gently said. "Perhaps there is good news. Look at me. What do you see?" She drew back a little and her laughing eyes grew serious and she held up her pretty head. "A young woman; a strong and healthy and useful young woman—a good young woman, believe me."

The mother's wet eyes stared at the girl.

"Why do you tell me this?" she asked.

The mother took a step nearer.

"You!" she whispered.

"I see you guess," cried the girl. "Yes, I am your son's wife!"

The girl gently pushed the gray-haired woman into a chair.

"Let me tell it all in my own way, madame mother. It is like this. John married me one—two—three years ago. Who was I? A poor girl trying to earn a living, madame mother. On the stage, yes. I will tell you how that was. When we came to this country my father was a carver of wood and stone, had a fine business. Then he was killed in an accident and we were very poor, my mother and I. And so, because we were so poor I sang for a manager and he gave me a place on the stage.

"And so because I loved John we were married and went away, far away into the desert and into the wilderness. John had the fever and there was only me—I was doctor and nurse and all—and, please God, he did not die." The hand of the older woman stole into the girl's and held it close. "Then the luck changed. John is made manager. And pretty soon my big, hopeful, always patient, always loving John—I kiss his mother's hand—is rich, quite rich."

The mother arose.

"My boy is coming home," she cried. Then her face clouded. "But his father—he is so hard and unyielding—I'm afraid he has not forgiven him."

"Leave him to me, madam," cried the girl. "Hush, I think he is coming. Not a word, madam. Leave him to me."

The bent form of the tall old man appeared in the doorway.

"Hiram," said the gray haired woman, "I have a visitor here. She will stay with us for a day or two."

The old man looked at the girl curiously.

"You are quite welcome," he said.

The girl had left a bag at the station and the old man drove with her to get it. And when she came back she waved her hand to John's mother on the porch and there was something more than a graceful greeting in the gesture.

"Wait, good sir, if you please," she said to the old man before he could drive away. "To-morrow is Thanksgiving day. May I ask a friend to dine with me here? The good mother is willing."

The old man nodded.

It certainly was a fine Thanksgiving spread. The turkey was the tenderest, and all its train of accessory dishes the most palatable that culinary art could offer. And presently, when the girl had cast a final glance at the clock and another through the window, the old man was bidden to the feast.

"You spoke of a friend," he said.

"Yes, sir," she quickly answered. "He will be here. Seat yourself, madam. Hark, he is here."

The outer door suddenly opened, a tall young man stepped into the room and looked quickly about him. With a swift movement he stepped to his mother's side and kissed her cheek, and then drew back.

"John," the mother whispered, but her eyes were on the stern face of the old man.

"Father," she bravely said, "this is my friend, my dearest friend—will you bid him welcome?"

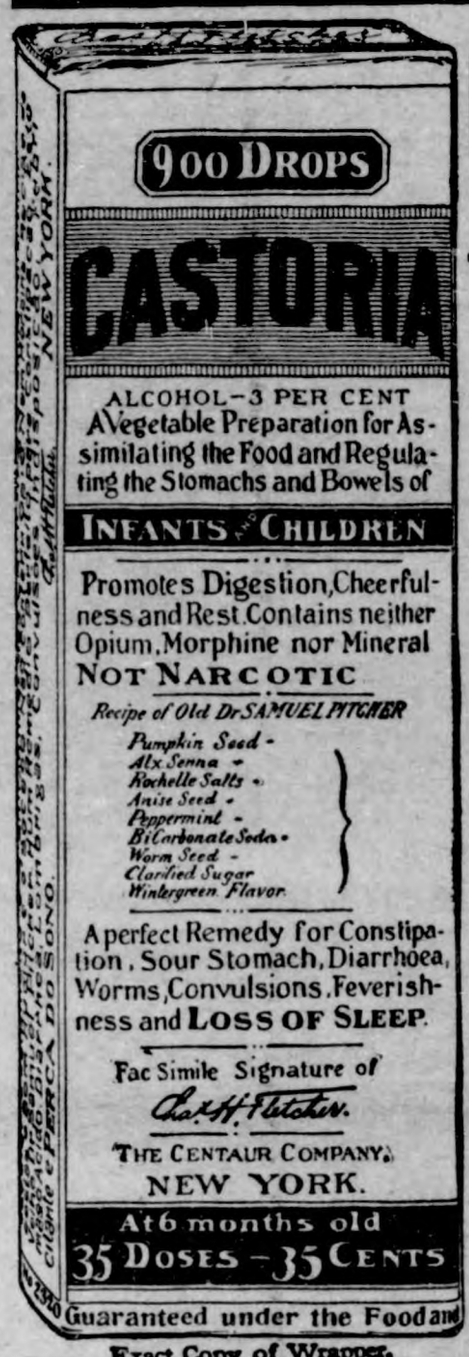
The old man's face was dark, he hesitated, his troubled look rested on the girl's sunny face.

Then he spoke, but his voice was hoarse and scarcely audible.

"Your friend is welcome for your sake," he slowly said.

At that the young woman cried out and ran around the table and put her arm about his neck and kissed his wrinkled cheek.

"Ah, such a Thanksgiving," she murmured.—W. R. Rose, in Cleveland Plain Dealer.



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SEED CORN INJURED

Dr. Chappel Says Fifty Per Cent Hurt by October Freeze.

CONCERNS NEXT YEAR'S CROP

Head of the Iowa Crop Bureau Warns Farmers to Take Care in Selecting Their Seed Corn for the Coming Year.

Des Moines, Nov. 15—The heavy frost on the mornings of October 12 and 13 so seriously damaged the germinating qualities of corn that farmers of Iowa will have to be exceedingly careful in selecting and caring for their seed corn during the winter. If they don't, there will be a very poor corn crop for the year 1910.

This information and warning was given out by Doctor Chappel, section director of the Iowa weather and crop service.

He said he wanted it to be understood that he did not give it out to the press to scare the farmers, but only as a warning for their own benefit, and he declared that it could not be impressed upon them too vividly for the welfare of the entire corn crop is at stake.

"It is of the most vital importance that the farmers heed this warning, for I am now in the possession of data showing that 50 per cent of the corn was so badly damaged by the freeze on the dates referred to, that it cannot possibly be used for seed purposes. In some sections of the state the damage affected as much as 90 and 95 per cent of the corn," he said.

"When the farmers select their seed, they must see to it that it comes from the very earliest fields that were matured long before the first frost occurred. This is of the most vital importance, and unless they observe it they will find that the corn which appeared to be dry and matured had too much sap or moisture in the cob, which caused the germ at the base of the kernel to be injured when the cold wave came."

Doctor Chappel's information comes from hundreds of letters he has received from crop correspondents in every county and township in the state of Iowa. All report the great damage done and suggest that the warning be spread broadcast.

Nearly Bit Tongue Off.

Sidney.—The 2-year-old child of W. D. Wightman and wife was the victim of a very painful accident. The mother was outside pumping water when the child, unobserved, came up and got in the way of the handle of the pump, which struck the little fellow under the chin, causing him to almost sever a piece from his tongue. Several stitches were necessary to close the cut caused by the teeth.

Funds for Interurban.

Iowa City.—A mass meeting at Wellman raised $25,000 for the Ottumwa-Iowa City interurban and right-of-way for three miles secured on each side of Wellman. At Keota the same line secured $60,000 with five miles of right-of-way on each side. Frank Tanner of Iowa City is at the head of the scheme. The company is chartered under the laws of South Dakota.

Missouri Valley Saloons Close.

Logan.—The anti-saloon forces of Missouri Valley have filer their revocation petition and the saloons closed down at once as a result. In co-operation with the mayor and anti-saloon people of Missouri Valley and vicinity, County Attorney Thomas Corwin Smith will renew the fight against the booz dispensers.

Fire at Corwith.

Corwith.—Fire completely destroyed the big barn owned by Dr. Hoag and his brother J. B. Hoag, near here. The loss is estimated at $10,000. The structure was 60x120 feet, contained 100 tons of hay 1,000 bushels of oats, a filled silo, besides much harness and machinery. The cause of the fire is not known.

Six Brothers Her Pallbearers.

Epworth.—Her six brothers acted as pall bearers at the funeral of Mrs. Paul Latiner, which was held at Lattnerville near here. Her maiden name was Breitbach and she was one of a family of thirteen children, and aunt of Rev. Father Breitbach, professor of St. Joseph's college, Dubuque.

Rural Carrier Uses Auto.

Garner.—Rural Carrier T. H. Reim, who has one of the heaviest routes out of this place, is using an automobile instead of a team. The good weather and the good roads makes the trip one of pleasure and is done in about one-fourth the usual time.

Baby is Victim of Tuberculosis.

Indianola, Iowa.—All because the baby of one of his customers, which had been fed on the milk of one certain cow, had been pronounced by Dr. E. L. Baker to have tuberculosis, Mr. Ed. Greenfield, a dairyman near Indianola, sent for Drs. Haworth and Frank to apply the tuberculin test to his entire herd. The veterinarians were ignorant when making the test that suspicion rested on any cow in the herd, but when they closed the test they pronounced forty-six out of the forty-seven cows to be sound, and the forty-seventh, the cow on whose milk the sick baby had been nourished, to "be afflicted with the disease known as tuberculosis."

The father of the child had bought the cow, a grade Holstein a few months ago from a prominent Des Moines dairy herd. When he secured employment in Omaha about the first of October he sold the cow to the Greenfield dairy, with the stipulation that so long as his family remained in Indianola it was to be supplied with milk from this cow, as the baby had become accustomed to it and they did not want to make a change.

When Dr. Baker diagnosed the sickness of the child as tuberculosis, he made inquiries as to the milk it received. Learning the conditions he notified Mr. Greenfield, who immediately had not only the one cow, but the entire herd tested, with the above result. The herd had been tested about a year ago and pronounced healthy. The infected cow had been in the herd only a short time. She will be slaughtered subject to post mortem inspection.

Patents New Mail Crane.

Marshalltown.—Although only 23 years old, in this country only two years, and still a subject of the Norwegian throne, Axel H. Stone, a carpenter of this city, has secured a patent on a mail crane that gives promise of proving a good thing for him. Stone's crane is a safety lock device for holding the mail bag, and is constructed in such a manner that the bag cannot be removed excepting when unlocked by a complementary device on a passing car. Stone will begin at once interesting railroads with a view of securing the adoption of the cranes into practical service.

His Wife Alleges Bigamy.

Dubuque. — Mr. Joseph Cludry, husband is a bigamist, and deserted her to marry Miss Emma Matthews, at Menominee, Wis., Mrs. Gertrude Strand Shaub, a former Marshalltown girl, is plaintiff in a petition for divorce against Frank R. Shaub, in the circuit court at Rock Island, Ill. where Mrs. Shaub is now living. Shaub was a former outfielder for the Marshalltown team in the old Iowa League, and played with the team here in 1905.

Wreck at Mason City.

Mason City, Ia., Nov. 10.—Two sections of a stock train experienced a collision at Hanlontown. The second section, unable to see the first on account of a dense fog, plowed into the rear end of the first section and very seriously injured Corbett Melin, an Illinois man returning from the Dakotas.

Malpractice on a Colt.

Burlington.—A unique suit for personal damages was filed in court by Fred Wellington of Burlington against L. D. Tague, a veterinarian, whom Wellington claims sewed up in Wellington's colt a bundle of rags after an operation on the animal. The colt died and Wellington sues for $125 damages.

Mrs. Nance Gets Lawyer.

Dubuque.—Announcement of the retention of counsel by Mrs. Lucy Nance of Epworth, Ia., who is charged with the murder of her husband Charles Nance, at Epworth by administering strychnine, was made Nance died October 23.

Cludry is Likely to Die.

Dubuque.—According to the doctor's statement, Joe Cludry who was frightfully injured by flames as he rescued his wife and child from their burning home, will die. The woman and child are also in the hospital in a critical condition.

Jury Acquits Harry Hutchings.

Indianola.—After being out for over seven hours, the jury acquitted 12-year-old Harry Hutchings of the murder of his stepfather, Thomas Carraher, who was found dead in a ditch near his hog lot at New Virginia, last March.

Iowa Girl Weds in Canada.

Iowa City.—The wedding of Miss Nell Russell of Iowa City to Mr. A. B. McDonald took place in Winnipeg, Can. The bride is well known here where she has a host of friends and several relatives.

Bluffs Banker Is Dead.

Council Bluffs.—John Beresheim, president of the Council Bluffs Savings bank and pioneer resident of the city, died suddenly of heart disease.

It Cured My Baby—Hereafter I Will Always Keep It in the House.

I cannot speak too highly for Resinol Ointment. It cured my baby boy of Eczema. He had a very severe case and numerous other remedies failed to do any good. I would not be without Resinol Salve in the house.

It is good to apply in cases of burns, cuts or sores of any kind.

Mrs. F. Cox, Chicago, Ill.

Getting in Deep.

The ladies devoted to reform were in session.

"I believe," said one, "that only good men should be permitted to marry."

"But," interposed a second, "would not such a radical policy be promotive of race suicide?"

On the instant they perceived that they had tackled a real problem.

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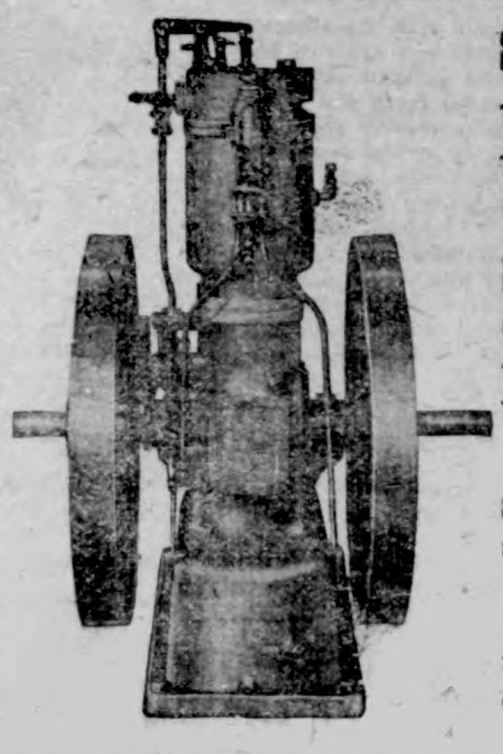

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"Chicago is not going to be caught unprepared for the big crowds that will attend the Land and Irrigation Exposition," is the report given by a leading hotel manager. "We have been keeping our ear to the ground, and we hear reports from every direction that we are going to be surprised by the number of guests on account of the 'novel show' at the Coliseum, Nov 20 to Dec. 4. Of course, we always expect a big attendance at the Live Stock Show, which occurs on the same dates, but we shall have a crowd that will surpass anything seen in many years when the doors of the Land and Irrigation Exposition are thrown open on Nov. 20. Every hotel in Chicago is looking forward to this event and is prepared to see its capacity packed to the full by a class visitors who do not often get in Chicago.

"This Land Exposition has a different sort of pull from the other big affairs that are held at the Coliseum from time to time. We appreciate the fact that we are going to have a very substantial class of visitors on this occasion and that they will come from many states.

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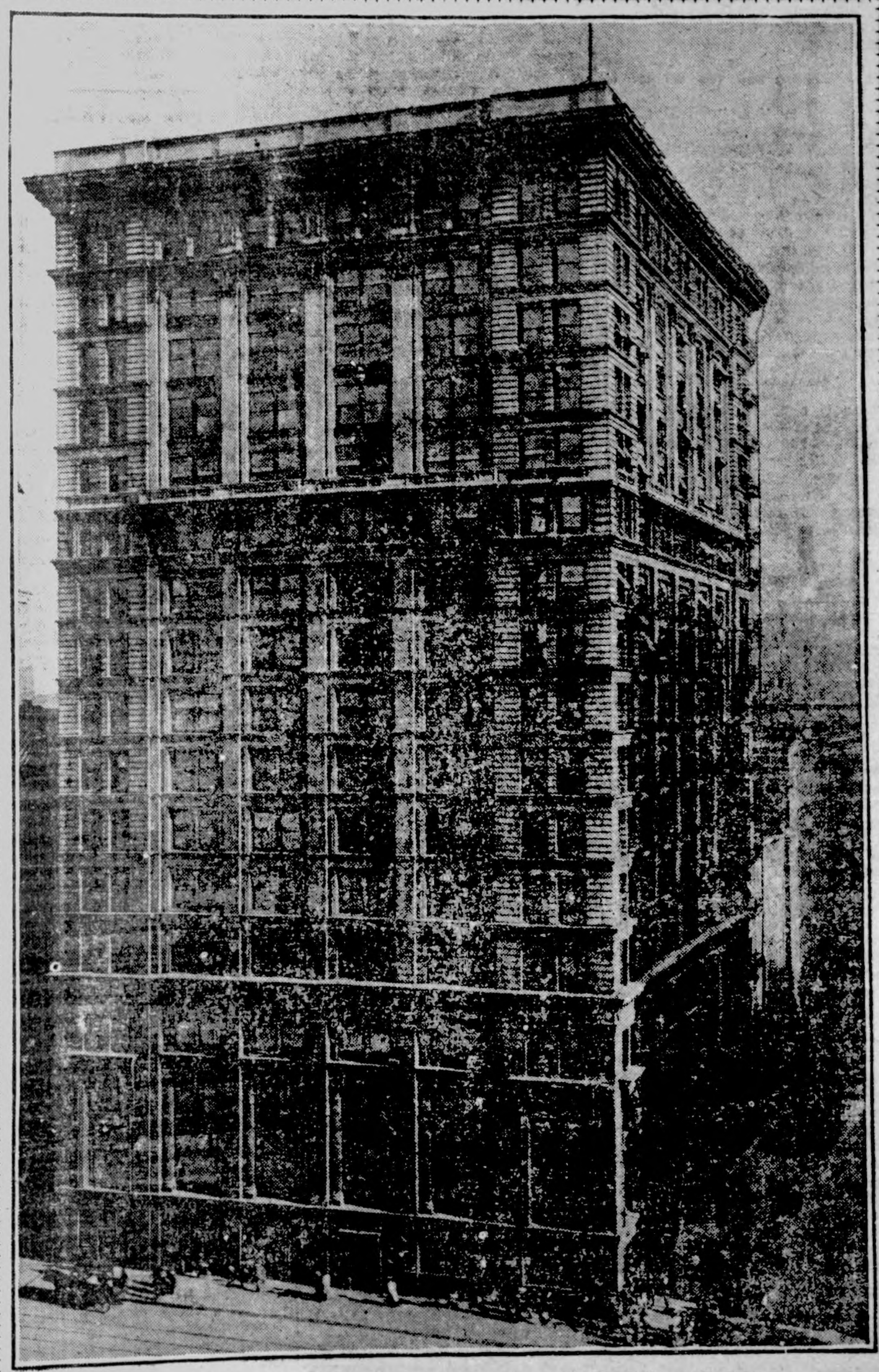

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE---THE HOST FOR EXPOSITION VISITORS.

The illustration shows the splendid building occupied by the Chicago Tribune, which has been chiefly instrumental in bringing about the United States Land and Irrigation Exposition, to be held in Chicago's famous Coliseum Nov. 20 to Dec. 4. This is the same period as the International Live Stock Exposition in Chicago. The Tribune as the host extends a welcome to all visitors. This building will be their downtown headquarters. Special waiting rooms will be set apart for the use of the guests, and guides will be in attendance to show the visitors through the building, that they may see how the greatest metropolitan newspaper is produced. The Tribune building will be open night and day. A special free information bureau, desks and stationery, and a checking room for bundles, will at all times be at the disposal of visitors. The central location of the Tribune at the southeast corner of Madison and Dearborn streets will make these conveniences particularly appreciated.

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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Count Boni de Castellane has been in Rome two weeks trying to arrange for papal annulment of his marriage with Anna Gould, now the Princess de Sagan, so he may remarry.

President Simon of Haiti arrived at Cape Haitien on the gunboat Liberte and was given an enthusiastic welcome. The town was decked with flags in his honor.

Mrs. Marie Radleigh of New York city, 48 years old and married 20 years, has given birth to her nineteenth child. Only nine are living, but one of them, a daughter 19 years old, is married and the mother of one baby.

Rings lost by Mrs. Goldie Dixon of New Town, Mo., valued at $500, were found by Mrs. Margaret Adams of Chicago at the Union station in Kansas City and restored to their owner.

Col. Charles Smith, 81 years old, who served in the Mexican war and in the civil war, died at his home in Terre Haute, Ind.

Herman Erenhaft, a New York tailor with a large family, will soon come into possession of $100,000. He inherits from an aunt in Austria the fortune which will relieve him and his family from the stress of poverty.

GENERAL NEWS.

There is a possibility that President Zelaya of Nicaragua may attempt further high-handed action toward the United States and show his contempt of President Taft's refusal to receive the new Nicaraguan minister by giving the American consul at Managua his passports before he can act further on behalf of this government.

"The safety of a ship going to a port which is closed or blockaded in fact or in theory is a question for the interested parties to determine and act on and not a question for determination by the officials concerned in clearances."

Two heroic men, R. Y. Williams and F. M. Morris, descended into the St. Paul mine at Cherry, Ill., and paved the way for a fight against the flames, and it is confidently believed that the entombed men dead or alive will soon be reached. They went down through the air shaft and found that the fire was raging at the foot of the shaft but in other portions of the mine the temperature was nearly normal, this gave the stricken women and children renewed hope.

John Mitchell, in a speech before the American Federation of Labor, indorsed a report of the committee on boycott and declared that he intended while at liberty to declare for the rights guaranteed him by the organic law of his country.

The body of Hedwig Zinda, the young Polish girl who had been missing several days, was found in an abandoned office at Milwaukee. She had been assaulted and murdered by unknown fiends.

A whole family is dead as the result of a three-cornered duel that was fought at Pioneer, La., between Clarence Compton and Sylvester and Albert Owen. Compton, his wife and his little daughter were all killed and Sylvester Owen was slightly wounded. After the killing he and his brother surrendered to the sheriff. The trouble grew out of an unkind remark made by Compton to the boys' sister. Mrs. Compton with her child stepped into the line of fire during the shooting.

Rumors are current in New York that the government will halt, temporarily at least, the merger of the Western Union Telegraph and American Telephone & Telegraph Companies, and determine whether the law prohibiting combinations in restraint of trade is not being infringed upon.

Rev. J. C. Hathaway, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, at Maryville, Mo., committed suicide by hanging. No reason can be assigned for the deed.

The National Association of Railway Commissioners have adopted a uniform code of demurrage rules applicable alike to state and interstate transportation.

Washington.—The tense situation resulting from the reported execution of two Americans, LeRoy Cannon and Leonard Grace by the order of President Zelaya of Nicaragua, for their alleged participation in the revolution now in progress in that country, has become aggravated by the failure to receive definite news of their fate and caused the state department to make the announcement Friday that in the future every American citizen abroad will be as safe as though he was in his own home.

The present heads of the department have chafed under the old-time statement that a British citizen was safe anywhere, but that if an American crossed a frontier he had to put himself under the protection of the British minister or consul before he could go out and look at the scenery with an unruffled mind.

That is the real movement back of the strenuous way in which the department of state is going after President Zelaya of the Nicaraguan republic, who is reported to have shot two American revolutionists without consulting representatives of this country.

Impatient over the inadequacy of the information received in two telegrams from the American consul at Managua, Secretary Knox dispatched a peremptory order for full and complete advices.

"Immediately ascertain and cable full and positive information as to the fate of the two captured Americans," says his message. "This government," the dispatch continues, "can scarcely credit the report of the summary execution of two American citizens taken with the revolutionary army. The charge d'affaires of Nicaragua here has also been asked telegraphically to demand full information for this government, which will not for one moment tolerate such treatment of American citizens."

This is a pronunciamento to the Central and South American governments in particular that care must be exercised in their treatment of questions affecting American individuals and American interests.

There is a grimness about the attiture of the state department officials which does not usually attach to the adjustment of diplomatic questions. The department is determined to go to the bottom of this affair.

A further interpretation of the recognition of the belligerency of the revolutionists was made by Secretary Knox, in response to inquiries from various merchants doing business with Atlantic ports. To each has been repeated the previous announcement with this addition.

The first body to be removed from the St. Paul mine at Cherry, Ill., was that of Ollie Freiberg. Searchers saw 19 other bodies but were unable to recover them. The fire is under control.

Richard Watson Gilder, the author and editor of the Century Magazine, is dead of heart failure at New York, aged 65 years.

The inquiry instituted by the department of the interior into the validity of coal entry lands in Alaska, around which the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy centers, has begun at Seattle, Wash.

No trace of the murderers of little Hedwig Zenda, at Milwaukee, has yet been obtained by the police. A big reward will be offered for their capture by the city council.

Sheriff F. R. Davis of Alexander county, Illinois, from whom the Cairo mob took the negro Will James and lynched him, has been removed from office by Gov. Deneen, in accordance with mob violence act, which leaves him no discretion.

Two Americans, Leonard Grace and LeRoy Cannon, have been executed in Nicaragua by order of President Zelaya. They were captured while serving with the revolutionary army. The state department has ordered two warships to proceed to Nicaraguan ports with all possible speed and President Taft says Zelaya will be held responsible for his action.

Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, for years one of the most powerful leaders of the Christian Science denomination in New York, has been ex-communicated by the board of directors of the mother church at Boston, on the charge of persisting in teaching and practices contrary to Christian Science.

Henry S. Boner, for 32 years superintendent of the Lutheran Publication society, died at his home in Philadelphia. He was 73 years old.

Max O. Drelcorn was killed and William B. Reid and A. La Laberte were probably fatally injured in an automobile accident at West Springfield, Mass.

As a result of the voters of Waukegan, Ill., defeating a $55,000 bond issue, Mayor Fred Buck ordered all street lights put out of commission and the fire and police department curtailed so that only one fireman will be on duty days and one nights and only one policeman on days and one nights.

Blaine Selvage, a young mechanic of Eureka, Ill., made a trial flight of three-quarters of a mile at an average height of three feet in one minute and a half with a monoplane of his own construction.

THANKSGIVING DAY

Governor Carroll Issues His Proclamation.

NAMES THURSDAY, NOV. 25

Iowa Executive, Following Lead of President, Tells Why People of Commonwealth Should Be Thankful.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 22.—Governor Carroll, following the lead of the president, has performed the duty of designating Nov. 25 as Thanksgiving day, saying:

"This year of our Lord, 1909, has been one of the most prosperous and successful in the history of the state. The benign Ruler of the universe has graciously granted unto us unlimited and untold blessings and has filled our borders with abundance of everything needed to make a happy and contented people. Our great commonwealth, through the thrift and industry of her people and by the grace of God, has again yielded an abundance of all products common to our state and her people have been accorded freedom from both pestilence and want. Rich in everything that the hand of man can produce, or that the heart of man could desire, our people should approach Thanksgiving day with hearts full of gratitude and thankfulness to Almighty God for His mercies and blessings during the year which is nearing its close."

IOWA KEEPS THE FRUIT MEN

St. Paul Withdrew in Favor of Council Bluffs Just Before Ballot Was Taken.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Nov. 22.—After three days of strenuous work on the part of a live delegation from St. Joseph, Mo., bent upon taking the national horticultural exposition away from Council Bluffs next year, and after the St. Paul, Minn., delegation had withdrawn from the race just as the vote was to be taken, Council Bluffs won out by an overwhelming majority.

Officers were elected as follows: President, J. P. Hess Council Bluffs; first vice president Capt. J. H. Shawhan, Payette, Idaho; second vice president, Professor Close, College Springs, Mo.; secretary and treasurer, George W. Reye, Council Bluffs; superintendent, Freeman L. Reed, Council Bluffs.

Resolutions were adopted urging the passage of pure insecticide and fungicide laws by congress and a state law requiring all orchardists to spray their trees and take proper care of their orchards.

In the award of premiums Iowa horticultural societies and Iowa fruit growers carried off a good share.

Tot Chloroforms Baby.

Charlotte, Mich., Nov. 22—For a second time Ruth Butler, 4 years old, is responsible for the death of a little sister. Some time ago she pushed a baby sister off the bed and the infant strangled to death. Now a 15-day-old babe died from the effects of chloroform playfully administered by Ruth who had seen the mother use the drug to stop aching teeth.

Astor Yacht at San Juan.

Tampa, Fla., Nov. 22—At 12:30 this morning wireless communication with Guantanamo was established here and a partial confirmation of the safety of the Nourmahal at San Juan was secured. The wireless station at that point reported to the effect that the Nourmahal was safe in port. Efforts to raise San Juan have been unsuccessful.

Mine Rescue Work.

Cherry, Ill., Nov. 22—Twenty saved ninety-two known dead and 198 missing was the record at the St. Paul mine last night. Ten dead were brought to the surface and thirty-seven dead were located in the second level, but were not brought up on account of black damp.

Des Moines Gets 1910 Tournament.

Des Moines Nov. 22—Des Moines will be host to the United States army again next fall, for a dispatch from Capt. J. A. T. Hull at Washington, D. C., conveyed the information that the secretary of war has chosen this city for the 1910 army tournament.

Former Des Moines Woman Dead.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22—Mrs. J. M. Bolton, youngest sister of Col. Lafayette Young of Des Moines, died at her home near this city, after an illness of five months from ulceration of the liver and a complcation of diseases.

THANKSGIVING DAY

Canada's Day of Thanks a Month Earlier Than in the United States.

For some reason better known to the Canadians themselves than to the people on this side of the line, our Canadian cousins celebrated their Thanksgiving a month or more earlier than we do. It may be that the Canadian turkey had become impatient, and sounded a note of warning, or it may be that the "frost on the pumpkin" declared itself. But whatever the reason, their Thanksgiving day is past. It may have been that the reasons for giving thanks so much earlier than we do were pushing themselves so hard and so fast that the Canadians were ashamed to postpone the event. They have had reasons, and good ones, too, for giving thanks. Their great broad areas of prairie land have yielded in abundance, and here, by the way, it is not uninteresting to the friends of the millions of Americans who have made their home in Canada during the past few years to know that they have participated most generously in the "cutting of the melon." Probably the western portion of Canada, comprising the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, have the greatest reason of any of the provinces to express in the most enthusiastic manner their gratitude. The results in the line of production give ample reason for devout thanksgiving to Providence. This year has surpassed all others in so far as the total increase in the country's wealth is concerned. There is no question that Providence was especially generous. The weather conditions were perfect, and during the ripening and harvesting period, there was nothing to interfere. And now it was well it was so, for with a demand for labor that could not be supplied, there was the greatest danger, but with suitable weather the garnering of the grain has been successfully accomplished. There have been low general averages, but these are accounted for by the fact that farmers were indifferent, relying altogether upon what a good soil would do. There will be no more low averages though, for this year has shown what good careful farming will do. It will produce 130 million bushels of wheat from seven million acres, and it will produce a splendid lot of oats, yielding anywhere from 50 to 100 bushels per acre. This on land that has cost but from $10 to $15 per acre—many farmers have realized sufficient from this year's crop to pay the entire cost of their farms. The Toronto Globe says:

"The whole population of the West rejoices in the bounty of Providence, and sends out a message of gratitude and appreciation of the favors which have been bestowed on the country. The cheerfulness which has abounded with industry during the past six months has not obliterated the conception of the source from which the blessings have flown, and the good feeling is combined with a spirit of thankfulness for the privilege of living in so fruitful a land. The misfortunes of the past are practically forgotten, because there is great cause to contemplate with satisfaction the comforts of the present. Thanksgiving should be a season of unusual enthusiasm."

MRS. CAUDLE AT THE POLE.

"This is a nice time to get home. Here you've been gone six months."

"Sorry, my dear, but I was afraid to come home in the dark."

A Painless Death.

A teacher in the factory district of a New Jersey town had been giving the children earnest lectures upon the poisonousness of dirt.

One morning a little girl raised her hand excitedly and pointed to a boy who seldom had clean hands.

"Teacher," she said, "look quick! Jimmie's committin' suicide! He's suckin' his thumb."—Success Magazine.

Gleaming teeth! The more WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT you chew, the fewer dentist's bills you pay!

Ups and Downs.

"Why are you so hard up?"

"Oh, I'm down and out!"—Cleveland Leader.

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The new RUSS BLUE is much the best. Insist that your grocer gives you this brand. Refuse imitations.

If man were not vain the power of woman would cease.—Smart Set.

On to the Pole!

When word of the discovery north pole came to Chattano slightly deaf old lady remarked ously: "Well, now I always sai Cook tourists got about 'most where. I ain't a bit surprised that one of 'em's reached th notch in the traveling line."—cott's.

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Her Observation.

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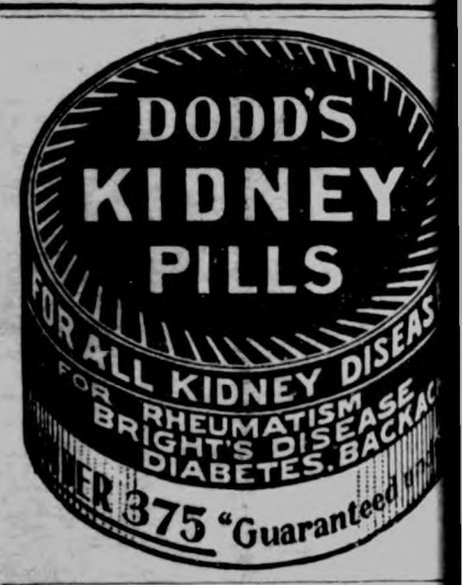

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One Way of Love

...who may—I still can say,
...who win heaven, blest are they.
—Browning.

CHAPTER I.

A young man was walking slowly ...g the country road.

His eyes, fixed moodily before him, ... nothing. But his feet kept to the ...row path that skirted its edge, ...iding the wheel-tracks and hoof-...nts of the frozen surface, and keep-... well within the line of stiffened ...er and golden-rod that rose on ...y stalks beside the stone wall on ...her side.

Beyond the wall fields of stubble ...etched, brown and bare, in the twi-...ht. Everywhere hung the cold, un-...rying light, except along the west-...n horizon, where a band of orange ...owed against the darkening sky. Its ...ightness fell upon the shoulders of ...e young man, emphasizing the list-...ss stoop and the slow, dispirited ...alk. The air of dejection might have ...longed to a man of 60.

No human being was in sight. Pres-...tly he turned his head and looked ...ack, listening. The movement ...rought his face into the glow of light. ...t was a strange face, the dark, trou-...led eyes full of inquiry, the flexible ...ps, slightly parted, waiting upon si-...nce. Slowly a smile of amusement ...ept into the eyes, spread over the ...ace and drew from the lips a quick ...augh.

"Uncle Eben and Aunt Jerusha!" The listless shoulders straightened knuckles out, grasped the crossed reins and pulled gently now and then with a seesaw motion. The other figure, sitting stiffly erect, ended in a brown veil.

The young man waited till the clumsy wagon was abreast of him. He clambered over the end and, kneeling in the straw, laid an affectionate hand on each bundled figure.

The brown veil nodded graciously and stiffly. "How's the folks, Richard?" came from its folds.

"All well. Aren't you frozen?"

There was no reply from the veil. A wheezy chuckle from Uncle Eben and a gentle pull on the reins were the response.

The wagon rattled and bumped in the silence. The sky had deepened from orange to purple and hung its light around them. In the distance a gray, weather-beaten house lifted itself, tinged with the glowing light.

"There's mother," said the young man. "She's seen you."

A tall, raw-boned woman, with a shawl pinned over her head, squaw fashion, was coming down the path to the gate.

"Well, where did you come from?" she called out as they drew in. "I was just thinking about you today."

Her mouth was stretched in a smile of conventional welcome, but the high-pitched voice was cordial, and the dark eyes, as youthful as those of her son, looked out in pleased surprise.

Looked Back, Listening.

themselves, and the young man faced about, looking back.

Far up the road, outlined against the orange sky, a high farm wagon was approaching. The old horse made his way over the hubs with spasmodic, seesaw leaps.

The two figures planted firmly on the high seat seemed in no way incommoded by the gait. Both were bundled in shawls and furs. That one was a man might be known from the grayish fringe of beard that depended from under the blue and white tippet wound tightly around head and ears. One hand reaching in front of the bundled chest, palm down and

The rest of the face framed in the shawl was seamed with care and hard work. It beamed with good-humor and concern as she watched Uncle Eben, who, having descended from the high wagon with deliberation, was helping Aunt Jerusha to alight. The old lady hitched cautiously along the seat, put one ample foot tentatively on the step, glanced suspiciously at the motionless Jack, and was at last deposited on the ground.

With a smile on his lips the young man watched the absurd figure, supported on either side by his mother and Uncle Eben, waddle up to the front door. But as he turned towards the barn with Jack the smile disappeared and the listless look returned.

He was fighting his first real battle. Hard work, poverty, the heavy mortgage, had not served to darken his spirit. But to-night as he came by Emily Hutton's he had seen a yellow-wheeled buggy at the gate. It meant that Edwards, the storekeeper from Plainfield, was in the house, was perhaps at this minute talking to Emily. Richard's eyes smarted at the thought. He turned the hay-cutter swiftly and mixed old Jack's supper.

Perhaps Jack was surprised, a moment later, to feel an arm thrown about his neck. He turned his head inquiringly, munching. But there was no one else to see—the boy was weeping out the bitterness of his heart. She had smiled at him with her big, black eyes, and once, on a sleighing party, her head had rested for a moment on his shoulder. His heart beat faster with the thought. And now Edwards—this was the third time this week. She would marry him— A sob ended the thought.

Jack turned his head with a soft whinny. The boy raised his head, bashfaced. His hat had fallen to the floor and his eyes were full of tears. He looked very boyish to be crying for a lost love.

He threw his arm again across Jack's neck and stood for a moment with his face pressed in the thick fur. Then he straightened himself and clenched his hands. He would rather die than have the folks in the house know about it! His lips were firmly closed as he stepped into the fading light, a wooden pail in each hand, and crossed the barnyard to the old pump.

When he had filled the pails he dashed the water over his face and eyes. He turned back to the barn, his head erect, and whistling softly under his breath.

"There"—he thrust the brimming pail under old Jack's nose, and patted the dark coat—"drink that. It's well salted. It ought to agree with you." With a smile of somewhat determined cheerfulness he turned away to finish the chores.

CHAPTER II.

Within doors, in the warm kitchen, Mrs. Derring was getting supper. Aunt Jerusha's chair was drawn up to the stove. With her brown merino skirt turned safely back from the heat and her large feet resting comfortably in front of the oven door, she beamed over her gold-bowed spectacles, the picture of comfort. Uncle Eben with knees drawn up and boot-laces on the round of a straight wooden chair rubbed his fingers and chuckled into the conversation.

"Is that Edwards man going with Emily Hutton?" demanded Aunt Jerusha over her spectacles. "I saw his team hitched there as we came along."

Mrs. Derring was stooping to put wood in the fire. She lifted a flushed face. "Well, I do' know—" She hesitated. "He's been there once or twice, I believe."

"I thought she was Dick's gal," cackled Uncle Eben from his high seat.

Both women looked at him sternly—Aunt Jerusha on principle, Mrs. Derring from the mother-instinct to defend her young.

"I guess Dick didn't care much about her," she said decisively. She began to mix the light biscuit for tea.

Uncle Eben dropped his boot-heels and rose with a crestfallen air. He leered towards the sitting room and hurled his ignominy behind the Ashton Weekly Press.

"He's a dreadful trial sometimes," murmured Aunt Jerusha, with a glance towards the sitting room door. "He's so affectionate, you know—wants to hold my hand in meeting sometimes, and such like. Of course, the neighbors think it's dreadful queer." She had closed the oven door that the oven might be hot for the biscuit. She sat drawn well back in her chair, her merino skirt still tucked up and her feet planted firmly on the floor, looking inquiringly at Mrs. Derring.

"Yes, I know." Mrs. Derring's nod was sympathetic. "Father was some that way, too—dreadful affectionate. Only he was more masterful than Eben. Eben seems to give up pretty easy."

"Well, he has to, because I have to have my own way," answered Aunt Jerusha, settling herself more firmly in her chair.

The other woman seemed not to have heard her. Her dark eyes were looking wistfully through the window towards the barn. "Richard favors father some, I think," she said, as if following out her own thought, "and lately, it seems to me, he's grown more like him than ever. I don't seem to understand him."

Aunt Jerusha nodded sagaciously. "Richard 'ud do well enough if he'd give up writing poetry and get married and settle down. He needs a woman to look after him."

Mrs. Derring's thin face flushed. This time it was not the heat of the fire. "I guess, Jerusha—"

The door of the kitchen was flung wide. The young man appeared, a pail in each hand. "Well, well, Aunt Jerusha, aren't you thawed out yet?" He crossed the room with the brimming pails and deposited them on the pantry floor.

There was little of the heart-broken lover about him as he turned to the wide wooden sink and, dipping water into the big tin basin, began to wash his face and hands. He performed his public toilet with the unconscious ease of habit, dashing the water over his brown face and neck and running his fingers far back into the thick hair. He emerged from the folds of the heavy crash towel, his face glowing and his eyes shining.

His presence lighted the dim room. Mrs. Derring's face lost its tired look; Uncle Eben limped cheerfully back from the sitting room; and as they

"If Only He'd Give Up Writing Poetry and Get Married."

seated themselves at the supper table the boy's exuberant vitality gave a touch of unity that had been lacking before. Aunt Jerusha softened a little towards Uncle Eben, merely keeping a watchful eye on him, as one might on an irresponsible child.

"You needn't pass him the sweet pickles," she said.

But it was too late. The dish was already in Uncle Eben's trembling fingers, and a brown drop had fallen on the spotless cloth.

"I knew he'd spill it." She spoke in an impersonal, detached tone.

Uncle Eben hastily adjusted a glass to cover the spot.

Richard watched the by-play with dancing eyes. Uncle Eben and Aunt Jerusha were always irresistible. But to-night, as he watched them, the smile faded. A thought had flashed across it. Would he and Emily—in 30 years—? Impossible. Emily's dimples deepened to heavy lines—her laughing eyes behind spectacles. Absurd! Yet Aunt Jerusha's manner to Uncle Eben was grotesquely like. It all passed in an undercurrent of thought, scarcely recognized as he laughed and talked and played the part of host.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

BUILT TO DEFY EARTHQUAKES

Tree Homes of Mexico Made of Twigs and Grass Interwoven With Branches.

In order to protect their homes from earthquakes many of the natives in the territory around Chilpancingo and other towns in the State of Guerrero, Mexico, live in trees. Some of these tree homes are of large size and are ingeniously constructed. Reeds and grasses are interwoven with the twigs and branches of the tree, much in the manner that a bird builds its nest.

The severest wind seldom looses these houses from the tree. Where the trees are large and stand closely together houses of two and three rooms are frequently built in their branches. These houses also afford protection from the "tigers" and other wild animals which are found in that region in large numbers. It is claimed that a "tiger" will not attack its prey unless it is upon the ground. The prime object of elevating these houses into the trees, however, is to keep them from being shaken down by the severe earthquakes which visit the Guerrero territory at frequent intervals.

The rocking of the earth gives the trees a swaying motion that does no damage to the houses. In some localities whole villages of these tree homes are to be seen. None of them suffered damage from the recent earthquakes which wrought such ruin to the buildings on the ground.

Time's Changes.

Mildmay is a philosopher in his way. The other evening Mrs. M. gave him a scolding that would have made almost any other man crazy. But Mildmay said never a word in reply. He only murmured to himself: "And that is the woman I used to hold on my knee and call my little pootsy wootsy!"

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ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Mr. Fitkin, of Garner, was a caller here Saturday.

Dirgie Wessels is working at the hotel in Klemme.

Cloyd Lawhorn and wife were Sunday visitors at Charley Lawhorn's.

Mrs. Grove visited her daughter Norma at Mason City a few days last week.

Misses Nettie and Lela Haskin spent Sunday with their grand-parents here.

The Misses Edith and Ruth Yohn and Edith Henar spent Sunday at Hod Lawhorn's.

Some of the young people from this neighborhood attended a dance near Ventura Saturday evening.

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GOODELL

From the Globe:

Jake Bachman was at Belmond Tuesday.

A. Anderson was at Garner Monday on business.

Miss Laura Christie went to Klemme Friday and visited over Sunday with her sister Jennie.

Daniel Wenzel lost a large stack of hay recently by fire—lightning striking it during the recent heavy rain.

Mrs. Gus Church attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Flossie Ackerman, at Fort Dodge, Iowa, last week.

You size up a town in your own mind from the paper representing it. And it's a very reliable criterion. The logic is simple; the town to be a live one must have live business men. Live business men advertise, hence the paper crowded with advertising comes from a live town whose business men are hustlers.

Forced Into Exile

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MESERVEY

From the Messenger:

Jim Wilson was a Garner visitor Saturday.

Ruddie Quandt has been on the sick list the past week.

Chas. Olson became owner of the Blocher pool tables last week and has taken possession.

Cliff Brogan sent a sample of the hotel well water to Des Moines and had it analyzed. The chemists report no typhoid germs in it.

Miss Hartfelder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hartfelder, who is attending school at Mason City, returned home Monday for a visit with home folks.

The funeral of Louie Myers, who died Wednesday at his home north of town, was held in Thornton Friday at 2 p. m. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Findley, the church being decorated with plants and flowers. The pall-bearers were Chas. Waddingham, Frank Nissen, Moody Q andt, Elmer Nissen, Herman Hulsebus, Henry Fry, having been chosen from near friends and former school mates. A large concourse followed the body to its last resting place in the Thornton cemetery. The sudden death of this young man has cast a gloom over the entire community, which joins in sympathy with the bereaved family.

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The Child's Viewpoint.

Percy Alder, M. P., of London, tol an amusing story of a small girl a recent meeting of the Children' Happy Evenings association. Th child had been sent away to the cou try for a holiday, and questioned to what in all her holiday had please her most, this little slum maide whose London home adjoined a was piece of land, replied: "Seeing dead cats."

Birds Not Afraid of Man.

Among southern African bird which manifest wonderful tameness the Cape wagtail, which not onl penetrates to the living room in searc of flies, but will pick them from th old Boer's velschoons as he sits o his stoep, and perch about his chai

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Ten per cent off on Black Trimmed Hats

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A fine line of Bengaline and Moire Silks for ladies waists at Reduced Prices.

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The Winter Season

Is now close at hand and it calls for good, warm wearing apparel, good Shoes and Overshoes, etc. We are, as usual, prepared to furnish you with the needed articles and our prices are as low as possible, consistent with the quality of goods we furnish. We want to call your special attention to our full and complete line of

Genuine Old Fashioned Wool Flannel

Ranging in price per yard from.... **50c TO $1.50**

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Outing Flannels

The kind usually sold for 10c per yard we sell for.... **8c**

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See our complete line of Seasonable Goods.
We absolutely guarantee satisfaction.

W. J. BARZ, - Garner, Iowa

The Des Moines Capital and the Klemme Times will be sent to any address from now until Jan. 1, 1911, on receipt of $2.85. This is an exceptionally liberal offer and should be taken advantage of at once to secure its full benefits. If you have already paid in advance for the Times, ask for our rate on the Capital. Call at this office today and get a daily paper for the winter's reading.

About People You Know

KLEMME MARKET.

.....	45 to c
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.....	4 00 to 6.00
.....	7.00 to 7.50
.....	3.00 to 6.00

sh fruits at Kluckhohn's.

sh apple cider at Kluck- s. 13tf

sh Mrs. Josten's show w next week.

"One Way of Love"—a ating story—starts today.

C Lau and W. R. Bloom shipped a car of hogs Sun-

ltry wanted every day. est market price paid. H. & Son.

k J Wenck will spend ksgiving at the home of arents in Garner.

d Wacker handed us the with to advance his sub- ion another year.

s. Ruiter returned Tuesday South Dakota. where she been visiting her daughter.

rman Priebe went in to go Sunday morning with a d cattle, returning Tuesday.

ave a few White Wyandot ts and cockerels to sell at uable prices if taken now. H. Wessel.

ss Ida Lund. the trimmer has been employed by Mrs. en during the fall season, last Thursday for St. Paul.

e Best Ever—Blue Point er crackers. They're fine. a package with your next ers. At Kluckhohn's. 13tf

lph Blank loaded his house- goods Tuesday and has ed to Goodell, where he has ge as section foreman on Rock Island.

ook over the financial state- t of the First National Bank ch appears in this paper. t this bank and its officers e the confidence of our peo is clearly shown in this pub- ed statement. Read it.

handle the Ball Band and Royal Blue rubber goods in first qualities, and am sell these goods at about the e usually charged for the od quality. Buy your win- supply of footwear for the le family NOW. Frank etzmacher.

he second number of our re course—the Eva Bartlett cey Company—was given to acked house Tuesday even- It was a first class enter- ment in every respect, and member of the company artist. Every number on program received a hearty re, which was deserved in y instance. Lack of time y prevents us going into de- , but the Company fully its the high encomiums it received on every hand. You ed a treat if you failed to the Eva Bartlett Macey pany.

ing obliged to take it for I will sell it out cheap; r. Hess Stock Food. r. Hess Poultry Panacea. r. Hess Instant Louse Kill-

r. Hess Hog Worm Powder. be had at G. F. Schuler's ner, Iowa.

Fresh oysters daily at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

Mrs E H Lenz was a Garner visitor Saturday.

Mrs C C. Suckow and daughter Fern were Garner visitors between trains Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Lau and children, of Garner, spent Sunday at the Tom Blank home

Mrs Tom Elder and daughter Evelyn were passengers to Goodell Saturday evening for a visit with relatives.

As we go to press news reaches us that Aug. Stille died this (Wednesday) morning at about 9 o'clock. Obituary next week.

Mrs S L. Sage is expected to arrive here from Garner this (Wednesday) evening to spend Thanksgiving with her daughter Mrs. A. C. Flint.

Mrs. A. B. Shafer is entertaining her children and their families today. Mrs. A. L Spooner and little children arrived from LuVerne Monday evening. Lloyd Spooner of Lu Verne and Mrs. F. P. Dow and children of Rake are expected to arrive this (Wednesday) evening.

Ralph Blank had a birthday last Thursday. There is nothing particularly surprising about that, as we all have one once in a while—that is, the men do. The surprising feature was a party which Ralph's folks got up without his knowledge or consent, to which a number of friends were invited. All had a royal good time and Ralph will long remember the occasion with pleasure.

CAUGHT!

At about 10 o'clock Tuesday a. m. we accidentally run into them in the back room of Wellemeyer's store. They were carefully unwrapping the different "runners" and "backs" and "bottoms" and were setting up Rocking Chairs.

We were surprised to see so many new Rockers, whereupon Mr. Wellemeyer laid down his mallet and said: "My customers delight in giving useful gifts and most of these elegant rockers will go out from here as Christmas gifts, and the beauty of it is, a good rocker will last a lifetime."

Here he pointed to an elegant Mahogany Rocker at $9.00 and also to several Oak Rockers with spring bottom leather seats at $6.50 to $8.00, and said: "Just think of the comfort that a chair like this will give to your friend."

Wellemeyer's Rocker line also contains some splendid values in cheaper rockers at from $1.25 to $5.00. Call and see.

Souvenir dishes at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

As I have been appointed Administrator of the estate of August H. Wenz, I have a lot of furniture for sale, as rockers, chairs, rugs, stands, a bed room suit, organ, music rack, etc. Everything is new. Geo. H. Wessel.

If there is no town ordinance providing a penalty for failure to keep walks free from snow, then one should be passed at once. If there is such an ordinance, it should be enforced. It seems that there are a few who don't see the necessity of this little stunt, and they should be compelled to do it. We are living in the twentieth century.

A full line of Post Cards at Kluckhohn's. 13tf

Mrs. Mattie Lieuwen and Miss Mona Greasy, from Belmond, visited at the C. C. Suckow home last Friday.

Mrs. L. A. Turgasen and little son left last Saturday for their home at Swea City after a few weeks' visit at the parental home here.

Miss Daisy Schuldt, of Garner, visited Sunday with Fern Suckow and is visiting this week at the Fred Schuldt home southeast of town.

Fred Flint left last Saturday evening for his home at Fairfax, South Dakota, after a few days' visit with his brother, A. C. Flint, and family.

Arthur Wellemeyer and family leave this (Wednesday) afternoon for Charles City to eat Thanksgiving turkey at the home of Arthur's mother.

Rev Wessel did some good work in clearing the snow from the sidewalks about his end of the town, where some of the property owners don't seem inclined to do such work. He used a horse and a snow plow and made a quick job of it.

I have put in a crusher with elevators and am now prepared to do your grinding or crushing with the least possible labor. Elevators to the grinder and also back to the wagon. Rates by wagon box measure, special rate on amounts over 100 bushels. Henry A. Ludeke, in west part of town. 17-2

Mr Menno Swyter and Miss LuBena Blank, both of Erin township, were united in marriage on the afternoon of November 16th, 1909, at the home of the bride northwest of Klemme. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. H. Bruns, of Belmond, in the presence of their relatives and a few friends. The happy couple have been receiving the hearty congratulations of a large circle of friends They expect to make their home on a farm in Erin township.

No. 6659 Report of the Condition of

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Klemme, in the State of Iowa, at the close of business Nov. 16, 1909.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts. . .		$111,893 55
Overdrafts secured and unsecured.		4,098 62
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		25,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds..		1,032 75
Banking house furniture and fixtures		2,050 87
Due from National banks..		7,610 80
Due from approved reserve agents.....		17,103 16
Checks and other cash items		1,815 37
Notes of other National banks		310 00
Fractional paper currency nickels and cents.....		43 40
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Specie	$ 7,749 70	
Legal tender notes	250 00	7,999 70
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer.		1,250 00
Total		180,208 22

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in.....	25,000 00
Surplus fund.....	901 15
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid. ..	1,121 58
National bank notes outstanding	25,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check....	27,595 79
Time certificates of deposit	100,589 70
Total - - -	180,208 22

STATE OF IOWA, } ss
Hancock County, }

I, F. A. Arnold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemny swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. A. ARNOLD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of November, 1909.

FRANK M. HANSON,
Notary Public.

[SEAL]

Correct—Attest:
C. H. WIEGMANN
AUG. LAU
C. A. ARNOLD
} Directors

Wm. Baack has recovered from his recent illness.

Another extremely heavy fall of snow Sunday night. Many acres of corn remain unpicked, and to make matters worse, the corn is badly down this year.

H. J. Schlichting and Arthur Gibbs gave the printer something to be thankful for in the way of a subscription payment this week.

German M. E. Church Items

Henry Griewe was in Garner Monday between trains.

Chas. Lenz began clerking for Gruetzmacher Bros. Monday morning.

Mary Ahrenkiel was an over Sunday visitor with May Suckow in Germantown.

John Josten is having his heating plant in his house overhauled these days.

W. F. Lau and family of Garner, spent a few days in our burg, returning Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Wright, of Britt, was in our burg last Friday in the interest of the property of her brother, the late August Wenz.

Charley Lenz and family have now moved themselves into the Mrs. Lembgen house where they had their goods stored since last spring

Thanksgiving services will be held in Germantown Thursday at 10:30 a. m. and in Klemme in the evening. A collection will be taken at both services for the orphan homes.

Henry Ludeke is building up in the northwest part of town and almost ready to move in. Some inquisitive ones would like to know something about his plans but Henry seems indisposed to tell.

Rev. A. M. Brenner, a retired minister of the German M. E. church, passed away at his home in Charles City last Saturday and was buried Tuesday of this week. He was pastor of this charge from 1898 to 1901. He is still remembered by many as an earnest and faithful minister.

The inclement weather of the last two weeks has been something unusual for this part of the country and many of our farmers have been sadly disappointed. Only a few have finished their corn picking. Others have only a few days work to finish, but the storm of Sunday night brought so much snow that it is not possible to find the corn.

Pictures

See me when you want a **Photograph**

All kinds—inside or outdoor views. I make a specialty of photo postal cards, 75 cents a dozen. Good work at reasonable prices.

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Try these goods; they are fine.

W. R. BLOOM
Buyer and Shipper of
Grain and Live Stock
Best Grades of Hard and Soft Coal. Will be prepared to furnish my patrons with the celebrated Petroleum COKE about July 1st. Leave your orders while you can get the coke.
Stock wanted 6 days in the week

RESTAURANT
Russel's Maple Nut Chocolates—Try them and you will buy nothing else.
Get one of our delicious Oyster Stews and you will become a regular customer.
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Land and Irrigation Exposition
CHICAGO COLISEUM
November 20 to December 4, 1909
Will provide authoritative, graphic information about the vast opportunities now opening up in many States for homeseekers, farmers and investors.
There will be exhibits of the wonderful fruits of virgin soil from all sections.
Elaborate panoramas will show what is being done to irrigate, drain and cultivate it.

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The world's greatest collection of prize-winning cattle, horses, sheep and hogs ever brought together will be on exhibition.
All the progress and all the best brains of the live stock industry will be there. Millions of dollars invested in the exhibits.
A liberal education. You can't afford to miss either event. Information as to fares on request.

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It builds the muscles and brain without taxing the digestive organs; it costs so little anyone can afford it, and it is so carefully prepared and packed that it is absolutely pure and clean. A Quaker Oats eating family is always a healthy family. 11

Quaker Oats is packed in regular size packages and also in large size family packages. The latter very convenient for those not near the store.

THE "NEW" NOVEL.

"Have you read my last book, Mr. Goodchild?"

"Well, no—er—to tell the truth, my mother won't allow me to."

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The only logical treatment for catarrh is through the blood. A prescription which has recently proved wonderfully effective in hospital work is the following. It is easily mixed.

"One ounce compound syrup of Sarsaparilla; one ounce Toris compound; half pint first-class whiskey." These to be mixed by shaking well in a bottle, and used in tablespoon doses before each meal and at bedtime.

The incredients can be gotten from any well stocked druggist, or he will get them from his wholesale house.

Misery.

The neighbor's dog sits out on the front lawn and howls dismally. The man in the window looks out and yells: "Sh-h-h-, you beast!" The dog continues to howl. The man again comes to the window and this time hurls a shoe at the dog. Still the animal howls. Another shoe follows. The next day the man's wife goes around in her stocking feet because she can't find her shoes. The man hasn't the price of another pair of shoes for her, and the next night the dog howls louder than ever.

STATE OF OHIO CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY. }

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886.

{ SEAL }

A. W. GLEASON,
NOTARY PUBLIC.

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Although slave-trading is generally supposed to be a thing of the past, the United States contributes annually $100 as its share of the expense of keeping up at Brussels an institution known as the international bureau for the repression of the African slave trade.

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Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

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What's that clicking sound? Millions of white teeth—chewing fragrant WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

To believe only what our finite minds can grasp.

HILL WILL SPEAK

Railroad King Will Talk to Iowa Farmeas at Coliseum.

CORN SHOW, NOV. 29 TO DEC 11

Program for Big Exposition Is Now Being Arranged by the Officials —School Children Will Participate.

Des Moines, Nov. 22—James J. Hill of Minneapolis, the great railway king, will deliver an address at the Iowa corn exposition to be held in the Des Moines Coliseum from Nov. 29 to Dec. 11. While Mr. Hill has accepted the invitation extended by the Iowa Corn Growers' association the exact date of his visit to Des Moines has not been set.

The directors of the corn growers' association have arranged the program for the first five days of the big corn show which is expected to bring thousands of people from all parts of the state to Des Moines.

The school children of Des Moines will open the show on Saturday with a great parade on the river front and through the Coliseum. The children will carry stalks of corn and will be dressed in costumes made from corn leaves.

Sunday a sacred musical program will be given at 2 o'clock. The Sunday program will be opened by Dr. A. B. Storms, president of Ames college. The Rev. Charles Medbury of the University Church of Christ will speak and the Rev. Gertrude von Petzold will give a reading.

The formal opening of the corn exposition will be on Monday. The exposition will begin with John Sundberg of Whiting, president of the Iowa Corn Growers' association, in the chair. Jerry B. Sullivan of Des Moines will welcome the exhibitors and E. J. Curtin of the state agricultural society will respond together with Governor B. F. Carroll.

Monday will be grain men's day, and at the afternoon session Prof. H. G. Bell of Ames will preside. Papers will be read by the following: C. G. Messerole, Gowrie "Co-operation in Marketing Grain;" Prof. M. L. Bowman, Ames, "Improving Iowa's Oat Crop;" F. E. MacDonald, Waterloo, "Our Own Wheat, Our Own Mills;" George A. Wells, Des Moines, "Marketing Iowa's Surplus Grain," and Ed. N. Scharf, president of the St. Louis Merchants' exchange, will speak on "Future Competitors of American Grain Growers."

Tuesday will be devoted to the study of good roads. T. H. MacDonald will preside and papers will be read by the following: "The Present Condition of Iowa's Country Roads," Col. C. F. Baker of Council Bluffs; "Drainage as an Essential to Good Roads" Henry Houg, Jefferson; "Saving of the Cost of Farm Transportation by Good Roads," Walter Trueblood, president of the Iowa Thrashermen's association; "Iowa's Need for a Statewide Road Law," Senator C. G. Saunders, of Council Bluffs.

Wednesday will be education and home day. W. O. Riddell, superintendent of the Des Moines public schools, will preside. Papers will be read by the leading educators of the state.

"Organization day" is Thursday. Those who will speak are Henry Wallace of Des Moines, Prof. P. G. Holden of Ames, E. G. Orr of Harrison county and Oliver Wilson of Magnolia, Ill.

During the program the judges will pass upon the corn and grains.

Fine Iowa Stock Exhibited.

Cedar Rapids.—An address by Prof. C. F. Curtiss, dean of the state college at Ames was the feature of the second day's session of the Iowa dairymen's convetnion. Lectures by Charles L. Hill of Rosedale, Wis., and by Hugh G. Van Pelt, the state dairy expert were delivered. The livestock exhibit in connection with the convention has the largest number of high grade dairy cattle ever shown and is highly praised by the two hundred dairymen in attendance. All the sessions of the convention were well attended and the machinery and dairy products exhibition well patronized.

Holds City Must Pay Riot Loss.

Iowa City.—Manager Swan of the Coldren theater will hold the city of Iowa City liable for $60 damages inflicted upon his opera house by the rioters. Mayor Otto declared that the city would probably stand for the loss. All other damage inflicted by the mob was insured.

Dies While Sitting on Coal Wagon.

Des Moines.—William Barkley, driver for a coal company died as the result of heart disease while driving his team along Locust street. His horses continued plodding along and their master's body remained upright in the wagon seat.

Boone Druggists Haled Into Court.

Boone.—George H. Welsh, C. H. Munsen, Maurice Fitzgerald and the Elliott-Wilson Drug company. Boone drug firms, were cited to appear before Judge Lee at the next term of court to answer injunction proceedings brought by County Attorney Cederquist at the request of Judge Albrook, to have their liquor permits revoked, the charge being that they have violated the statute regarding filing requests with the county auditor. It is claimed that requests were not properly filled out and signed.

An Unusual Operation.

Marshalltown.—As a result of his fall on Aug. 17 last, when he attempted to board a Buffalo Bill train and fell striking his back on a car step, 17 year old Howard Guthrie, son of S. C. Guthrie, manager of the Standard Oil company here, submitted to the removal of one of the kidneys. The kidney had ruptured as a result of the blow, and had become gangrenous. The boy is in a critical condition, but if he can survive the next few days it is believed he will make a permanent recovery.

Phone Officers Elected.

Iowa City.—At a postponed meeting of the stockholders of the Johnson County Telephone company the following officers were elected: President, C. E. Hall, of Des Moines; vice president, G. E. McFarland, of Des Moines; secretary-treasurer, J. M. Rider; directors, Glen Averill, J. H. Shoemaker G. E. McFarland, J. M. Rider, C. E. Hall. The election designates the new control of the Bell system over the old mutual line of this county. The city subscribers will vote on the proposed consolidation of the two systems.

Forger at Perry.

Perry.—The Rall company Ryan Bros., James Dickerson, Mrs. Weidman, and probably some other Perry people are looking for one Bert Bourasse and any information concerning his whereabouts will be gratefully received. Not content with robbing his employers, Bourasse took advantage of the absence of his roommate, James Dickerson, and appropriated an overcoat, watch and chain and a diamond ring. He also got away with a ring belonging to Mrs. Weidman, and forgot to settle his board bill.

Rich Farmer Hangs Himself.

Sigourney.—John Dilan, a wealthy farmer living four miles northwest of here, committed suicide by hanging himself in the hay loft of his home. He was about 50 years old and leaves a wife and six children. He was well liked in the community but was extremely quiet and reserved and made few close friends. He recently sold his farm here and invested in land in Blackhawk county and is said to have regretted making the change. It is supposed he brooded over it until his mind became unbalanced.

Dog Attacks Child.

Fonda.—John Downing, aged 8, was attacked and terribly hurt by a big dog owned by E. S. Sayr. A large portion of the scalp was torn from the boy's head and flung aside by the dog. The animal then began to chew one of the boy's shoulders and later started to gnaw at one of the legs, tearing away the flesh from the knee to the ankle. The dog was of mixed Collie and St. Bernard and was shot by the city marshal.

Iowa Lawyer Barred.

Centerville.—Judge Anderson in district court has suspended John B. Smith from the practice of law for two years, after finding him guilty of attempting to deceive the court by altering freight and storage receipts and the assignment in one piano attachment case and swearing to them as costs in another similar case. Smith was admitted to the bar in Missouri.

Insurance Men in Convention.

Des Moines.—The annual convention of the Iowa Mutual Tornado Insurance association was held in Woodmen lodge hall. More than seventy-five insurance men from over the state were in attendance. N. Densmore was elected president; Alex Hartley, vice president; J. B. Herriman, secretary, and John Cooper, treasurer.

Fire in Mason City Tile Plant.

Mason City.—Fire which burned all night did $5,000 damage to the plant of the North Iowa Brick and Tile company. One hundred and seventy cars were burned and thousands of new made tile destroyed. The interior was gutted. Fire at the same time at the Unique Dye works did $1,000 damage.

Caboose of Freight Train Burns.

Mason City, Ia., Nov. 19—The caboose of an Iowa Central freight train was burned here. The fire started from the stove which was knocked over by a jolt from a switch engine. The men had hard work to save the train. Conductor Worley was in charge.

Silence!

The instinct of modesty natural to every woman is often a great hindrance to the cure of womanly diseases. Women shrink from the personal questions of the local physician which seem indelicate. The thought of examination is abhorrent to them, and so they endure in silence a condition of disease which surely progresses from bad to worse.

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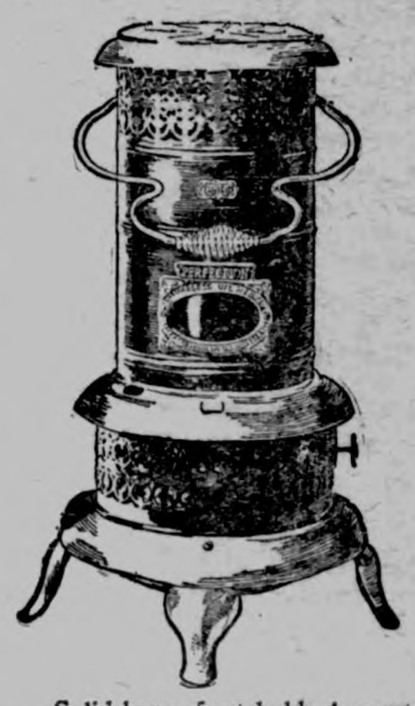

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It is not worth while to try to memorize many recipes, but it is a good plan to have some [illegible] in the mind upon which to work in case one has not a recipe at hand.

Using the [illegible] as a batter foundation, the [illegible] or bread flour will be [illegible] parts [illegible] to two parts of wetting.

For a muffin, [illegible] parts of flour to one part of wetting.

For a plain cake, two cups of pastry flour to one-half cup of wetting.

In doughs, just enough flour to knead.

Because of the variation in flours the wetting should be held back, making the flour the basis of the mixture.

In the use of baking powder, the rule is one level teaspoon of baking powder to one cup of wheat flour; 1½ teaspoons of baking powder to one cup of corn meal, and four-fifths teaspoonful of soda to two cups of sour milk. If milk is only slightly sour, two-thirds of a teaspoon to two cups of milk will be sufficient.

Eggs and shortening may be varied to suit conditions. Batter mixtures can be made without eggs, but are of course not so good. Butterine can be used in place of butter and the results are just as good.

Crumb Griddle Cakes.

One cup flour, one-half teaspoon soda, one-half teaspoon salt, one teaspoon baking powder. Sift together.

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Plain Orange Salad.

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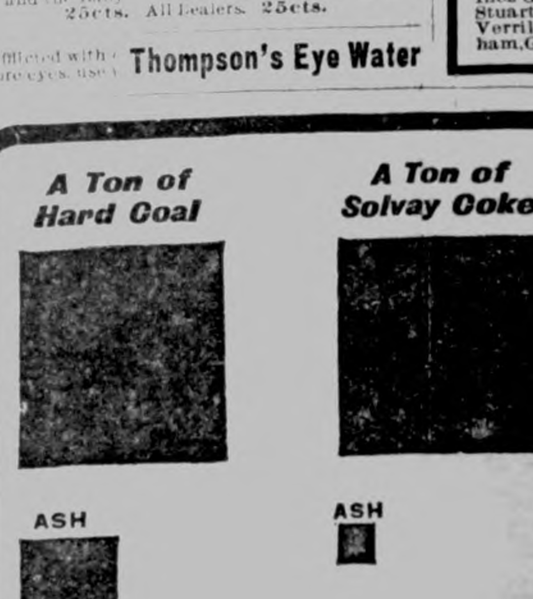

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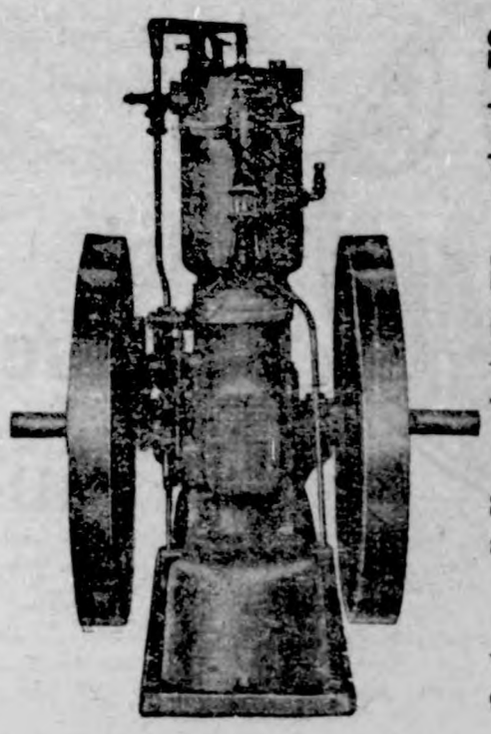

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Never Such an Interest in Land and Irrigation Before—All Parts of the Country Responding to the Call to the Great Land Rally.

When the Chicago Tribune first proposed the Land and Irrigation Exposition the public little realized the furor it would create throughout the country. The emissaries of the exposition management have gone into every western state and aroused an interest that will have its climax on the opening day of the coming show.

Other representatives were sent throughout the east and south, calling to this great convocation everyone who is interested in land development.

The work has gone on and on with such energy and united effort that the coming event will be one of the greatest in Chicago since the Columbian exposition in 1893.

Approximately half a million dollars will be expended on this magnificent display of western and southern products and the marvelous possibilities in the states of the west and south.

Never has an exposition been undertaken in Chicago where the entire scheme of installation has been planned on such a harmonious scale. The great Coliseum will be a thing of beauty throughout its vast interior. The decorations will be true to the spirit of the whole enterprise. Coming as this exposition does at the time of the International Live Stock Show, Nov. 20 to Dec. 4, Chicago will offer, as theatrical people express it, a "double bill" to the people of the country. It is the greatest "combined show" of the period.

All the railroads centering in Chicago, and all of their connections at distant points have prepared for a large traffic in view of the widespread interest which this exposition has created.

Chicago is unquestionably the greatest land center in America. All of the large companies which are developing the country have their headquarters here, and it is entirely fitting that Chicago should take the lead in planning and carrying out an exposition on the grand scale which is now reaching a stage of completion. There will be no disappointment for the coming visitor. The vastness of our land interests will amaze those who consider themselves familiar with this nation's development.

The orchards of the northwest and the central mountain districts; the great stock ranches of Montana and other states; the orange groves and peach orchards of California; the rich valley lands of Arizona where all subtropical fruits grow in such wonderful abundance; the great coastal plains of Texas and Louisiana with their vast sugar and rice plantations, will all be represented in the exhibits, and the homeseeker may have a choice of countless opportunities which these various regions offer.

The United States government is lending its aid to this enterprise and will have numerous exhibits. The great work of drainage and irrigation and the equally important work of soil survey and crop production will all be in charge of experts who will give first-hand information to every inquirer. It will be a splendid school for everyone who is at all interested in the great land movement of the present day.

The invitation to attend this exposition is extended to everyone by Chicago, and by the Tribune management, to whose energies and financial support the country is indebted for this magnificent enterprise.

CHICAGO'S BIG LAND BANQUET

Distinguished Men from Many States Will Attend the Land and Irrigation Exposition, and Be Royally Entertained.

A feature of the Land and Irrigation Exposition to be held in Chicago, Nov. 20 to Dec. 4, will be a banquet to distinguished men who have shown a marked interest in irrigation and other forms of land development. Among those invited to this affair are President Taft and cabinet, governors of many states, particularly those of the west and southwest; Hon. James J. Hill, and other distinguished railroad men; Arthur Stillwell, of Kansas City, Mo.; E. B. Ripley of the Santa Fe railroad; Edwin Hawely, B. F. Yoakum, George Gould, William K. Vanderbilt, C. K. G. Billings, Gage E. Tarbell, J. Pierpont Morgan, John D. Rockefeller, F. H. Newell of the reclamation service, Dr. W. J. McGee and others.

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A dispatch from Sioux City, Iowa, under date of Nov. 25th, says:

John C. Peters, of Thornton, Iowa, the Morningside College foot ball player who was injured in a scrimmage a week ago, died early this morning in a local hospital.

At the last he was conscious and there was a very touching scene in which he parted with his parents, his sweetheart, Miss Edith Gillin, and his college chums. The college, which had been earnestly hoping for his recovery, is today wrapped in gloom. The Thanksgiving day game with the University of South Dakota was cancelled.

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A joke is told on an editor who went one evening to report a party at a home recently blessed with a new baby. He met his hostess at the door and after the usual salutations he asked after the baby's health. The lady who was quite deaf and suffering with the grip, thought he was asking after her cold and answered that although she usually had one every winter this was the worst one she ever had; it kept her awake at night a good deal and at first confined her to bed. Then noticing that the newspaper man was getting nervous she said she could tell by his looks that he was going to have one just like hers and asked him to go in and sit down.

SCHOOL NOTES

Roy Schaefer, Will Ridder and Fred Blank are the latest pupils to enroll.

In the 11th grade Fern Suckow ranks 1. In the 10th grade Esther Lenz ranks 1. Next month we may give 1st, 2nd and 3rd rank in the several grades.

The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy during the past school month ending Nov. 26th:

High School Room—John Weiland, Verner Lewis, Esther Lenz, Esther Bloom, Oscar Musfelt, Hattie Musfelt, Holly Lewis, Clarence Waterman, Bennie Ridder.

Intermediate Room-Harold Gruetzmacher, Ella Ridder, Paul Achtermann, Ada Bowker, Lloyd Lau, Miriam Achtermann, Levi Ridder, Cyrus Griewe, Herold Ridder, Donna Baumgartner, Viva Ridder, George Musfelt, Cora Lau, Howard Terhufen.

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From the Globe:

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Mr. Blank, the new section foreman is now living over the State Savings Bank.

Miss Gertie Parker went to Klemme, Saturday, where she will teach school this winter.

Ernest Wilkins is suffering from a slight attack of typhoid fever at the home of his mother.

The home talent play at the opera house Saturday evening was well attended and all were well pleased.

Elmer Boren, who has been suffering for the past three months, went to Illinois a couple of weeks ago. We understand he has had to have his thumb amputated.

H. F. Freeman and family left Tuesday for Mason City where they expect to make their future home. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman have lived here the past three years and have many friends who regret to see them leave.

Rich Men's Gifts Are Poor

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MESERVEY

From the Messenger:

Mother Starnes is still on the sick list.

Miss Erma Nissen is on the sick list this week.

Rob Courtney is assisting A. J. Nissen in the Farmers Savings Bank.

Miss Nellie Myers is reported quite sick with appendicitis. At this writing she is resting easier.

Herman Gruis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gruis, has been suffering several days with blood poison.

Miss Luella Hanson who has been spending a couple of months with her sister, Mrs. Albert Paul, returned to her home at Zumbrota, Minn. yesterday, accompanied by her little niece, Miss Ruth Paul.

The farmer's wife who has been successful in raising a good flock of turkeys will be amply rewarded for her pains. The great American bird of feasts commands a high price this year.

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BRITT

From the News:

Miss Marie Hendrickson has been confined to her home the past week with tonsilitis.

Born, on Thursday, Nov. 18, 1909 to Mr. and Mrs. Alva Arnett, a daughter.

S. L. Lamoreaux expects to leave soon for Titonka to make his future home. He has sold his property to L. Martin.

Victor Nelson is assisting in the Citizens Bank.

The Britt band has reorganized and again engaged Fritz Granzou of Algona, for their leader.

Miss Alice Turner has given up her school and taken a position in C. P. Lewis' dry goods store.

Last Sunday night Philo and Eugene Blake, while driving along the grade in section 36, Bingham township, got off the road into the water and one of their horses was drowned. They tried to get help from J. F. Engleman who lives near by, but they did not arrive until the animal was dead. Neighbors say there is water along this grade almost all the year round and that it is a dangerous place especially at night.

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Notice of Appointment of Administrator

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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

J. Wilbur Chapman, the American evangelist, and Charles Alexander, the singer, who have just completed a tour of Australia and the orient, arrived at Victoria, B. C., on the steamer Empress of China.

Mrs. W. F. Goodspeed and Miss Helen Deshler of Columbus, O., have arrived in New York after making a trip around the world unattended. They say a world trip is just as safe for women alone as going from one city to another.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and children have returned home from their European tour.

Miss Bessie Wood Aspinwall of Newburg, N. Y., and Lieut. Hayden W. Wagner, U. S. A., of Dekalb, Ill., were married at Newburg.

James L. Davenport, first deputy commissioner of pensions, has been appointed commissioner, to succeed Vespasian Warner, resigned.

President Taft has named Chief Justice W. J. Mills of the New Mexico supreme court, as governor of that territory.

Baron Rosen, Russian ambassador to the United States, and the baroness sailed on the Kronprinzessin Cecilie from Cherbourg for New York.

Miss Annette Gardner Munro of Portland, Ore., has been selected as dean of the women's department of the University of Rochester.

The resignation of Vespasian Warner, as United States pension commissioner, has been accepted by President Taft. Mr. Warner resigned because of the illness of his son.

The duke of Roxburghe fell and broke his right leg while riding with the Quorn hounds. The duchess, who formerly was May Goelet of New York, is at his bedside.

Admiral Seymour of the British fleet presented the flagship Inflexible with a silver bowl for its wardroom to commemorate the battleship's part in the Hudson-Fulton celebration at New York.

John G. Carlisle, ill in St. Vincent's hospital in New York, is showing noted improvement.

GENERAL NEWS.

Records which Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the arctic explorer, will submit to the University of Copenhagen to prove his claim that he reached the north pole April 21, 1908, were in the possession of Walter Lonsdale, Cook's secretary when he sailed from New York on the steamer United States for Denmark.

Vote on the English budget has been postponed for a week because many peers desired to speak on the bill, thus upsetting the plan for an early prorogation of parliament outlined by the house of commons.

After 150 more bodies had been discovered in the Cherry (Ill.) mine efforts to carry them to the surface were abandoned because flames threatened the main shaft. Efforts on the part of the Chicago firemen to put out the fire proving futile, the mine was once more sealed and it is probable that the bodies of the dead miners will be incinerated. All hope that any of the men are alive in the shaft has been abandoned.

The disabled steamer Puritan was safely towed to South Chicago after a 24-hour struggle in a storm on Lake Michigan. Many of her 40 passengers and some of the crew were exhausted by the storm of the many hours in which the boat drifted in the trough of the sea.

The ship subsidy bill will be passed at the coming session of congress and without much opposition. The senate, where the measure has always been blocked, the friends of the bill claim, will not oppose its passage to any great extent.

A lull has come in the Nicaragua proceedings as the state department has been advised that President Zelaya's report on the shooting of the two Americans will arrive on the next steamer. However, the gunboat Princeton has been ordered to sail for Corinto as soon as repairs on the vessel have been completed.

Thomas C. Giddings, assistant weigher of the New York customs house, has been arrested on a charge of conspiracy in connection with the importation of figs. Collector Loeb discharged ten more employes, making 83 men dropped since March 9.

President Taft has not written his message to congress nor any part of it, although that body will assemble in a week's time.

Constable James H. Dobbs narrowly escaped lynching at Columbus, Ill., after he had shot and killed William Thompson, his neighbor, during a quarrel of their children.

In a speech at Chicago Mrs. Emmeline Parkhurst, the noted English suffragette, advised her audience to win woman's suffrage by force and advocated stone-throwing and other drastic measures to secure to women the ballot.

The Philadelphia National Baseball club has been sold to a syndicate headed by Horace S. Fogel, a sporting writer, and it is reported that John Kling, the star catcher, formerly of the Chicago team, was secured by the new management in the deal.

Ghouls stole the body of the infant son of Harfield Conrad, a banker, from its grave in Highland cemetery, near Great Falls, Mont., and are holding it presumably for ransom.

Maj. H. D. Bulkey, for more than twenty years prominently connected with the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, and for 18 years its comptroller, died in Baltimore, aged 79 years.

Mrs. Margaret Smith, aged 35 years, and Mrs. Minnie Wright, aged 50 years, were killed by a gas explosion in a boarding house in Rochester, N. Y. Mrs. Wright had applied a match to a leaking jet in their bedroom.

Accused of being a leader in the "white slave" trade, May von der Guyhte is on the way from Winnipeg, Man., to Montreal in irons to be deported to Belgium.

John Devery, homeless and friendless, died of hunger in New York while on his way to a Salvation Army Thanksgiving dinner.

The Doyen system of operating for the removal of cancer—the use of electricity instead of the knife—was employed on a case at St. Luke's hospital in Baltimore. A cancerous growth was removed from a patient's mouth and from parts of the face.

Evidence that Chauffeur Camp, who some weeks ago drove an automobile containing two persons besides himself into the Chicago river, and all three drowned, was incompetent, having had but four days' experience as a driver, was introduced at the coroner's inquest. The bodies of the two passengers of the taxicab have not been recovered.

The new $50,000 building of the University of Colorado, the gift of United States Senator Simon Guggenheim, was dedicated at Boulder, Col. Addresses were made by Senator Guggenheim, President Baker of the university and others.

A gift of $424,000 from an anonymous donor has been made to the Children's Aid society of New York. During the year the society has received more than $1,000,000, the largest fund in its history.

A delegation of college girls, under guidance of the College Equal Suffrage league, is arranging to go to Washington to present a resolution calling for the intereference by this government in the imprisonment in England of Miss Alice Paul of Mooresville, N. J., who smashed the window at the banquet of the lord mayor of London.

William McCormick, aged 31 years, a student at the Moody Biblical institute, Chicago, while temporarily deranged leaped from a third-story window to the pavement and was killed.

The St. Paul mine at Cherry, Ill., which has been sealed again owing to the ravages of fire, will probably not be reopened for three months.

Capitalized at $100,000, the Wright Company of New York has been incorporated at Albany, N. Y., "to manufacture, deal in, and operate machines, ships or other mechanical contrivances for aerial operation.

President Taft ate his Thanksgiving turkey with his family, there being no guests at the White House. He expressed his delight at being able to eat "real food" without being forced to make a speech.

The barge canal proposition voted on at the last state election at Ithaca, N. Y., which authorized the state legislature to spend $5,000,000 for connectin lakes Cayuga and Seneca, was carried by a majority of about 15,000.

Gov. Augustus E. Willson of Kentucky, acting as chairman of a committee to fix the date and place of the second annual conference of governors, announced from Lexington that it will be held January 18, 1910, at Washington.

During October there were 75,608 immigrant aliens and 16,764 nonimmigrant aliens admitted into the United States, 26,451 United States citizens arrived and 1,616 aliens were debarred, according to the October bulletin of the immigration bureau.

The casualty record for football this season includes 26 deaths and 69 players injured, with the Thanksgiving day games yet to be accounted.

FIRE AT DAVENPORT

Big Warehouse and Dozen Homes Wiped Out by Flames.

LOSS MORE THAN $100,000

Blaze Originated in Roberts Warehouse—People Escape in Night Clothes, Losing All Their Furniture.

Davenport, Ia., Nov. 29.—Dozens of families were driven from their homes before daylight by a fire which swept the blocks on both sides of Case street between Case street and Tremont avenue. The blaze originated in the immense warehouse of the U. N. Roberts company, used by Gordon, Vantine & Co. It was piled full of sash, doors, blinds and mouldings. The house and stock burned like tinder and was destroyed with a loss of $100,000, fully insured. Leaping across Case street the flames ignited ten private homes, which were burned, the inmates escaping in their night apparel.

Throughout a large section of the city, householders, hastily aroused in the night, commenced moving their furniture out into the yards, fearing a repetition of the big fire in 1901, when several blocks were swept bare just east of the district burned. The fact that little wind was blowing enabled the firemen, after a desperate fight, to confine the blaze to the neighborhood of the warehouse.

The dozen families that were rendered homeless saved nothing from the flames, and are being cared for by friends and neighbors.

RIGHTS OF "KIDS" UPHELD

City Fathers Refuse to Prohibit Use of Roller Skates and Push Wagons on Sidewalks.

Mason City, Ia., Nov. 29.—By a vote of 2 to 4 the city council at a special meeting killed an ordinance which prohibited the use of trunnel and push wagons and roller skates on the sidewalks of the city by the children. The line of demarkation among the city fathers was clearly drown between those who had boys and girls of their own and those who have not. The negative votes came from Aldermen Swale, McAuley, Burnham and Miller, each of whom have sturdy sons who enjoy a coast on the sidewalks. The affirmative votes were cast by Aldermen Stanton and Wilcox, who have never known the joys of paternity.

Wellman Talks.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 29—Walter Wellman, whose preparations for a conquest of the north pole in an airship were abandoned upon the announcement of the claims of Dr. Frederick A. Cook and Commander Robert E. Peary issued a long statement in which he analyzes the claims of the two explorers, declaring that of Peary "Precise workmanlike, consistent, credible in every particular," and denouncing that of Dr. Cook as a self-evident and even deliberate imposture.

Iowa's Great Corn Show Opens.

Des Moines, Nov. 29—The doors of Des Moines' great coliseum opened this morning for the seventh annual Iowa Corn Growers' association contest and exposition—the greatest corn show ever held by a single state and one offering premiums valued at more than half the value of the premiums awarded at the national corn exposition.

Nevada Girl Commits Suicide.

Nevada, Ia., Nov. 29—Callie Skiles, the 16 year old daughter of F. W. Skiles, a farmer living nine miles southwest of this city, committeed suicide by hanging during the absence of the father and mother, who were in Ames.

Fall Cause of Death.

Des Moines, Nov. 29.—Mrs. Maggie B. Dow, aged about 65 years, slipped on the basement stairway at the home of her son-in-law, Hugh M. Schuler, and fell heavily to the cement floor of the basement, sustaining a fracture to the base of the skull which caused her death three hours later.

Crushed by Fall of Slate.

Oskaloosa, Ia., Nov. 29.—His first day's work in a coal mine terminated fatally for Alfred Looney, aged 28, who was caught in a fall of slate. The accident occurred at the Garfield company's mine at Evans, west of Oskaloosa.

Wires Are Down in Kansas.

Topeka Kans., Nov. 29—Telegraph wires all over western Kansas went down in a terrific sleet storm. No other damage has been reported.

JOY OF THE WILDERNESS

Small Piece of String Would Have Rendered Prospector's Long Journey Unnecessary.

There are situations worse than Gail Hamilton's famous "Twelve miles from a lemon." The man in this New York Telegram item seemed to have found one of them. A party was encamped on the Bear river in eastern Utah, when a prospector came along one morning on a mule. He had his jaw tied up, and at first seemed inclined to pass on without a word. On second thought, however, he halted and gruffly queried:

"How fur to Salt Lake?"

"Three hundred miles."

"Humph!"

"Traveled far?"

"About 200 miles."

"Get your jaw hurt?"

"No. It's just an infernal toothache, and I'm riding 500 miles to get it pulled."

We invited him down and one of the crowd got a piece of string round the tooth and jerked it out as slick as you please. After the overjoyed man had ceased dancing about I queried:

"Why didn't you try the string before starting on such a long ride?"

"Best kind of reason, sir. I hadn't nary a string."—Youth's Companion.

Schools for Tuberculous Children.

Special schools for tuberculous children have now been established in Providence, Boston, New York, Rochester, Washington, Hartford, Conn., Chicago and Pittsburg. New York has three schools and Washington, D. C., two. The board of education of New York city is proposing to establish three more, and similar institutions are being planned in Detroit, Buffalo, Philadelphia, Cincinnati and Newark, N. J.

In cities like Providence, Boston and New York, where outdoor schools have been conducted for two years, the results obtained from the treatment of children in special tuberculosis open air schools seem to show the great advantage of this class of institutions. This, coupled with the experience of open air schools in Germany and England, proves that children can be cured of tuberculosis and keep up with their school work, without any danger to fellow pupils.

Boy's Essay on Clothing.

Here is an extract from an essay, written by a boy in a London school: "Clothing is an article which everybody should wear. The least of this article is worn by savages or natives, which is a piece of cloth or a few leaves or feathers round the waist. in cold countries, same as Eskimos, the people wear more clothes than we do, count of the icy cold out there. They can skate all the year round, except about one thaw there is in summer. If they walked about like natives they would catch cold directly and die of bronkitis. We put clothes on which are nearly like our bodies, some have caps, coats and trousers, but women and girls wear hats and frocks to tell who they are."

Prescriptions Not General.

Some people look on a doctor's prescription in the same light as a cookery recipe and pass it on to their friends for general use. They forget that some symptoms may come from totally different causes and that to take a medicine prescribed for a friend is a very risky thing to do and may do a great deal of harm.

The Likeness.

"He says he knows her like a book."

"Yes, so he does; like a Henry James book. He simply does not understand her at all."

WORK OF A BUDDING

Couplet That Lacked Some the Divine Fire, But Strik Original.

The ten-year-old daughter o ist believes that she is destin a great place in literature, an spare moments are devoted t poetry about every conceiva ject, according to the San F Wasp. Recently she attend first church wedding, and so fi inspiration was she that sh diately began to write a poem tive of the event. A few da ward, when her mother was e ing friends, the youthful prodig permission to read her poem the guests. Her mother hum with not a little secret pride. by stanza the poem progress the young lady reached th where the description of the maids was set forth. There her couplets read thus:

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One Way of Love

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SYNOPSIS.

ichard Derring, returning from a winin the woods to his mother's farm , is overtaken by his uncle, accomed by his eccentric wife, coming to a visit at the farm. Aunt Jerusha's tions about Emily Hutton, supposed Richard's sweetheart, bring out the that she is to marry a merchant, ards.

(CHAPTER II.—Continued.)

ot until the good-bys had been said the clumsy wagon had rattled the road did he bring the ght to the light and face it. He alone in his room, a small, bare —like his life. No carpet on the , no curtain at the window, but lessly clean, from the blue and te homespun spread on the bed to square stand beside it. He sat the edge of the bed, one hand shadhis eyes from the light of the ll lamp, the other holding a pice on which his eyes rested eagerly. was a small tintype—the face of a ng girl—the eyes large, dark, and ght, the hair soft and curling, the ehead high, and the lips firmly ed.

It was like, yet curiously unlike, the e that was looking down at it with ger inquiry. These eyes, too, were ge and dark, but they were dreamy tead of bright; the lips were full d flexible instead of thin and close- set; and the broad forehead, even hen the shading hand pushed back hair impatiently, could not be lled high. In both dark faces was certain sturdiness of character. But girl's face bore the stamp of fully veloped powers, and the other that powers yet unformed.

Something was struggling in it. The uth was striving blindly to hold to a lief in his love for the face before m. That she was lost to him he d accepted without struggle. But at his love for her should go, too, at he should not love her always—s poet nature shrank from the ought. It was sacrilege. She had en so long enthroned in his heart—e belonged there. She might beme the wife of another man, let Edrds win her, she was still his. His al of her should not be torn from m. He could not bear it. It should t be.

And over his idealism, and around d under it, ran a conviction, a range certainty, that love was aldy dead.

CHAPTER III.

Richard was deep in the heart of e woods. The sound of his ax rang arp in the silence. Now and then blue-jay, startled by a heavier blow a falling limb, flew with a harsh y to a more distant tree. Richard arked the blue and white flash, tanding for a moment with ax susended, then the blow fell again, alays to the same bitter accompanient. The sight of the bird only oused a new phase of the old ought. "Last year I shot a blue-jay d gave the wings to her. Edwards n give her store things prettier than at." The blows fell again, faster d stronger.

Presently he dropped his ax. Walkg to a little distance, he kneeled own and began brushing the snow ghtly aside. Underneath the dark ines of partridge-berry—the bright erries shining red among the green nes. Swiftly he passed his hands cross them. The finger-tips seemed live. They raised a slender vine and eld it a moment, as if to pick it; ey laid it reluctantly again in its lace. "No"—he was brushing back e snow with quick fingers—"I can't arry them to her, and mother ouldn't want them."

He stood looking up through the etwork of branches into the clear y of the winter's day. His eyes dropped; they noted the straight, dark runks, the straggling underbrush, hrough which the sun fell softly, the hiteness of the snow, broken only by hadows. Long he looked, as if he ere bidding it all good-by; then he urned away and, shouldering his ax, alked swiftly down the snowy woodoad.

For a month past the neighbors had en discussing the engagement of ally and Edwards. They were to be married in the spring. Every one said it was a good match for Emily. They felt sorry for Richard. He was a fine fellow—but too dreamy and fanciful. It was a good thing that Emily was off with him. He had queer notions. That poetry he wrote for the Lyceum meeting—about "the red fingers of the woodbine at the throat of the dying year"—it sounded pretty, but it was queer—too much like his Grandfather Crane. No, he would never get on.

He followed the wood-road for about half a mile. Then he left even this slight trail and struck into the unbroken wood, making his way through the underbrush and light snow with free, swinging step.

He had evidently a goal in view, and he emerged at last into a small clearing. A small, time-worn house stood a few rods away. Beyond the house a long, sloping hill rose to the horizon, and half-way up the hill an isolated pine lifted its branches against the sky. A barn stood a short distance from the house, a path connecting the two. If there was any way of approach except that by which Richard had come, it did not appear.

Seth Shook His Head as He Watched the Listless Figure.

He struck across the open space, smiling as he looked up to the line of smoke rising from the chimney. "He's home, fast enough," he said to himself. He scarcely waited to hear the response to his knock before he lifted the latch and stood in the low doorway.

An old man was sitting by the stove. He had paused in the act of putting a stick of wood in the fire, and stood, with stove-lifter suspended, looking expectantly towards the door.

"Hallo, Dick," he said, nodding as he saw his visitor. Turning once more to the stove, he rapped vigorously on the stick until it fell into place.

Richard seemed to expect no other welcome. He crossed the room and seated himself on a rough, home-made bench near the fire.

The old man looked at him keenly from under shaggy gray brows as he brushed the chips and dust from his hands. "Pretty cold," he said at last.

Richard nodded. He knew from experience that the less he said himself the more Seth Kinney would say. He picked up a pine splinter from the floor and began whittling it as if unconscious of the shrewd look bent upon him from the other side of the stove.

The figure that stood there was a curious one. A rough gray beard and a shock of gray hair rose above the blue smock that reached to the tops of heavy cowhide boots. Short, square, solid, his feet well apart, he formed a striking contrast to the younger man, who sat leaning heavily forward, one elbow resting negligently on his knee, whittling the soft pine splinter.

Seth shook his head as he watched the listless figure. He seated himself by the western window and took up a book that was lying, face down, on the broad sill. "How are you feeling, Dick?" he asked abruptly.

"All right," was the answer. Silence fell on the room. The old man ran his eye rapidly down the page, found the place where he had left off, settled himself comfortably in his chair, and was lost in the book. The fire blazed and crackled and shone through the chinks of the warped stove.

Richard watched the blaze and waited. The silence was broken by an inarticulate sound from the window. It might be assent or it might be the end of a train of thought.

"What is it?" asked Richard.

The old man looked up absently. "Oh—still there, Dick? Just listen to this." He began to read from the brown book in his hand.

"Oh, bother!" said Richard impatiently. "Translate it, won't you, Seth? What is it, anyway? I can't understand Greek."

The old man waited a moment as if searching for fit words, and then read in a clear, full voice that contrasted oddly with his uncouth appearance:

"'If thou art pained by any external thing, it is not this thing that disturbs thee, but thy own judgment about it; and it is in thy power to wipe out this judgment now. But if anything in thy own disposition gives thee pain, who hinders thee from correcting thy opinion? And even if thou art pained because thou art not doing some particular thing which seems to thee to be right, why dost thou not rather act than complain? But some insuperable obstacle is in the way? Do not be grieved then, for the cause of it not being done depends not on thee. Therefore the mind which is free from passions is a citadel, for man has nothing more secure to which he can fly for refuge, and for the future inexpugnable. He then who has not seen this is an ignorant man; but he who has seen it and does not fly to this refuge is unhappy.'"

"That's all bosh!" said Richard irritably. "The fellow that wrote it never had anything worse to bear than the toothache."

He stopped a minute and then began again abruptly, the words tumbling out. "What can I do?—I can't stand it—I thought I'd stay home and fight it out. But I can't. It's killing me—but I don't want to go away," he added.

He had sunk again into the listless attitude. "It isn't worth while—nothing is worth while."

His companion said nothing. He was watching the listless figure keenly, as a physician might watch a restless patient. "Have you thought of killing yourself?" he said at last.

The young man started and flushed. "Yes"—under his breath and half shamed—"but somehow I don't dare. But I can't bear to live either," he went on. "Perhaps if I could get away from folks the way you have, I could stand it."

The other looked up quickly. He waited a minute. Then he spoke with slow emphasis. "You're not going to spoil your life. I've spoiled mine. That's enough."

"It isn't spoiled. You are contented. You believe all that stuff about philosophy and your mind being an impregnable citadel. Perhaps I should, too, after awhile."

"Resignation isn't living," said the old man bitterly. "I had power, I tell you." He was sitting erect and his eyes flashed. "I had a mind, and because a woman jilted me I threw it away. I buried myself. Don't do it, Dick," his voice had dropped, "no woman is worth it. Be a man. Show that you are made of better stuff." Again his voice rang out as if he were addressing a jury. He was transfigured.

Richard, watching, understood for the first time what his grandfather, Geoffrey Crane, had meant when he used to speak of Seth Kinney's power and of his spoiled life.

In a flash the young man, looking into the future, saw himself in the older man's place. His figure straightened and his hand clenched. The teeth behind the square jaw came together with even firmness.

"What shall I do?"

The older man paused a moment. "You'd better go to college," he said at last. "You have Latin enough. I'll teach you Greek and you can work up the mathematics by yourself. Go to work. Work hard. Don't give yourself time to think. That's the way out."

The young man rose, shutting his knife with a snap. "All right, Seth."

"Wait a minute." The old man mounted a chair and searched among the worn volumes on a high shelf. He selected one and, slapping the covers together, handed it to Dick. "Learn the first 20 pages," he commanded. "When you are ready, come and recite."

When Richard was outside the door he looked at the title-page in the fading light. It was "The Elements of Greek Grammar—Taken Chiefly from the Grammar of Casper Frederick Haschenberg, 1820."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

FISH DROPPED FROM CLOUDS

Originally Carried Aloft in Waterspout is Simple Explanation of Occurrence.

On Friday last a number of townspeople taking a walk on the slopes of Knockscalbert hill were surprised to see on the grass near Summerhill a large number of very small fishes, varying in length from 1 1-2 to 2 inches. The fish appeared to be the young of the herring.

In August, 1904, a shower of herring fry was experienced at the head of Longrow, but there was no doubt as to whence the miniature fish had come, for they fell from above on the hats and clothing of several men, and at the time a small black cloud of remarkable density was directly overhead.

The phenomenon of fish falling from the clouds is of more common occurrence than is generally supposed. It is undoubtedly due to some small fry of fishes having been lifted from the water and carried over dry land by what is popularly known as a waterspout.

Many cases are reported from abroad, and they are common in India. Last year Caithness reported a shower of small fishes, which were identified as herring fry, and there was also a similar occurrence in Rosshire.

Frogs, insects and other living creatures have also been known to be thus transported through the air.—Campbelltown Courier.

Clever Detective Work.

Capt. von Ermnerik of the roya' Dutch mail packet Van Spilbergen recently made a clever capture after a murderous assault on a wealthy saloon passenger while bound for Sydney from Batavia. After the alarm had been given he had the full crew of Malays lined up on deck and as he passed along the ranks he placed his hand on the bared breast of each man to feel the action of his heart. The blood coursed normally through the veins of all but one and his heart was throbbing violently. The captain arrested him on suspicion. Another man's hands were abnormally cold, but this fact was not considered sufficiently strong to justify arrest. However, the first man subsequently confessed to the crime and indicated the seaman with the cold hands as his accomplice.

The aeroplane is the real skyscraper.

WERE STILL SUPPLIED.

"Have you given some fresh water to the gold fish, Anna?"

"No, ma'am, they have not finished what I gave them the other day."

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"Julius Caesar" Sent to Bed.

At the British Authors' club banquet in his honor, Lieut. Shackleton told an amusing story of a man who went home one night after dinner and took with him four or five others.

"Come in, boys," he said, "and have a last drink."

"But your wife might not like it," one of the party replied.

"My wife!" was the answer; "I am Julius Caesar in my house."

On entering they were received by the lady of the house with the words: "Oh, walk in, gentlemen; there is plenty of drink in the dining room. As for Julius Caesar, he is going to bed."

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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AUGUST STILLE.

August Stille was born October 3, 1866, in Missouri, where he spent his youthful days. In 1874 his parents moved to Hancock Co., Iowa. On Dec. 15 1894 the deceased was united in marriage to Miss Lydia Gast They settled on a farm and have been engaged in farming ever since. The home was blessed with four boys, of which the oldest is 14 and the youngest 3.

Some three years ago Mr. Stille was seized with an attack of diabetes, which in course of time so completely fastened it self that no medical aid could shake it off. Nevertheless no one surmised his end was so near.

While loading a load of hogs on Saturday and taking them to market he caught a slight cold, which confined him to the house a few days. But there was nothing to alarm him or the family until Tuesday when his heart became involved and the end came quick and fast. He died Wednesday morning about 9 o'clock.

He had united with the German M. E. church when a young man and was a member in good standing at the time of his death.

The funeral services were conducted at the house and then in the Germantown church. Tho the roads were very muddy a large concourse of neighbors and sorrowing friends followed the remains to the German township cemetery. Deceased leaves his bereaved wife and children. an aged mother, one brother. J. J. Stille, and one sister, Mrs. Chas Bredlow, to mourn his untimely departure. ***

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. A. F. Stille and Children,

A town that never has anything to do in a public way. is on the way to the cemetery. Any citizen who will do nothing for his town is helping to dig the grave. A man that curses the town furnishes the coffin. The man who is so selfish as to have no time from his business to give to town affairs is making the shroud. The man who will not advertise is driving the hearse. The man who is always pulling back from any public enterprise throws boquets on the grave. The man who is so stingy as to be howling hard times, preaches the funeral, sings the doxolcgy, and thus the town lies buried from all sorrow and care —Ex

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Xmas toys at Kluckhohn's.

Thas. W. Stiehl was a Garner itor Friday.

J. W. Scott is re-shingling his cksmith shop.

For Sale— Single buggy al st new. C. C. Suckow.

Poultry wanted every day. ghest market price paid. H. n & Son.

Herman Miller was at Garner anksgiving Day, a guest at e home of Geo. Schroeder.

Mrs. Frank Goettel, from nsing, Iowa, visited over Sun- y at the Chas. Yahnke home.

I have a few White Wyandot llets and cockerels to sell at sonable prices if taken now. o. H. Wessel.

Mrs. A. A. Scott, of Vinton, wa, arrived here last week a visit at the home of her son W. Scott.

Verner Haberkamp and sis- s, Julius Priebe, John Josten, ed Haupt, Aug. Schulz and J. G. Houghton, with their es and families, were sump usly entertained on Thanks- ing day as guests at the Val- ine Josten home.

Being obliged to take it for t I will sell it out cheap; Dr. Hess Stock Food. Dr. Hess Poultry Panacea. Dr. Hess Instant Louse Kill- Dr. Hess Hog Worm Powder. be had at G. F. Schuler's rner, Iowa.

NOTICE

All those who have not made a settlement are requested to do so at once. I need cash to meet my obligations.

DR. GEO. ZINN.

Mrs. Phil Ell was a Garner visitor last Friday.

Christmas dishes—a beautiful line—at Kluckhohn's.

W. R. Bloom shipped a car of hogs Sunday morning.

Buy your Christmas goods early. Patronize Times advertisers.

Asa Gibbs, F. W. Tanner and J. E. Wichman have added to our exchequer the past week.

Mrs John Gruetzmacher and daughters Hulda and Esther spent Thanksgiving day in Garner.

Tom Blank's faithful old horse "Billy" passed to the happy hunting ground Tuesday morning.

Mrs. G. W. Kluckhohn and daughter Lola have been visiting the past week at the home of L. A. Turgaser at Swea City.

W. R. Bloom left Saturday night for Chicago where he is taking in the International Live Stock Exposition and seeing the sights.

New ads this week—First National Bank, State Savings Bank State Savings Bank, Arthur Wellemeyer, Mrs. John Josten. Elmer Ludeke.

I have put in a crusher with elevators and am now prepared to do your grinding or crushing with the least possible labor. Elevators to the grinder and also back to the wagon. Rates by wagon box measure, special rate on amounts over 100 bushels. Henry A. Ludeke, in west part of town. 17-2

Mrs. Ralph Blank was up from Goodell Friday.

Watch for Kluckhohn's big Christmas ad next week.

The dance last Friday evening was quite well attended.

For Sale— Single buggy almost new. C. C. Suckow.

Station Agent Williams is enjoying a visit from his wife and children.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller, Wednesday, night. Nov. 24, 1909, a baby boy.

P. M Griesemer spent Thanksgiving at the home of his parents in Garner.

Miss Elenora Koerner spent Thanksgiving day at the parental home in Charles City.

Those indebted to the undersigned are requested to call and settle at once. F. H. Ridder

Mrs. S. L. Sage returned to her home at Garner Friday after spending Thanksgiving at the Times home.

Kluckhohn is going to make some attractive prices on Xmas goods this year. Watch for his ad next week.

Mrs. E. P. Dow and children returned to their home at Rake, Iowa, after spending Thanksgiving here with her mother and sisters.

As I have been appointed Administrator of the estate of August H. Wenz, I have a lot of furniture for sale, as rockers, chairs, rugs, stands, a bed room suit, organ, music rack, etc. Everything is new. Geo. H. Wessel.

J. E. Stille called at this sanctum Tuesday and squared up with the printer for another year. J. E. is one of our subscribers who always keeps his paper dated a whole year ahead.

Bills are out announcing a dance to be held in the Klemme spera house Thursday evening, Dec 9 The Imperial Harp Orchestra of Mason City will furnish the music.

Mrs. A. L. Spooner and children left for their home at La Verne Monday morning after spending Thanksgiving here at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. B. Shafer.

The weather was warm and clear last Friday—the day of C. F. Ralston's big closing out sale and a large crowd was in attendance. Things brought a much higher price than was even hoped for, and the sale was most satisfactory in every way

The Des Moines Capital and the Klemme Times will be sent to any address from now until Jan. 1, 1911, on receipt of $2.85. This is an exceptionally liberal offer and should be taken advantage of at once to secure its full benefits. If you have already paid in advance for the Times, ask for our rate on the Capital. Call at this office today and get a daily paper for the winter's reading.

The regular subscription price of the Chicago Daily Farmers and Drovers Journal is $4 per year, but we have made arrangements whereby we can furnish that paper and the Klemme Times both one year for $4 05. The Chicago F. and D. Journal twice-a-week, and the Times, both one year for $2.05. The Journal once a week and the Times, both one year for $1.55.

The Best Ever— Blue Point oyster crackers. They're fine. Try a package with your next oysters. At Kluckhohn's. 13tf

German M. E. Church Items

Roy Schaefer started to attend school in town this week.

John Gruetzmacher was in Garner last Friday to have some dental work done.

Elenor Koerner spent Thanksgiving with her parents near Charles City, returning Saturday evening.

Wm. Gast. Sr. came up from Steamboat Rock last week to attend the funeral of his son in-law, Aug. Stille.

Ed Schaefer and son Roy ate their Thanksgiving dinner with the former's parents in Garner Others had planned to go from here but "got left."

T. Blank and family went to Hayfield last Saturday to be present at the "golden wedding" of Mr. Blank's parents. They all returned Monday evening.

As Arthur Wellemeyer could not get away last week, Anna Griewe accompanied her sister, Mrs. Wellemeyer and the children to Charles City, returning Friday evening.

Geo. Gast came down from Beltrami, Minn., to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law He will remain some time to assist his sister and also visit his many friends and relatives.

The time is here when nearly everyone asks: "What can I give as a Christmas present?" In most cases there is nothing more suitable than a good book. We have therefore, as in former years, stocked up with a lot of good books at a low price. But we have never before had as fine a lot of books as this year and at a discount of 40 to 80 per cent of their original price. We have a lot in de luxe binding which make an exceptionally fine present. Also a fine selection for children. Make your selection as they are going fast.

Rock Island System

TIME TABLE.

Klemme, Iowa.

Going South.

436 ..... 7:34 p. m.
82 ..... 2:35 p. m.

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81 ..... 9:55 a. m.
435 ..... 1:46 p. m.

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Elaborate panoramas will show what is being done to irrigate, drain and cultivate it.

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FARMERS INSTITUTE

And Agricultural Convention Will Be Held in Des Moines.

PROGRAM FOR THE MEETINGS

The State Board of Agriculture Will Meet and Organize for the Coming Year—State Fair Prize List Will Be Revised.

Des Moines, Nov. 29—C. E. Cameron, president, and J. C. Simpson, secretary of the Iowa State Board of Agriculture, have given out the following:

The literary program of the State Farmers' Institute and the Corn Belt Meat Producers' Association for Tuesday afternoon, December 7th, will be held jointly in the Convention room at the Savery hotel.

The State Agricultural convention for Wednesday, December 8th will be held in the rooms of the Department of Agriculture at the Capitol building.

The session of the Corn Belt Meat Producers' association for Wednesday will be held at the Savery hotel.

The Iowa State Horticultural society will hold its regular annual meeting during the week in the Horticultural rooms in the capitol building.

Program for joint session State Farmers' institute and Corn Belt Meat Producers' Association, Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 7:

1:30 P. M.—SAVERY HOTEL.
Invocation ----------Rev. Metcalf
Address ----------Hon. Henry Wallace, editor Wallace's Farmer
Address—"The Evolution of Live Stock Transportation" ---------- ----------James Downing, of the U. S. Bureau of Animal Husbandry
Address—"Cattle Feeding"------
Chas. Escher, Jr., Shelby county, Ia.
Address—"Hog Feeding"--------
R. M. Gunn, Black Hawk county, Ia.

Out of courtesy to the Iowa Corn Growers' association whose annual corn show is being held at the Coliseum, it was agreed to limit the joint program of the State Farmers' Institute and Corn Belt Meat Producers' association to one session, viz.: Tuesday afternoon, thereby giving every one ample time to attend the corn show.

On Tuesday afternoon the Iowa Fair Managers' association will begin their meeting. At 6:30 o'clock the banquet will be held at the Savery hotel. The banquet will be followed by the evening program. Every fair in Iowa is entitled to membership in this association. A very interesting program has been prepared by the officers. No fair in Iowa can afford not to have one or more representatives present at these meetings. For information regarding membership, etc., in the Iowa Fair Managers' Association, address W. M. Clark Secretary, Marshalltown, or A. Savage, Adair.

Agricultural Convention

At the rooms of the Department of Agriculture in the State House, Wednesday, December 8:

MORNING PROGRAM 9:30 A. M.
Invocation ----------
------Rev. J. W. Day, Des Moines
Committee appointments: Credentials, Resolutions.
Address of President of State Board of Agriculture-C. E. Cameron
Report of Secretary of State Board of Agriculture-J. C. Simpson
Address—"The State Fair and Exposition"- ----------
------W. R. Mellor, Lincoln, Nab.
Secretary Nebraska State Board of Agriculture.
Address----------Gov. B. F. Carroll
Address—"Iowa's Duty Toward Her State Fair and Expositions"-James Atkinson, Des Moines
Address—"What Inspiration and Benefits I Have Received from Attending the Iowa State Fair" ----------P. C. Winter, Creston, Ia.
Address—"How the Educational Exhibit of Farm Crops Was Made at the Last State Fair" ----------B. W. Crossley, Ames, Ia.
AFTERNOON PROGRAM, 1:30 P. M.
Continuation of morning program.
Report of Credentials committee.
Report of Resolutions committee.
Election of the following members of the State Board of Agriculture: President and Vice-President for the ensuing year, and District Members from the odd numbered congressional districts for the ensuing two years.
Unfinished business.
New business.
Adjournment.

Thursday and Friday at the meeting of the State Board of Agriculture the board will organize for the coming year. Various standing committees for the year will be named as well as the superintendents to have charge of the various departments of the fair for 1910. The revision or alterations in the prize list for the 1910 fair will be made.

Lake City Man Has Odd Egg.

Lake City.—Joe Sutter, a farmer, brought to this place a freak egg that has been the wonder of all who have seen it. The egg is about double the size of an ordinary egg, and the peculiar feature is that there are two distinct shells, one within the other. The outside or shell proper is remarkably thick and has tiny knobs on it. The inner shell is thin and yellow and perfectly formed. The egg was found to contain two complete eggs, one within the other. The inner egg shell is fastened to the small end of the outer shell.

Funds for Interurban.

Iowa City.—A mass meeting at Wellman raised $25,000 for the Ottumwa-Iowa City interurban and right-of-way for three miles secured on each side of Wellman. At Keota the same line secured $60,000 with five miles of right-of-way on each side. Frank Tanner of Iowa City is at the head of the scheme. The company is chartered under the laws of South Dakota.

Hurt by Steel Splinter.

Mason City.—With the force of a bullet, a sliver of steel flew from a beam which he was hammering with a sledge, pierced the arm of Edward Frojd near the shoulder, rendering the member as helpless as though paralyzed. The man was taken to a hospital and the steel extracted, which proved to be over two inches in length. Frojd is employed at the Northwestern round house.

Use Funds to Build Dam.

Marshalltown.—After much deliberation and consulting of legal advice the city council has decided that the $15,200 contained in the bond sinking fund, which has been lying idle for two years, could be rightfully used by the water works department, in defraying the expenses of building the new concrete dam and retaining walls, which, it is estimated, will cost about $33,000.

Steel Foundry at Lone Tree.

Iowa City—Lone Tree will soon be thep roud possessor of a new steel foundry, the property of the Zimmerman Steel company located at that place. Work is progressing nicely on the new building; the steel framework is in place and the laying of the concrete blocks is now in progress. The structure will be ready for occupancy within the next two months.

Dyer Will Run in 1910.

Mason City.—H. A. Dyer, who has returned from the Scottish Rite Masonic meeting at Des Moines, has announced his candidacy for commander of the Grand Army, department of Iowa. He is now president of the North Iowa Veterans' association and past post commander, past assistant adjutant general and junior vice commander department of Iowa G. A. R.

Failure of P. J. Regan.

Iowa City.—Referee in Bankruptcy F. B. Kimball has received the petition of P. J. Regan a former business man of Iowa City. The petition shows liabilities amounting to over $25,000, represented in chief by notes held by Iowa City people. To offset this is real estate and other property, including the Iowa City Country club to the amount of about $18,000.

$2,600 in Bills Burned.

Ottumwa.—Fate dealt Harry Skinner a cruel blow when the home he had just furnished for his bride was partially burned and $2,600 in crisp bills hiden in the attic were consumed in flames. Skinner had planned to marry a Miss Apple of Des Moines soon, and went to Des Moines to apprise his affianced bride of his misfortune.

Diphtheria at Iowa City.

Iowa City.—Diphtheria has invaded Iowa City—and it has come with fatality and especial sadness. Mrs. Guy Stevens, aged but 28, is the first victim, and her death was sudden. A three-weeks' old daughter and her young husband survive. The latter has diphtheria, and his brother's wife and brother's little girl are also victims.

Fire at Corwith.

Corwith.—Fire completely destroyed the big barn owned by Dr. Hoag and his brother J. B. Hoag, near here. The loss is estimated at $10,000. The structure was 60x120 feet, contained 100 tons of hay 1,000 bushels of oats, a filled silo, besides much harness and machinery. The cause of the fire is not known.

Blacking Stove Fatal.

Audubon.—A few days ago Miss Aline Martensen the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Martensen, who live down the valley near Hamlin Station, was terribly burned about the body from her clothing catching fire, caused by a gasoline explosion while she was blacking a stove, from which she died.

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Manager—Well, that's easily remedied. We'll put on Othello.

Country Neglecting the Children.

If the percentage of tuberculous children recently ascertained by an investigation in Stockholm, Sweden (1.61 per cent.) were applied to the schools of the United States there would be 273,700 children between the ages of eight and fifteen who are positively affected with tuberculosis, according to a statement of the National Association for the study and prevention of tuberculosis. As contrasted with this figure, there are only 11 open-air tuberculosis schools in operation in the entire country, and nine more under consideration. At the lowest estimate, even with all the schools now in operation and those proposed, accommodations will not be provided for four-tenths of one per cent. of the children who need this special treatment.

The Cost of Politics.

In his reminiscences of Grover Cleveland, George F. Parker tells a story concerning prodigal expenditures in politics. A rich man who had been nibbling at the Democratic nomination for governor of New York asked William C. Whitney's advice. This is the advice: "Of course, you ought to run! Make your preliminary canvass, and when you have put in $200,000 you will have become so much interested in it that you will feel like going ahead and spending some money."

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Special Note from Atchison.

The engagement of Mr. Hiram Hardesty and Miss Suzette Snarley is announced. It occurred the other evening at 9:45 on the red sofa in Miss Snarley's parlor. The young lady was dressed in black, and wore no ornaments. She did not look unusually pretty, and what caused the young man's mental aberration is not known. Neither one could remember exactly what was said, and both admitted it was not the first time he kissed her. We print the details for the romantic young things who are always curious to know how an engagement is brought about.—Atchison Globe.

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Missed From a Mangled Mail Bag, They are Recovered From Car Trucks.

It does not always follow that the disappearance of registered mail packages indicate a robbery of the mail. This was demonstrated on The Overland Limited train No. 2 Friday, November 5th, when a package of five registered letters from Schuyler disappeared between that point and Omaha.

The recovery of the lost package was as strange as its disappearance. The Schuyler pouch is picked up from a crane by means of a pouch catcher as the train passes. This pouch catcher is attached to the mail car and hooks onto the pouch suspended from the crane as the train passes. In this particular instance the pouch catcher did not make a good catch and the pouch fell under the wheels of the train and was cut in two. The mail was scattered along the track for a considerable distance, but the five registered letters, which were in a packet, could not be found when the other mail was picked up. The impression at once prevailed that the registered package had been found and kept by some one and it was reported as lost.

Postoffice Inspector L. A. Thompson was started out to investigate. His first visit was to Council Bluffs to make inquiries of the postal clerks on the car, and scarcely had he reached there when he received word that the registered package had been found by the car cleaner resting snugly on the trucks under the dining car, where it had been blown or thrown when the mail pouch was flung under the wheels at Schuyler.

That the package was not injured in the slightest, nor jarred from its position on the trucks, is simply another tribute to the Union Pacific's unsurpassed roadbed and perfect track.

Pathetic Pride.

Willie had had a tumble when he was a baby and his hip was so hurt that ever after ard he was obliged to use a crutch. On one occasion, when his mother had bought him a new crutch of the latest and most approved style, Willie expressed his enthusiasm and delight in the roundest terms. "And oh, mother!" he exclaimed, in conclusion, referring to a little friend of his who having the use of both legs had no need of crutches, "won't Johnny Knowles be jealous!"

Dr. S. F. Spohn, President of the Spohn Medical Co., proprietors of Spohn's Distemper Cure, was recently elected mayor of Goshen, Ind., by a good majority. Mr. Spohn was for a number of years County Supt. of Schools, making such a record that his neighbours and friends, regardless of political lines, insisted on his accepting the nomination for mayor.

That Single Thought.

You've heard the old story of sweet wedded bliss, of the two hearts that flutter as one, and the two souls single-thought sealed with a kiss, and have wondered, no doubt, how 'twas done. As a wise one who was by experience taught, this effect we will briefly explain; in most of the cases that "one single thought" is: "I wish I was single again!"

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MINERALS IN FOOD

NECESSITY NOT ALWAYS THOROUGHLY UNDERSTOOD.

Work of All the Organs of the Body Dependent Upon Mineral Matters Furnished—Milk and Eggs Highly Desirable.

BY JESSICA E. BESACK.

Director Department of Domestic Science and Art, National Corn Exposition, Omaha, Neb.

The necessity of mineral matters in the food is not often understood. Few people give this matter any thought other than that mineral matter is needed for the bones and to "purify the blood," whatever that may mean.

As everyone knows, the food materials are carried to every part of the system by the blood and by a very exact arrangement, just the particular food and amount needed deposited. But what is not generally known is the fact that the work of all the organs of the body is dependent upon the mineral matters furnished. The beating of the heart is due to the presence of two mineral salts in the blood, one possessing the property of causing expansion and the other the property of causing contraction.

Many difficulties attend the use of foods and their effects upon the system. The experiments are long and expensive and subjects rare and reluctant. But recent investigations tend to show that minerals cannot be successfully supplied to the body in a medicinal form, without the accompanying food, rich in the mineral desired.

It follows that a diet rich in mineral matter is essential. Fresh vegetables, fresh fruits, milk and eggs are all rich in minerals and should find a place in all diets. Milk and eggs are expensive but the result will justify the expense in many instances. Skim milk and buttermilk are just as rich in minerals as whole milk, much cheaper and are deserving of much more attention than is usually given to them.

A pretty, inexpensive and attractive salad may be made from shredding a crisp cabbage and adding a few drops of onion juice and seasoning, using a French dressing. If oil is objectionable, melted butter may be successfully substituted.

RECIPE FOR RICE BAVARIAN

Housewife's Expenditure of Time and Trouble Will Be Well Repaid by the Result.

Put into a double boiler one and a half pints of milk and a few thin cuts of lemon peel. When it boils stir in one-half cup of well-washed rice and a saltspoon of salt. Cook until the rice is perfectly tender. The milk should be nearly boiled away, leaving the rice very moist. Then add or mix in carefully a half cup of sugar and a quarter of a box of gelatin which has soaked in half a cup of cold water for an hour and then melted by placing the cup containing it in hot water for a few minutes. When the mixture is partly cooled add three tablespoons of sherry or any preferred flavor. When it is beginning to set, stir in lightly half a pint of cream which has been whipped stiff, and put into a mold. Serve with crushed strawberries sweetened. The white mold with red sauce is a charming combination.

Yellow Tomato Soup.

The little yellow tomatoes make delicious bisque soup. Cook enough of the tomatoes with a teaspoonful of butter and a teaspoonful of sugar to make a cupful after the seeds and skins are strained out. Meanwhile make a sauce with three cupfuls of milk and a tablespoonful each of butter and flour, salt and a little paprika. Add to the tomatoes while very hot a level saltspoonful of soda and stir them into the hot milk.

Minced Lamb.

Remove all the good meat from what remains of roast lamb and mince fine. Put the bones and bits of skin in a saucepan and cover with a pint of water. Add one onion, one-half carrot cut small, a few sprays of parsley and two mint leaves, and simmer for one-half hour; add any gravy left from roast and strain. Thicken with one tablespoonful of flour rubbed in one tablespoonful of butter, add a teaspoonful of salt, a dash of cayenne and the minced lamb. Let it come to a boil and serve.

Dried Currant Pies.

Always put pastry on bottom of baking pans. Cover thickly with well-washed and dried currants, grate a little nutmeg over them and brown sugar last. Sprinkle a little water on to moisten, now put more pastry to fit pan, brush over with milk and cut in squares before baking.

To Remove Stains.

For removing the stain of perspiration, a strong solution of soda is first to be applied with a subsequent rinsing of water.

Foreign Trade of United States.

Great Britain buys more goods from the United States than from any other three principal countries in the world —$620,000,000 worth in 1908; $10,000,000 more than from France, Germany and Holland combined, according to the July report of the department of trade and commerce of Canada.

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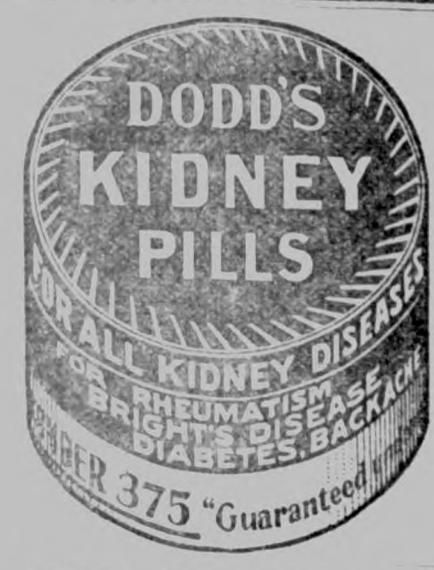

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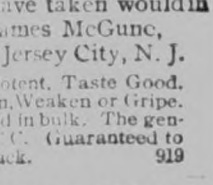

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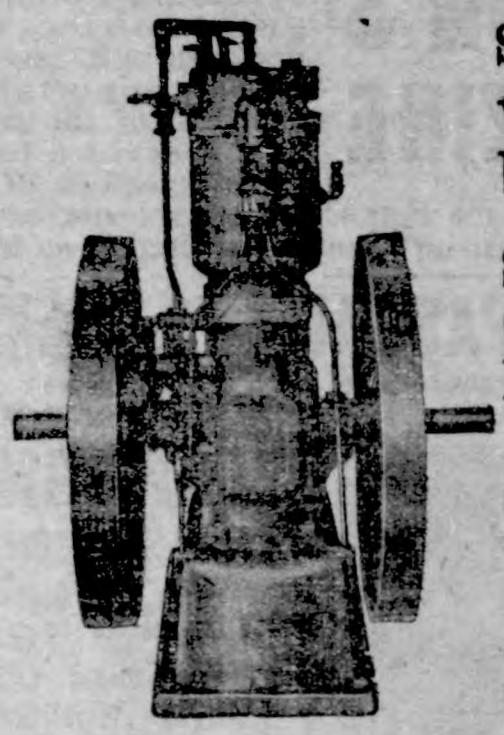

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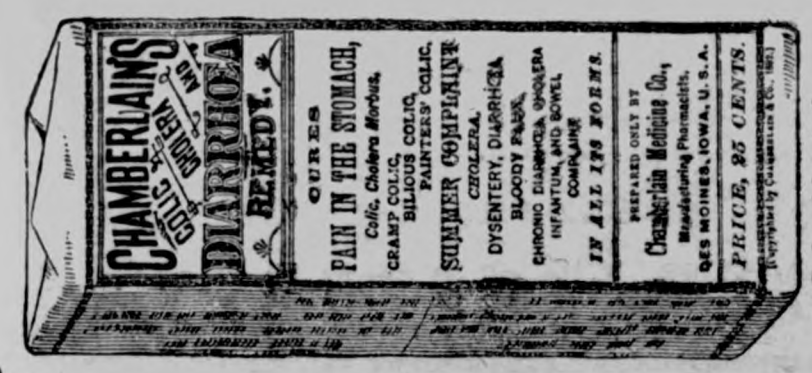

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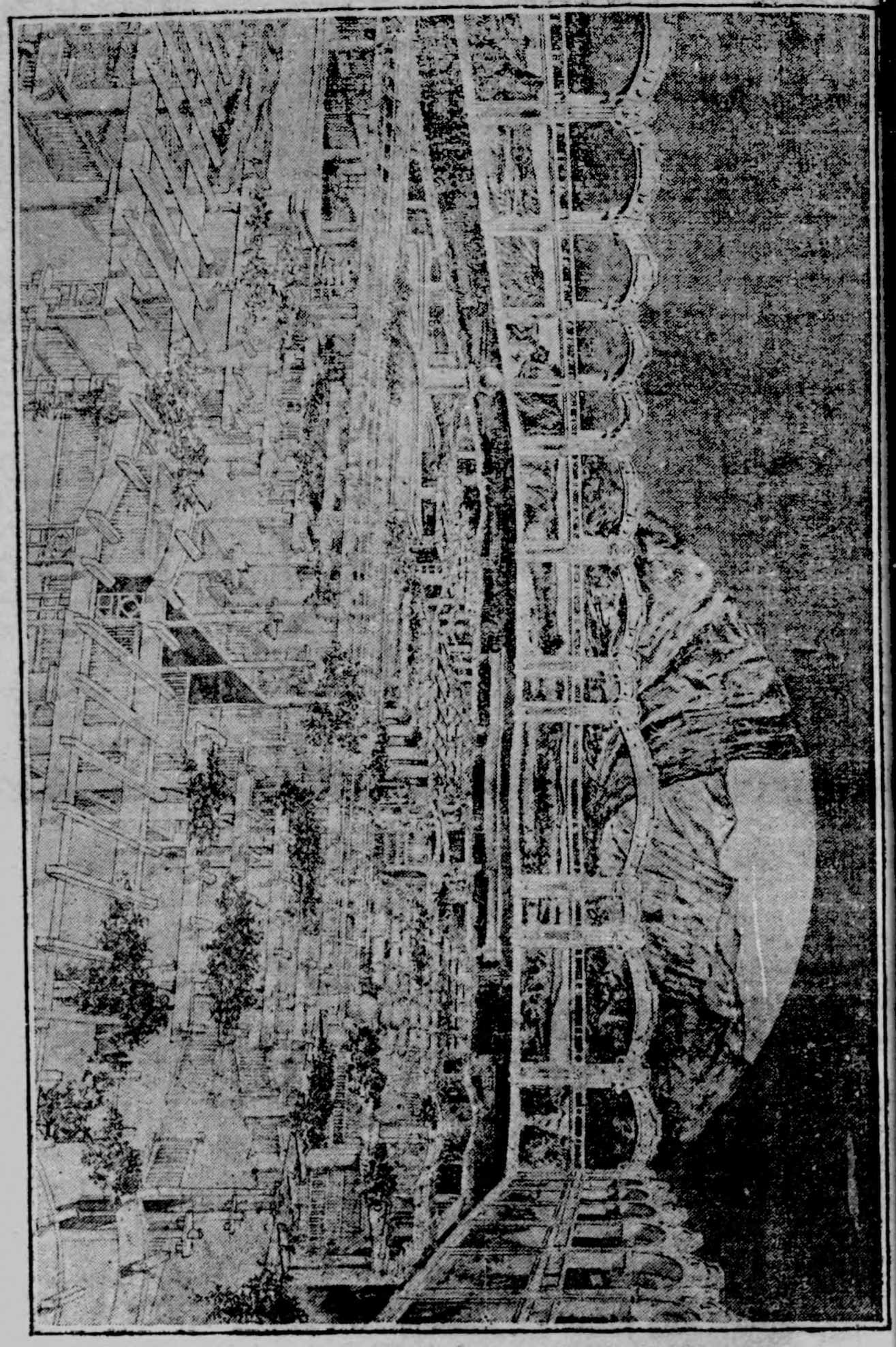

THE BIG LAND SHOW

Chicago's Chief of Police Assures Visitors That Everything Will Be Ready for Their Comfort.

Chief of Police Steward of Chicago is mindful of the comfort of visitors during the coming Land Exposition, which will be held during the same time as the International Live Stock Show, Nov. 20 to Dec. 4.

"We shall not only police the exposition but also all those parts of the city which the visitors will frequent. If there are any suspicious characters in sight, we shall speedily warn them to leave the city. We are determined that our guests during the exposition season shall be as free from annoyance as a thoroughly organized police and detective force can make them. Ordinarily the stranger in Chicago is as safe here as in any city—we purpose to make him doubly so during the two weeks of the exposition and Live Stock Show.

"We have on the force many men who are experienced in looking after crowds and they will all be on duty at the right points during the Land and Irrigation festivities.

"I am taking a special interest in this coming land show for I realize its great importance to the country and to the city of Chicago, and I appreciate the earnestness of the people who are going to be Chicago's visitors. Many people who are seeking new locations for their homes will come to Chicago and many of them will not be on the alert for suspicious characters. To such people we shall give special care and do all in the power of our strong organization to see that no one falls into the hands of the confidence men or other swindlers during his presence within our gates.

"I appreciate the enterprise of the Chicago Tribune in promoting and financing this great exposition and it is my wish to have our police organization assume a large measure of the responsibility for the comfort of our guests on this splendid occasion."

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THE COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE LAW

To the School Patrons of Hancock County:

The requirements of the compulsory attendance law as amended by the 33rd General Assembly are as follows:

"Any person having control of any child of the age of seven (7) to fourteen (14) years inclusive, in proper physical and mental condition to attend school shall cause such child to attend school, where the common branches of reading, writing, spelling, arithmetic, grammar, geography, physiology and United States history are taught, for *at least twenty-four* (24) consecutive school weeks in each school year, commencing with the first week of school after the first day of September, unless the board of school directors shall determine upon a later date which date shall not be later than the first Monday in December. Provided, that this section shall not apply to any child who lives more than two miles from any school by the nearest traveled road except in those districts in which the pupils are transported at public expense, or who is excused for sufficient reasons by any court of record or judge thereof, or while attending religious service or receiving religious instruction.

"Any person who shall violate the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine of not less than three ($3) dollars nor more than twenty ($20) dollars, for each offense.

"School officers who neglect or refuse to enforce the law, are liable to a fine of not less than ten ($10) dollars nor more than twenty ($20) dollars for each offense."

All cases of non-attendance should be reported to the secretary of the school board and he shall promptly inform the president of the board of directors. All teachers and school officers are requested to take notice of this requirement of the law.

All cases of non-enforcement of this law, from and after Dec. 6, the first Monday in December, should be reported to the county superintendent.

A. M DEYOE,
County Superintendent.

Champion Letter Writer

Uncle Sam is the champion letter writer of the world. If he were to pay regular rates of postage on all the mail handled by the Postal service for him, his postage bill would amount to $20,000,000 a year. He is always prone to refer to the Postal Service as being operated at a deficit. But as a matter of fact, in spite of rural free delivery and other improvements which call for the expenditure of vast sums of money, the people of the United States pay more than it costs to handle their mail. Deducting the amount of free matter which was sent out under franks and penalty envelopes, it was found that the postal service received $4,000,000 more for carrying the paid mail than it cost to carry it. In other words, had Uncle Sam paid the ordinary postal rates for his franked and penalty matter, there would have been a surplus of $4,000,000 in the postal revenues instead of a deficit of $16,000,000. —Ex.

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The Winter Season

Is now close at hand and it calls for good, warm wearing apparel, good Shoes and Overshoes, etc. We are, as usual, prepared to furnish you with the needed articles and our prices are as low as possible, consistent with the quality of goods we furnish. We want to call your special attention to our full and complete line of

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Alone in Saw Mill at Midnight

unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W J Atkins worked as Night Watchman, at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle," he writes, "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe colds, stubborn coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs, hemorrhages, croup and whooping cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co.

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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Calvin Demarest is the new champion 18.2 balk line billiard player, having defeated George Sutton, who held the championship, at New York, by a score of 500 to 78.

Queen Wilhelmina of Holland and her consort, Prince Henry, went to England to visit the king and queen.

Mrs Rose Pastor Stokes, the settlement worker has promised to aid the striking shirtwaist makers in New York She says the girls were paid "miserable wages'

John G. A. Leishman, the newly appointed American ambassador to Italy, has arrived at Rome.

Mrs John Wright Hunt wife of the turpentine king, who eloped with Prince Alexander a cousin of the czar returned to New York without the prince and was welcomed by her father, Adelbert Babcock of Brookfield, N. Y.

GENERAL NEWS.

The American Society of Mechanical Engineers met in New York in its thirtieth annual session.

President Taft, head of the American Red Cross, opened the fifth annual meeting of that organization in Washington, and addresses were made on relief work in Italy, Key West and elsewhere.

The annual meeting of the Lake Michigan Commercial Fishermen's association was held in Charlevoix, Mich., H. Barlow presiding.

The state horticultural societies of Illinois and Michigan met in annual convention at Champaign and Kalamazoo, respectively.

Striking foreign workmen at a steel plant in Monaca, Pa., tore down an American flag and hoisted in its place a black flag, and when Deputy Sheriff Crowley sought to displace the latter he was shot and fatally wounded.

The Pennsylvania St. Louis-New York flyer was wrecked by a broken rail near Lewisville, Ind., and three express messengers seriously injured. None of the passengers were hurt outside of some minor bruises and cuts.

Secretary of the Navy Meyer in his annual report warned the government to hold on to the navy yards and recommended the immediate building of two battleships of the most destructive type and another dry dock on the Pacific coast capable of docking the largest "Dreadnoughts."

President Zelaya of Nicaragua has become a fugitive from justice and a common murderer in the eyes of the United States, according to a report which emanated from the state department. It is the intention of the government to capture him if possible and try him for the murder of Groce and Cannon, the Americans.

It is believed in New York that the purchase of the majority of the stock of the Equitable Life Assurance society by J. Pierpont Morgan foreshadows the mutualization of the Equitable.

The British parliament has been prorogued and the fight to end the powers of the house of lords has begun.

A full set of autographs of presidents of the United States, from Washington to Roosevelt, was sold in New York for $9,300.

That Mrs Jeanette Stewart Ford shot and tried to kill Edgar S. Cooke o. Chicago at New York several years ago is asserted by Prosecutor Henry Hunt of Cincinnati, after an investigation in connection with the Warriner embezzlement case.

Secretary Dickinson, in his annual report, recommends to the president many sweeping changes and reforms in the army, including the centralization of troops in forts erected adjacent to the principal cities of the United States, the abolishment of the Roosevelt physical tests for officers and governmental control of wireless telegraphy.

Robert R. Doherty, a prominent Methodist who was one of the founders of the Epworth league, is dead of pneumonia at his home in Jersey City. He was 62 years old.

More than 3,000 books which the police say were stolen from public libraries in New York city were found by detectives in two rooms in a Brooklyn boarding house. Many of the books are old and rare. The lot is said to be worth more than $10,000.

While sleep-walking, 17-year-old Hinman Knowlton of South Framingham, Mass., fatally shot both his parents. The boy was arrested.

Patrick Cox, who was extradited from Chicago a few months ago, and tried in County Mayo, Ireland, charged with the death of Edward Murray, was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to five months' imprisonment.

An endowment fund for the support of a post-graduate school for "teacher nurses" has been given to the teachers' college of Columbia university by Mrs. Helen Hartley Jenkins. The amount of the gift has not been made public.

The Canadian senate adopted the bill ratifying the Franco-Canadian treaty and it was assented to by the governor general. The French and Canadian governments will take immediate action to make the treaty effective before the first of the year.

Lewis Merickel, 40 years old, is dead from a rifle wound in the abdomen and Joseph Myers, 13 years old, who shot him is held at the Juvenile home. The boy says that Merickel dared him to shoot and that he fired, not thinking the gun was loaded.

A gift of $4,000,000 for the founding of a home for convalescents in New York city becomes available with the death of John Masterson Burke, one of America's little-known millionaires.

The third National Corn exposition opened at Omaha, Neb., with exhibits by the federal government and 25 states, and a vast quantity of competitive entries made by grain raisers.

Representatives of many civic and educational organizations met in New York to devise a means of co-ordinating civic activities and to plan more effective methods of studying political problems.

J. Pierpont Morgan has gained control of the Equitable Life Assurance Company with its $472,000,000 assets through the purchase of stock held by Thomas F. Ryan, the latter having bought the interests formerly owned by James H. Hyde.

Following the abrupt termination of diplomatic relations with Nicaragua the government has dispatched the cruiser Prairie from Philadelphia with 700 marines on board, the cruiser Albany and gunboat Yorktown to Central American waters and it is determined that a stable government shall be established and maintained in the war-riven republic.

A delegation of Chicago business men visited President Taft and made a plea for the suspension of the provisions of the corporation tax law. The president gave them but little encouragement, saying he would take their petition under advisement.

Albert I. Patrick, the New York lawyer under sentence of death for slaying Millionaire Rice, has lost his ninth fight for freedom through the dismissal by the appellate court at Brooklyn of the habeas corpus writ secured by him to determine whether he is being illegally retained by the state.

Woman suffrage advocates throughout New York state are raising a fund of several thousand dollars to be used for promoting the suffrage bill which will be put before the legislature of New York state this winter.

Vermont will erect a memorial to Champlain, the explorer, and will not join New York in such an undertaking.

The average temperature for November in Kansas City, Mo., was 52 degrees, and the highest was 80 on November 3. This breaks all records for the month since the weather bureau was established there.

Contracts are to be placed for two submarines for the Russian navy. They are planned to cruise in company with a battleship fleet.

The season of heavy gold receipts at the United States assay office in Seattle ended with a total of $11,733,489 for the six months beginning June 1. This is a falling off of $5,775,141, compared with the same period in 1908.

Twenty-three hundred switchmen on 13 railroads between Lake Superior and the Pacific coast have struck for higher wages and better conditions. Unless the strike is speedily settled a serious interruption in traffic is likely.

Combined resources of all the banks of the United States reach more than $21,000,000,000, or about one-fifth of the entire wealth of the country, according to special reports compiled for the use of the national monetary commission.

The National Asscciation of Live Stock Breeders and Raisers, at its convention in Chicago, determined to ask congress for a large appropriation for the prevention and eradication of highly contagious animal diseases.

President Zelaya of Nicaragua has made overtures to Estrada, the revolutionist, intimating that he would retire from the presidency and permit congress to choose his successor. Estrada promptly rejected the proffer and says he will fight the matter out.

THE NEW DISH.

"What do you call this—ice pudding?"

"Well, sir, it used to be called ice pudding, but now it is known as the north pole, or the Cook's Surprise."

SKIN ROUGH AS BARK.

Baby Boy Had Intense Itching Humor —Scratched Till Blood Ran.

Found a Cure in Cuticura.

"Our son, two years old, was afflicted with a rash. After he suffered with the trouble several weeks I took him to the doctor but it got worse. The rash ran together and made large blisters. The little fellow didn't want to do anything but scratch and we had to wrap his hands up to keep him from tearing the flesh open till the blood would run. The itching was intense. The skin on his back became hard and rough like the bark of a tree. He suffered intensely for about three months. But I found a remedy in Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. The result was almost magical. That was more than two years ago and there has not been the slightest symptom of it since he was cured. J. W. Lauck, Yukon, Okla., Aug. 28 and Sept. 17, 1908."

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No, Alonzo, we wouldn't advise a man with an impediment in his speech to go to a speakeasy for treatment.

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Cherries.

A diminutive miss insisted upon helping her mother in putting up preserves. "Run away, there is nothing you can do," said mother.

"Yes I could," persisted the child. "I could unbutton the cherries for you."

All the Same to Her.

"I must warn you, dearest," he said, "that after we are married you will very likely find me inclined to be arbitrary and dictatorial in my manner."

"No matter," she replied, cheerfully, "I won't pay the slightest attention to what you say."

Good for the Nerves.

At a recent archery tournament in London 300 women took part in the contest, the game having become very popular. It is recommended by London physicians as splendid for the nerves. American women have never taken very kindly to the sport, but the renewal of interest abroad may effect a change in this country.

Astonished the Company.

A famous dean was once at dinner, when, just as the cloth was removed, the subject of discourse happened to be that of extraordinary mortality among lawyers. "We have lost," said a gentleman, "not less than six eminent barristers in as many months." The dean, who was quite deaf, rose as his friend finished his remarks, and gave the company grace—"For this and every other mercy, make us truly thankful."

RESULTS OF FOOD

Health and Natural Conditions Come From Right Feeding.

Man, physically, should be like a perfectly regulated machine, each part working easily in its appropriate place. A slight derangement causes undue friction and wear, and frequently ruins the entire system.

A well-known educator of Boston found a way to keep the brain and the body in that harmonious co-operation which makes a joy of living.

"Two years ago," she writes, "being in a condition of nervous exhaustion, I resigned my position as teacher, which I had held over 40 years. Since then the entire rest has, of course, been a benefit, but the use of Grape-Nuts has removed one great cause of illness in the past, namely, constipation, and its attendant evils.

"I generally make my entire breakfast on a raw egg beaten into four spoonfuls of Grape-Nuts, with a little hot milk or hot water added. I like it extremely, my food assimilates, and my bowels take care of themselves. I find my brain power and physical condition much greater and I know that the use of the Grape-Nuts has contributed largely to this result.

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Look in pkgs. for the little book, "The Road to Wellville." "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

HOWARD IS ELECTED

Schaller Man Heads Implement Dealers Association.

OTHER OFFICERS SELECTED

Merchants Protest Against High Rates and Pass Resolutions Asking for Legislative Committee That Already Exists.

Des Moines, Dec. 4.—Strongly protesting against the high rates which they claim are charged for the transportation of heavy castings for use on the farm by the railroads of the state, the members of the Iowa Implement Dealers' association directed their legislative committee to go before the railroad commission of the state and present the facts to its members. Thursday a committee headed by J. L. Farrington appeared before the commission, but received no satisfaction because they were unable to present any specific cases.

The protest of the dealers came in the form of a resolution introduced by Mr. Farrington and unanimously adopted by the convention. This resolution declares that the farmers are greatly harmed by the unjust rates on the heavier articles of farm machinery, and that the rates form an unjust discrimination against both the farmers and the implement dealers.

Although such committees already exist in both houses, the convention went on record as favoring the establishment of a committee of the state legislature on commerce and retail trade, and directed the legislative committee of the association to call upon the legislature and urge the adoption of this measure.

Governor Carroll's plan for narrowing the roads of the state and for taking part of the present state tax to really improve the roads was heartily indorsed by the convention.

The members of the association decided to continue their headquarters at the state fair as in the past and went on record as strongly favoring the erection of a manufacturers' building in the near future. They decided that they will in the future pay a great deal of attention to the state fair and will do all in their power to make it a success.

The convention also voted to ask the legislature for greater protection in their credit sales. At present they claim that they are not protected at all and that when they sell a man a piece of machinery on credit they do so at their own risk and have no way of action as men in other lines of business have. They want the right to attach the goods in case the farmer fails to pay his bills and to recover the articles if they are sold.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, W. S. Howard of Schaller; vice president, J. R. Vaughan of Waterloo; secretary and treasurer, E. P. Armknecht of Donnellson; board member, W. F. Smith of Winterset.

ACTOR SUICIDE AT FT. DODGE

Harry Adams Kills Himself When Refused Privilege of Seeing Girl at Hotel.

Fort Dodge, Ia., Dec. 4.—Harry Adams, 42 years old, known in the variety world as J. C. Williams, drank an ounce of carbolic acid in the presence of employes and guests in the lobby of the Ward hotel, saying he preferred death, to separation from Jennie Saggers, his 18-year-old partner in a theatrical act. The suicide occurred at noon and followed unsuccessful efforts of Adams to effect a reunion with Jennie Saggers, who ran away from him at Stapleton, Minn. The girl came to this city last week and has been employed as a chambermaid at the Ward. Adams traced her here Tuesday and has been trying to lure her back to the stage. Jennie Saggers is the daughter of a well known Boone county farmer. She left home at the age of 15 to go on the stage. The couple have been on Iowa, Illinois and Minnesota vaudeville circuits.

Dolliver Speaks at Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 4—Senator Jonathan P. Dolliver of Iowa, a leading member of the "insurgents," fired a shot into the enemy in a speech delivered at the Press club. Mr. Dolliver declared the most hopeful sign about the last congress was not what it did but the fact that it did not act unanimously. He believed President Taft's attitude towards the "insurgents" at the coming session will be friendly. "The time when a 'skin game' can be worked on the people with the unanimous consent of congress will never come again," said Mr Dolliver. "When I am asked why I do not vote with the majority, I say 'Not until I have made a chemical analysis of it.'"

BACKACHE IS KIDNEYACHE.

Usually There Are Other Troubles to Prove It.

Pain in the back is pain in the kidneys, in most cases, and it points to the need of a special remedy to remove and cure the congestion or inflammation of the kidneys that is interfering with their work and causing that pain that makes you say "Oh, my back."

Thompson Wilkins, professional nurse, 420 N. 2nd St., Parsons, Kan., says: "For some time I was annoyed with sharp twinges across the small of my back and irregular passages of the kidney secretions. Since using Doan's Kidney Pills I am free from these troubles."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

There All the Time.

It is told of Dr. Thorold that he was once asked to give away the prizes in a school belonging to the London school board.

In the course of his opening address he gravely asked the children, "Which was the largest island in the world before Australia was discovered?"

When the youngsters gave it up, he said in the same grave way, which made them laugh all the more, "Why, Australia, of course; it was there all the time!"

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Not Even Sandy.

Wilford was sitting on his father's knee watching his mother arranging her hair.

"Papa hasn't any Marcel waves like that," said her father, laughingly.

Wilford, looking up at his father's bald pate, replied: "Nope, no waves; it's all beach."—Columbia Jester.

This Will Interest Mothers.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, cure Constipation, Feverishness, Teething Disorders, Stomach Troubles and Destroy Worms. 30,000 testimonials of cures. All druggists 25c. Sample FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Sufficient Evidence.

"Father was evidently drinking again last night."

"What makes you think that?"

"He sassed the janitor when he came in."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Every time you want to smoke, chew WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT. The desire goes away. You save nerves, pocketbook, and digestion.

Daily Thought.

There's nothing like settling with ourselves, as there's a deal we must do without in this life.—George Eliot.

Change in your pocket?
Pleasant WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT cures unpleasant tobacco habit.

When his satanic majesty tempts some people they want him to get behind them—and push.

Eyes bright? Digestion right?
WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT is fine for digestion.

The optician would soon be looking for another job if beer glasses improved the eyesight.

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The main ingredients of true manliness are a forgetfulness of self and a constant regard for duty.—Butler.

WE PAY HIGH PRICE FOR HIDES and furs & sell guns and traps cheap. N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

A girl thinks a man impertinent if he tries to flirt with her and indifferent if he doesn't.

HAVE YOU A COUGH, OR COLD?

If so take at once Allen's Lung Balsam and watch results. Simple, safe, effective. All dealers. Popular prices—25c, 50c and $1.00 bottles.

It takes a woman to tell a secret and magnify its importance.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules. Easy to take as candy.

Don't believe everything you hear over a telephone wire.

YELLOW CLOTHES ARE UNSIGHTLY.

Keep them white with the new RUSSIAN BLUE. Get the genuine. 5cts., at grocers.

A giggling girl is apt to become a cackling woman.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

It is usually costly to follow cheap advice.

One Way of Love

SYNOPSIS.

Richard Derring, returning from a winter in the woods to his mother's farm home, is overtaken by his uncle, accompanied by his eccentric wife, coming to pay a visit at the farm. Aunt Jerusha's questions about Emily Hutton, supposed to be Richard's sweetheart, bring out the fact that she is to marry a merchant, Edwards. Derring's disappointment stimulates his ambition and under the advice of Seth Kinney, a hermit of the woods, he resolves to fit himself for college. Kinney promises to teach him Greek.

CHAPTER IV.

"You must get a man to work the farm on shares. He will make it pay you better than I have. I am no farmer." The tone had no note of discouragement; it had rather the ring of success.

Mrs. Derring looked up from her sewing. Richard had never said "must" to her before.

"What is the matter, Richard?" She looked at him searchingly.

"I want to go to college. I shall never do anything at farming, but I might at something else if I had the chance." He spoke impersonally, as if they were talking of some one else.

"Well, perhaps it is the best thing to do."

Mrs. Derring sewed on for a few minutes in silence; then she said slowly, as if the plan were forming itself: "I guess Tom Bishop would take the farm on shares and they could go to housekeeping in the L part. The rent would bring in a little something. He and Mary have wanted to go to housekeeping ever since they were married." She ended with a questioning inflection, submitting the plan.

She was not a "capable" woman. The queerness of Geoffrey Crane had descended to the daughter, and she was conscious that her plans were often impracticable. But 24 years of farming life had taught her to adjust herself to the inevitable. Almost without volition her mind had begun to turn over ways and means to meet this new emergency.

"I could let them have the south chamber and the back storeroom. And perhaps we could pack up the things in father's room so they could have that."

The young man listened in surprise. He had expected remonstrance, even refusal. He was not prepared for such rapid furthering of his project. He was almost inclined to make obstacles himself—so rapidly did she plan.

"Father Crane would be pleased, if he were alive, to know you wanted to go. He always wanted Eben to go to college. But he married Jerusha. They all said he ought to have been a scholar. He was bright at his books. But he was possessed to marry Jerusha. So father had to give it up. He always wanted me to go to school more, too. It was a disappointment to him that I married so young."

She sat looking thoughtfully out of the narrow-paned window, lost in thought of that far-off time when she was courted and won by Marcus Derring.

Richard, the Greek grammar in his hand, stole softly out of the room and climbed the steep stairway. He went quickly down the long hall and opened a door at the end. The room thus disclosed was a curious one. Across one side ran a sloping shelf, broken at one end by a zinc-lined sink. The other sides of the room were filled with cabinets in which were arranged specimens of rock, chemicals, blowpipes, and many curious contrivances, the use of which Richard could not even guess. In this room Geoffrey Crane had lived and dreamed and died. Here, in the midst of his heritage, the boy sat down to begin the work that should make him what his grandfather would have wished.

But instead of opening the brown-covered book he sat with it in his hand, thinking of the new life its thinking of the new life its pages were to open up to him. Life crowded before him. College—new faces—new friends—study—success. And Emily would be—she would not know—or care. She would marry Edwards. She would not know whether he succeeded or failed. Was it worth while?

Something flashed upon him and startled him. If she had cared, he should not now be planning a new life.

"I should have been as happy as Uncle Eben," he thought with a half smile.

To-day he did not resent the implied disloyalty to his idol. He was not thinking of her so much as of Love, the power that holds all men in its grasp and bends them to its will, till each soul longs for nothing so much as that Love shall take human shape and dwell beside him. Dimly it flitted before him—luminous but indefinable—filling him with wonder. Uncle Eben married the woman he loved and his life had been dwarfed. Seth Kinney lost the woman he loved, and his life was warped, distorted, and spoiled. Was it fate? Life without love was hard and cold. He opened the grammar and began to read. "Sixteen Greek letters—viz.:

a, g, b, e, i, o, d, k, l, m, n, p, r, s, t, u

were introduced into Phoenicia by Cadmus fifteen hundred years before Christ."

"Well, Perhaps It Is the Best Thing to Do."

CHAPTER V.

At breakfast next morning his mother faced him over her coffee-cup, stern and less ready. "I have been going over the accounts all night." She spoke in a voice that was half complaint. "I don't see how we can manage it. The interest is a hundred and eighty-six and the taxes thirty-five, and there is never anything left at the end of the year, even as it is now." She looked at him, her dark eyes weary with the night's work.

His own eyes flashed back a still light. "I shall do it some way, mother. Don't worry."

She shook her head, choking back something in her throat. "Your father would have wanted you to—if he had lived—" She rose quickly and turned away to the pantry.

When she came back her eyes were shining again.

He looked at her, smiling. "You'll find that Tom makes twice as much off the farm as I ever have. You'll be rich."

"There's the schooling," she said anxiously.

"I shall earn it." His lips came together. The dreamy look in his eyes was replaced by one of shrewd determination.

His mother's glance followed him admiringly. She rose from the table and began to clear away the dishes. Her step was light.

"And if I find I can't study and earn, too, I'll stop till I get enough to go on. It isn't as if I were good for much—" He looked at her, waiting.

"No, no—have your way. You've never asked for what you hadn't ought to have. It's true enough you'll never be a farmer." She stood for a moment, one hand holding the plates and cups, the other resting on the table, looking at him fondly. Then she turned brusquely away to the sink.

He took down his cap from its nail and went out into the clear light, whistling. Particles of frost glinted in the air. They formed on the edge of his upturned collar and fur cap and deepened the down of his lip. He blew them aside with a laugh. Taking the ax from the shed, down the lane he strode, the crusted earth crunching beneath his vigorous tread. The ax was shifted from side to side, as he walked, and the free arm swung across his chest. He struck into the wood-road with a song and hallooed to the stillness. The love-sick boy of yesterday was gone. Taking off his cap he called and sang till the blue-jays forgot to be frightened and hovered, curious, in the trees overhead. He took off his cap to them, looking up through the tree-tops to the blue shimmer of sky. He swung the cap around his head and they darted away—a blue and white clatter of sound. He replaced it, laughing softly.

The earth was alive. He reached out to the bushes as he passed, trailing the budded stems through his fingers and brushing the purple-brown oak leaves with swiftest touch. When he came to the tree that he was to cut he ran his palm up and down its rough bark before he seized his ax and swung it clear from his shoulder. The blows rang even and hard, and with every blow he drove home the first declension of the Greek grammar.

Every day found him at work in the woods. Soon Tom Bishop joined him and the cross-cut saw flashed to its work in the trunks. Richard, to the tune of its monotonous seesaw, sang Greek verbs and declined nouns—till Tom caught the rhythm and chanted declensions in sheer self-defence. At night when he repeated the strange sounds proudly to his little wife she looked at him in delight—but half in fear that he would grow away from her. She counted jealously the days that must elapse before the sledding should be done.

The fame of Richard's learning went abroad through the land. All the world knew that Seth Kinney was "learning him Greek." The old man came often to the wood-lot to hear him recite. Sitting on a fallen log, he would repeat long, rolling lines of poetry that the choppers repeated after him, to the rhythm of the saw, till the still, cold light was alive with tumbling Greek. Perhaps the blue-jays, flitting among the treetops, heard the news and told it to the crows; and the crows of the open field called to the snowbirds and sparrows; and the snowbirds lisped it to the chickadees; and the chickadees, turning upside down on the orchard trees, twittered to the hens running to and fro and cackling everywhere. Or it may be that Tom's wife told her mother. In any case, the whole village knew it. And, perhaps, it was a little balm to Richard's heart—if balm it needed—as he swung by her lighted window at night to know that she knew.

With Every Blow He Drove Home the First Declension of the Greek Grammar.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

DECEIVED BY THE SHADOWS

Discovery That Must Have Come as a Great Relief to the Young Lawyer.

One rainy day recently, a young lawyer, thinking he would like to take a little flyer in stocks, called at the office of his broker, who happened to be his most intimate friend. When he reached the office a new clerk whom he had never seen before told him that the broker was engaged, but would be at liberty in a few minutes. While sitting idly in the waiting room the young lawyer noticed something that made his eyes almost drop out. The gloom of the day necessitated the use of artificial light in the broker's private office. Silhouetted upon the ground glass partition between the two rooms the lawyer saw the shadows of a man and a woman. They were both seated, the broker at his desk and the woman beside and facing him. Every moment or so the lips of the shadows seemed to meet affectionately. Something about the profile of the woman struck the lawyer as strangely familiar. He rose instantly and threw open the door. Sure enough it was his wife, but she was sitting decorously in a chair two or three feet from the broker, but almost in line with him, engaged in an animated discussion.

Both looked up at the intrusion, but without the least embarrassment.

"Why, hello, Tom!" exclaimed the broker. "Your wife here thinks she would like to speculate a little, too, and I've been using all my eloquence to dissuade her from it. What's the matter? Are you ill?"

"No," answered the lawyer, as he dropped into a chair with an air of great relief. "My eyes have been bothering me a good deal to-day. Do you know a good oculist?"

Influence of "Thee" and "Thou."

In a little essay in a contemporary on the "Sweet Girl Graduate" we find the following: "A young woman who has just graduated from a private school conducted by Friends is proving the truth of the report which has made this school popular and financially successful. From a quick-tempered, sharp-tongued girl she has developed into a mild-mannered, soft-spoken young woman whose serenity is never ruffled, apparently. She says that it was due to the fact that during her stay at the boarding school she was compelled to use the quaint language of the Friends, and that she found it impossible to be cross when saying 'thee' and 'thou.' If this item is widely copied, there will be a demand for a Quaker young ladies' seminary in every town that is without one."

Saintly "Guide."

An Englishman having business in a certain Danish town arrived at the railway station. He inquired of a group of men standing near the way to the house he wanted, whereupon one of them offered to go with him and show him. With recollections of what such a service meant in England, he said: "I don't want a guide." "But surely you asked us to show you the way," said one of them. "Yes, but I don't want a guide." "My dear sir, I am not a guide; I am the bishop."

NEW RAILWAYS IN CENTRAL CANADA

AMERICAN SETTLERS WELCOME AND DOING WELL.

The Portland Oregonian, of Portland, Oregon, published a cartoon on the immigration of U. S. people to Canada, in its issue of October 5, 1909. The picture was accompanied by the following article:

"Losing American Citizens. The exodus of American farmers to Canada continues to be a phenomenon of the first importance. More of them are crossing the border this fall than ever before, and they are flocking from all parts of the country. Formerly it was the Middle West alone which thus lost the heart of its citizenship. Now all sections of the Union suffer alike. The regret which we cannot help feeling over the migration of many thousands of excellent citizens has an economic side which causes some concern. The 70,000 farmers who will go to Canada to live this fall will take with them some $70,000,000 in cash and effects. This is by no means a negligible sum, and makes a very appreciable drain on our resources. But, of course, the most serious loss is the men themselves and their families, who have forsaken the land of the free and the home of the brave to dwell under the rule of a monarch.

Why do they go? Naturally the cheap and fertile land of Western Canada attracts them. Each emigrant goes with a reasonable expectation of bettering his fortune. Indeed, in a few years he may grow rich through the abundant crops he can raise and the increase of land values. But perhaps that is not the sole reason for the astonishing migration. There is a common notion abroad that in Canada life and property are appreciably safer than they are here. Murders are not so frequent, and are more speedily and surely punished. Mobs and the so-called 'unwritten law' are virtually unknown in Canada. Again the law is a vastly more ascertainable entity there. Canada does not permit its judges to veto acts of the legislative body. When a statute has been enacted it is known to be the law of the land until it is repealed. this naturally imparts to Canadian civilization a security and stability which we have not yet attained.

"We must remember, in the same connection, that the Canadian protective tariff is far less exorbitant than ours, and much less boldly arranged for the benefit of special favorites. Hence there is an impression, very widely diffused, that the Canadians are not so wickedly robbed by the trusts as we are in this country. Reasons like these sufficiently account for the exodus of a body of citizens, whom we can ill afford to lose, but they do not much assuage our regret that they cannot be retained in the United States."

Speaking of this, a Canadian Government representative says that the Americans who cross the border are most welcome. The splendid areas of virgin soil, a large quantity of which is given away as free homesteads, lie close to existing railways and to those under construction. The railway lines that are assisting in this development are the Canadian Pacific, the Canadian Northern and the Grand Trunk Pacific. The latter is built entirely on Canadian soil, and has opened up a wonderful stretch of land. Along this line during the year about closed thousands of American settlers have made their homes. They have built the towns, and immediately began as factors in the building up of the great Canadian West.

Agents of the Government are located in various cities throughout the United States who will be pleased to give any information that may be desired to further the interest of the setler.

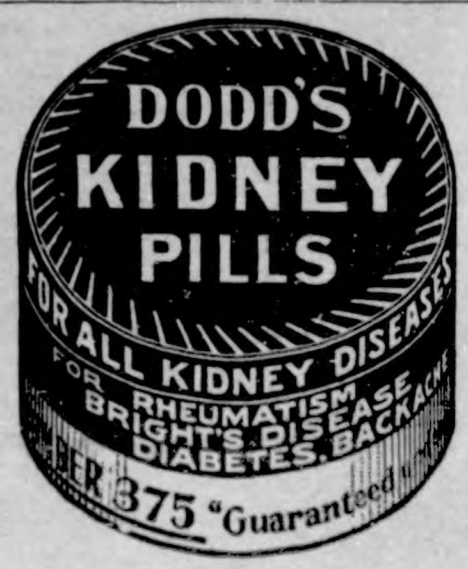
Was a Father, Too.

"Say, Mr. Editor, I'm the father of twins."

"All right; we'll put it in the paper under the head of 'Double Tragedy.'"

"I'm tired of that not-much-of-anything flavor." "I'm fond of that delicious Wrigley's Spearmint flavor."

Flattery is turned to good account when used as a guidepost to all one ought to be.—Sample.



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MORE LOCAL NEWS

Dr Edgar Zinn was at Thompson one day last week.

Born—Dec. 2nd, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. John Bachman, a son.

Prof. I. E. Missman, principal of the Hayfield schools, visited here last Friday night with his brother, Dr. Missman.

The regular subscription price of the Chicago Daily Farmers and Drovers Journal is $4 per year, but we have made arrangements whereby we can furnish that paper and the Klemme Times both one year for $4.05. The Chicago F. and D. Journal twice-a-week, and the Times, both one year for $2.05. The Journal once a week and the Times, both one year for $1.55.

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MRS. JOHN JOSTEN

W. R. Bloom returned last week Wednesday from Chicago, where he took in the International Live Stock Show. He had an enjoyable trip and saw some of the finest stock in the world

In sending a remittance to pay his subscription to this family journal, John Braund of De-Soto, Wis., reports that he is the happy papa of a new baby boy, born Dec. 1st. He says they like their new home at De-Soto very much and he has a good position there.

Dr. Zinn has on exhibition at his office some post card views taken at the Will Lewis farm home east of town. They are reproductions of his fine herd of Short-Horn cattle, headed by Secret's Best. They certainly make a beautiful picture.

The Des Moines Capital and the Klemme Times will be sent to any address from now until Jan. 1, 1911, on receipt of $2.85. This is an exceptionally liberal offer and should be taken advantage of at once to secure its full benefits. If you have already paid in advance for the Times, ask for our rate on the Capital. Call at this office today and get a daily paper for the winter's reading.

Another Small Freeze

The Dumont Journal reports that a baby girl was born to John Freeze and wife on Nov. 16th.

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Those indebted to the undersigned are requested to call and settle at once. F. H. Ridder

Gail Bloom went to Belmond Tuesday evening for a visit with Miss Bessie Ely, returning yesterday.

Little Verner Turgasen is visiting at the home of his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kluckhohn.

Mrs. A. A. Scott left Tuesday night for her home in Vinton, after visiting here at the home of her son, J. W Scott.

Dr. W. F. Missman was called to Charles City last week Tuesday to give expert testimony on a forgery case before the district court at that place. He returned Wednesday morning.

Being obliged to take it for rent I will sell it out cheap;
Dr. Hess Stock Food.
Dr. Hess Poultry Panacea.
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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Waterman left Saturday evening for Luzern, Iowa, called there by the death of a nephew.

Frank Gruetzmacher, Aug. Lau, Albert Koerner, H. C. Lau, and John Gruetzmacher had business at the county seat Tuesday.

New subscribers added to our list during the past week are J. E. Harlan, John Nissen and Frank Robey. H. Griesemer and H. J. Stille are among those who renewed for another year.

G. W. Kluckhohn and wife returned home Saturday evening from Buffalo Center, to which place their children, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Turgasen, have just moved from Swea City. Louie now has charge of the Rock Island station at Buffalo Center.

Don't fail to read our new holiday ads this week. The merchants who spend their good money to place their announcements before you are the ones who deserve your patronage. Any of our advertisers are reliable dealers and can furnish you reliable goods. The new ads this week are—State Savings Bank, First National Bank. G. A. Pabst & Co, G. W. Kluckhohn, Mrs Josten, Arthur Wellemeyer, A. Kirkwood & Son. Don't fail to read these ads.

Notice

The undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted by John E. Griewe.

HENRY GRIEWE,
FRED GRIEWE.

Melinda Musfelt is on the sick list.

We notice that our old friend, Nic Glesener, has purchased the Granville (Iowa) Gazette, and he starts out like an old hand at the business. We can just see Nic leaning back in the office chair with his shapely feet reposing on the exchange table and a big black cigar resting gracefully between his lips. Nic ought to make a successful editor as he has an inexhaustible supply of wind and energy. Here's looking at you, N. J. and we wish you unbounded success.

Have you bought a new broom recently? If not, you have a delightful surprise in store for you. The price of brooms has taken a horrible advance and our dealers tell us that brooms which have been selling for 25 cents will have to retail at 50 to 55 cents in the future—and it is hard to get them at any price. Failure of the broom corn crop in Oklahoma is given as the cause—together with the usual trust tactics. So be careful of your broom and sweep only when it is absolutely necessary.

The wise person is the one who does his Christmas shopping early before the big rush and while the lines are most complete. A glance at our advertising columns will tell you where to buy the most desirable gifts for the whole family—gifts ornamental as well as useful. Read these ads carefully and buy early. Klemme merchants are well supplied with Holiday Goods of every description at very reasonable prices and are entitled to your patronage. Remember there are only thirteen more shopping days before Christmas.

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H. H. Hallett has sold the Meservey Messenger to a young man from Peterson, Iowa. We wish the new proprietor success.

To the ladies of Klemme and vicinity—I will do plain or fancy sewing at reasonable price. Mrs. S. L Sage. Call at residence of Mrs. Flint.

Every parent, every school officer and everyone interested in the public school should read the article on our first page this week, over the signature of A. M. Deyoe, County Supt.

German M. E. Church Items

Mrs. W. F. Stille was in Garner Tuesday between trains.

We will give an illustrated lecture Sunday evening on "The rum rebellion."

Mrs. Wessel was in Garner Tuesday to have some dental work attended to.

Henry Griffen and family went to Garner Tuesday to have their picture taken. The weather being so cold it must have been difficult to look nice, at least if they felt the cold as we did.

Mrs. Schwab, well known to many in this community and a sister to Wm. Beier, died at her home in Waterloo, Sunday. Wm Beier and his son, H. C., attended the funeral which was held on Tuesday.

Leonard Sampson and Elmer Ludeke left for Chicago Saturday evening to take in the Fat Cattle Exhibition and get acquainted with the "Windy City."

Jacob Goeller left Wednesday for his old home in Baden, Germany. He has been in this country four years and became anxious to see his kin folks once more.

The revival meetings were discontinued last Sunday evening on account of the inclement weather Considering the disagreeable weather, the attendance was very good and much interest was manifested by those who got out. Rev. W. H. Klaus of Garner assisted us three evenings last week.

Last Sunday was the first blizzard of the winter. Traveling was anything but pleasant, as the roads were about as rough as they could well be. In Klemme the services were well attended both morning and evening, but in Germantown there were just enough to claim the gospel promises.

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Anna—Yes, I saw them, but I am going to get my fellow a nice case Pipe for Christmas.

Mary—Oh, I am going to get my fellow a jar of Moa Cigars for $1.00 with 25 of the best cigars in it.

Anna—Yes, and we are going to get some of Kirkwood's Home Bakery Goods for Christmas dinner.

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MESSAGE READ TO CONGRESS

Needed Legislation Outlined by President Taft.

WORKINGS OF TARIFF ACT

Maximum and Minimum Clause Discussed—Practability of Postal Savings Banks Considered to Be Beyond Question.

Washington.—The message of the president to congress may be summarized as follows:

The relations of the United States to all foreign governments, with the exception of the unfortunate embroilment with Nicaragua, are declared satisfactory. That our friendly relations with Mexico have been cemented by the recent meeting of the presidents of the two republics is evidenced by the following passage in the message:

My meeting with President Diaz and the greeting exchanged on both American and Mexican soil served, I hope, to signalize the close and cordial relations which so well bind together this republic and the great republic immediately to the south, between which there is so vast a network of material interests.

A system providing for the pensioning of civil servants is favored.

The message makes mention that criminal prosecutions against unworthy government officers in connection with sugar trust custom house frauds are going forward.

The message says:

I regret to refer to the fact of the discovery of extensive frauds in the collection of the customs revenue at New York city, in which a number of the subordinate employes in the weighing and other departments were directly concerned, and in which the beneficiaries were the American Sugar Refining Company and others. The frauds consisted in the payment of duty on underweights of sugar. The government has recovered from the American Sugar Refining Company all that it is shown to have been defrauded of. The sum was received in full of the amount due, which might have been recovered by civil suit against the beneficiary of the fraud, but there was an express reservation in the contract of settlement by which the settlement should not interfere with, or prevent the criminal prosecution of everyone who was found to be subject to the same.

On the question of the tariff the president reassures the country as to possibility of tariff war over the maximum and minimum clause in the bill. He asks the people to have confidence that the chief executive will tactfully carry out the provisions of the measure.

Quoting the plank of the platform on which the Republican candidate was elected, the message declares the intention of the administration to uphold every principle of law, but condemns the issuance of hasty injunctions.

Deficit in the postoffice department, the president declares, is due to the undercharging of second-class mail matter, he being of the opinion that such matter does not pay its due share toward expenses.

The president continues:

The deficit every year in the postoffice department is largely caused by the low rate of postage of 1 cent a pound charged on second-class mail matter, which includes not only newspapers but magazines and miscellaneous periodicals. The actual loss growing out of the transmission of this second-class mail matter at 1 cent a pound amounts to about $63,000,000 a year. The average cost of the transportation of this matter is more than 9 cents a pound.

It appears that the average distance over which newspapers are delivered to their customers is 291 miles, while the average haul of magazines is 1,049, and of miscellaneous periodicals 1,128 miles. Thus, the average haul of the magazine is three and one-half times and that of the miscellaneous periodical nearly four times the haul of the daily newspaper, yet all of them pay the same postage rate of 1 cent a pound. The statistics of 1907 show that second-class mail matter constituted 63.91 per cent of the weight of all the mail, and yielded only 5.19 per cent of the revenue.

The figures given are startling, and show the payment by the government of an enormous subsidy to the newspapers, magazines and periodicals, and congress may well consider whether radical steps should not be taken to reduce the deficit in the post-office department caused by this discrepancy between the actual cost of transportation and the compensation exacted therefor.

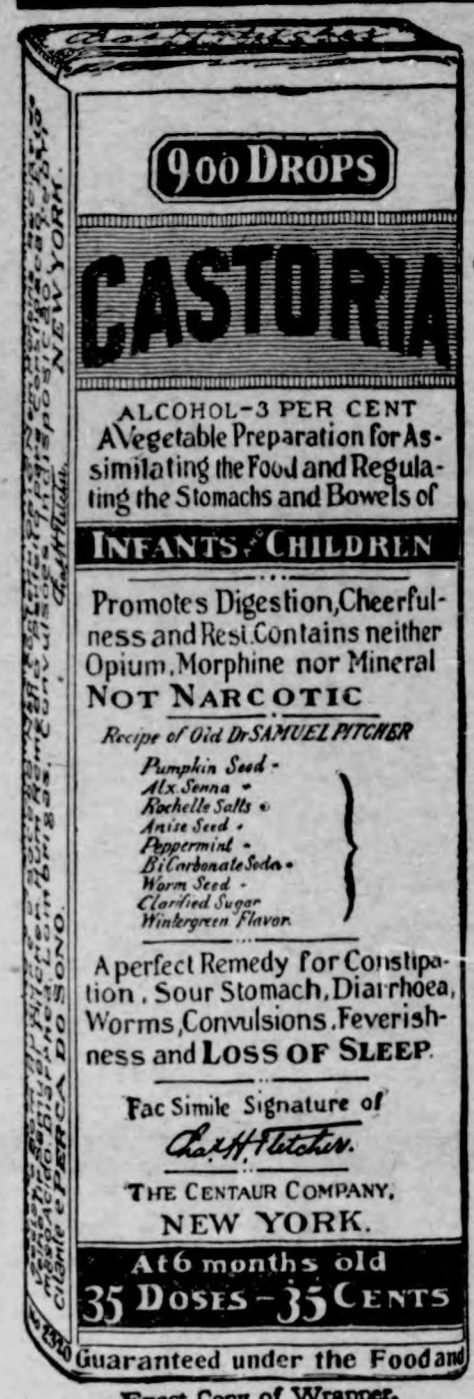
A great saving might be made, amounting to much more than half of the loss, by imposing upon magazines and periodicals a higher rate of postage.

The immediate institution of postal savings banks is recommended.

An earnest recommendation is made for the passage of a ship subsidy bill.

With the urging of legislation looking to the conservation of our national resources, the message concludes:

"I urgently recommend to congress that a law be passed requiring that candidates in elections of members of the house of representatives and committees in charge of their candidacy and campaign file in a proper office of the United States government a statement of the contributions received and of the expenditures incurred in the campaign for such elections and that similar legislation be enacted in respect to all other elections which are constitutionally within the control of congress."



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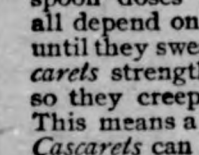

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Late Oats.

Northern section—First, Fred Harker Milford; second, Arthur McArthur, ason City; third Ellsworth Harker, ilford.

North central section—First, A. J. oore, Greene; second, R. W. Breckridge Clarion; third E. B. Glenny, nion; fourth, Henry George, West nion.

South central section—First, Frank ouba, Blairstown; second, R. M. McCarty, Hartwick; third, Andy Kirsch, arroll; fourth, John Justice Ankeny.

Southern section—First, Ed B rites, Oakville; second, D. C. Bakehouse, Sigourney; third, C. B. Malone, Atlantic.

Sweepstakes — Fred McCulloch, Hartwick.

Early Oats.

Northern section—First Arthur McArthur, Mason City; second, Fred Harker, Milford.

North central section—First, Anton Nelson, Goldfield; second, A. C. Hanson, Goldfield.

South central section—First, Fred McCulloch Hartwick; second, John Burgy, South Amana; third, John Sundberg, Whiting.

Southern section—First, A. L. Houston, Red Oak; second, A. F. Maxwell, Crawfordsville.

Sweepstakes—Ed R. Trites, Oakville.

Large Oats Other Than White.

North and north central section—First H. A. McCaffree, Janesville; second, McArthur & Sons, Mason City.

South and south central section—First, Andy Kirsch, Carroll; second, Henry Burgy, Conroy.

Sweepstakes—Andy Kirsch, Conroy; reserve, H. A. McCaffree, Janesville.

Grand champion sweepstakes classes I and J—J. W. Coverdale, Elwood; reserve, Fred McCulloch, Hartwick.

Best Bushel Oats.

First—Fred McCulloch, Hartwick; second, R. M. Doore, Greene; third G. S. Redhead, Des Moines.

Winter Wheat.

North and north central section—First, Beck Bros., Danville; second, H. N. Wood, Iowa Falls.

South central section—First, John Justice Ankeny; second, John Sundberg, Whiting.

Southern section—First, C. E. Malone, Atlantic.

Sweepstakes—Henry George, West Union.

Spring Wheat.

Northern section—First, Frank Harker, Milford.

North central section—First, H. N. Wood, Iowa Falls.

South central section—First Fred McCulloch, Hartwick; second, Andy Kirsch, Carroll.

Southern section—First, D. C. Bakehouse, Sigourney.

Sweepstakes — John Justice, Ankeny; reserve, Frank Harker, Milford.

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South central section—First, C. K. Grear, Monticello.

Southern section—First, C. E. Malone, Atlantic.

Sweepstakes — Fred McCulloch Hartwick; reserve, W. S. Wood, Iowa Falls.

Red Clover.

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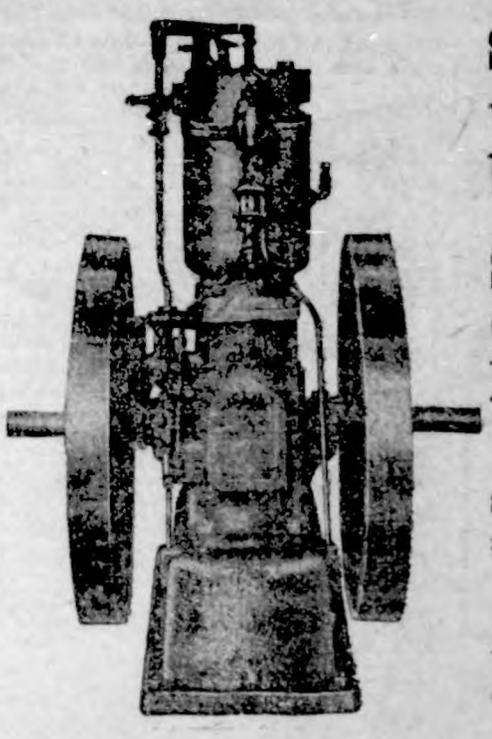

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The new fall hats, like all their predecessors, are fearfully and wonderfully made, says an exchange. The perimeter makes the skypiece of the most fastidious Mexican greaser look sick. The horizon is so far from the center of attraction that only good eyesight of the wearer can discern what's going on out beyond the area of the milliner's creation. This season the old peach basket of last spring has been spread out and its reach is almost to the Utah, where Cook cached his supplies and Peary stole them. But what do we men care what the shapes are or the plans and specifications upon which milady's aureole is built? No matter what its lines and lineaments, she is divine, anyway. But men folks would sicken and die if they were denied the sweet boon of poking fun at the ever changing scene presented by the female lid, which lures more coin from the purse than the interest on the national debt. It contributes to the gaiety of nations and adds variety and spice to life. On with the hat and let joy be unconfined, as Lord Byron would have said had hats instead of dancing been under consideration.

All Steel Passenger Coaches

The first delivery on an order for all steel passenger coaches placed by Rock Island Lines has just been received and many of the through trains have been equipped.

The cars have a seating capacity of eighty, the seats are handsomely upholstered in green plush, having high backs, and the arm rests are of Mexican mahogany as are also the window trimmings. Double windows are provided, and just above, a pane of prismatic glass. Lavatory facilities are ample, fittings being of white porcelain and the walls enameled in white.

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TIME TABLE.

Rock Island System

Klemme, Iowa.

Going South.

436	.....	7:34 p. m.
82	.....	2:35 p. m.

Going North.

81	.....	9:55 a. m.
435	.....	1:46 p. m.

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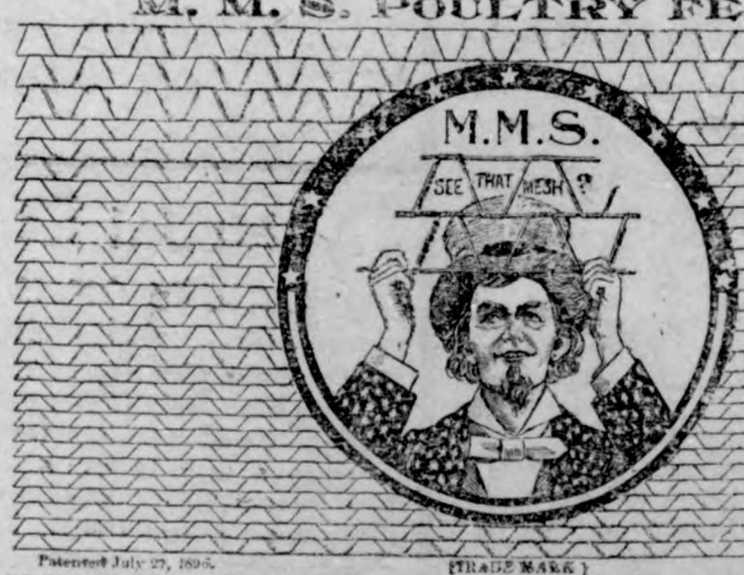

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THE KLEMME TIMES

VOLUME XIV. NUMBER 20 KLEMME, IOWA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1909. $1 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

HAVE WIFE AND BABY PROTECTED WITH A BANK ACCOUNT

ON CHRISTMAS it is generally expected that you present your wife and baby with a gift of some kind, Why would it not be a good plan to present them with a savings account?

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On and after January 1, 1910, the subscription price of the Klemme Times will be raised to $1.25 per year, except when paid in advance, in which case the price will remain at $1.00 per year. This move is necessary on our part on account of the big advance in all other lines, especially the price of paper.

Also, papers mailed to parties living outside the county must be paid for in advance, or we will be compelled to cut them off the list. We have lost a few hundred dollars by reason of extending credit on our foreign list.

These new rules need not make your paper cost you a cent more than it has in the past and will help us to meet our obligations better and more promptly. Hoping that these new regulations meet with your approval, we are yours for a successful year 1910. PUBLISHER.

PUBLIC AUCTION

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction at the farm 6½ miles southwest of Klemme, 8 miles northwest of Goodell and 1½ miles northeast of Bailey's Grove, on

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 22, 1909,

commencing at ten o'clock a. m. the following:

Two horses,
15 head of Cattle, 10 of which are milch cows.
33 head of Shoats.
Lot of Farm Machinery.
1700 bu. corn in crib.
Free Lunch at Noon.

Terms—$10 and under cash; over $10 ten months' time at 8 per cent.

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Rich Men's Gifts Are Poor

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PRIZES FOR CORN

Iowa State College Corn Contest, Ames, Iowa, January 3-15, 1910.

This contest is to be held during the Annual Short Course in stock and grain judging. Several thousand dollars in premiums will be given for corn. Everyone is invited to send corn. No entry fee charged and a good prize for every exhibitor whether a premium winner or not. For premium list and full particulars address P. C. Taff, Ames, Iowa.

Alone in Saw Mill at Midnight

unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W J Atkins worked as Night Watchman at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle," he writes, "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe colds, stubborn coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs, hemorrhages, croup and whooping cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by G. A. Pabst & Co.

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SOUNDS LIKE A FAIRY TALE

THE FARMERS OF CENTRAL CANADA REAP WHEAT AND RICHES.

Up in the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the provinces that compose Central Canada have such a quantity of land suitable for the growth of small grains, which grow so abundantly, and yield so handsomely that no fear need be feared of a wheat famine on this Continent. The story reproduced below is only one of the hundreds of proofs that could be produced to show the results that may be obtained from cultivation of the lands in these provinces. Almost any section of the country will do as well.

With the country recently opened by the Grand Trunk Pacific, the latest of the great transcontinental lines to enter the field of the development of the Canadian West, there is afforded added ample opportunity to do as was done in the case cited below:

To buy a section of land, break it up and crop it, make $17,550 out of the yield and $10,880 out of the increase of value all within the short period of two years, was the record established by James Bailey, a well known farmer within a few miles of Regina. Mr. Bailey bought the 640 acres of land near Grand Coulee two years ago. He immediately prepared the whole section for crop and this year has 600 acres of wheat and 40 acres of oats. The wheat yielded 19,875 bushels, and the oats yielded 4,750 bushels. The whole of the grain has been marketed and Mr. Bailey is now worth $17,550 from the grain alone. He bought the land at $18 an acre, and the other day refused an offer of $35 an acre, just a $17 advance for the time of his purchase. The land cost $11,320 in the first instance. Here are the figures of the case.—Land cost, 640 acres, at $18, $11,320. Wheat yielded 19,875 bushels, at 84 cents a bushel, $16,695. Oats yielded 4,750 bushels at 28 cents a bushel, $855. Offered for land, 640 acres at $35 an acre, $22,400. Increase value of land, $10,880. Total earnings of crop, $17,550, together with increase in value of land a total of $28,540.

It is interesting to note the figures of the yield per acre. The wheat yielded 33½ bushels to the acre, and oats 118.7 bushels to the acre. The figures are a fair indication of the average throughout the district.

Agents of the Canadian Government in the different cities will be pleased to give you information as to rates, etc.

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Landlady—This is a bronze turkey.

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Cleanses the System Effectually;
Dispels colds and Headaches due to Constipation;
Acts naturally, acts truly as a Laxative.
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JEWELS RETURNED

Des Moines Woman Finds and Returns Boone Gems.

SENT BACK BY ADAMS EXPRESS

A Professional Woman Picked Up Handbag of Mrs. John Reynolds Last September in Boone Depot.

Boone, Ia., Dec. 13—A Des Moines woman has returned the bag of jewels valued at $5,000, lost by Mrs. John Reynolds last September in the Chicago & North-Western waiting room and received in return a check from John Reynolds of several hundred dollars reward.

The greatest mystery has surrounded the return of the jewels and the name of the woman who returned them is being kept a closely guarded secret. It is known, however, that she is a professional woman with classes in Boone and Fort Dodge. She also has relatives in Sioux City.

The story is that the Des Moines woman entered the waiting room after the departure of Mrs. Reynolds, saw the bag, picked it up and noted the contents. Her own train was leaving at once and she carried the bag with her, first to Fort Dodge, then to Sioux City, where she was going on a visit. In Sioux City she placed the bag and jewels in a safety deposit vault. When her visit there was completed she returned to Des Moines, bringing the jewels with her. When she returned she learned of the Reynolds' loss and wrote to Mr. Reynolds telling of her find and asking him to describe the lost property. Mr. Reynolds at once wrote to Mrs. Reynolds, who is visiting in Hiawatha, Kan., got an itemized statement of the missing jewels and forwarded the same to the Des Moines woman. She replied that they were identical with those she had. A reward was offered her for their return and Friday morning by American Express the jewels came to Poone, arriving shortly after noon. Mr. Reynolds at once forwarded a check, of generous proportions, reputed to be several hundred dollars as a reward.

To Aid Lutheran Churches.

Iowa City.—The advisory board of home missions of the English Lutheran synod of Iowa has begun an organized effort to help the churches of that denomination in the state. The effort is the result of the meeting that has been in progress in Iowa City for the past few days. The reports at this meeting showed that active measures had been taken during the past year for the help of the weaker parishes of the state and plans were made for the coming year which involve the expenditure of about $2,000 in different parts of Iowa.

Des Moines Man Made President.

Iowa City.—The advisory board of the home missions of the English Lutheran synod of Iowa, in convention in Iowa City, elected the following officers for the year of 1909-1910: President, Rev. A. B. Leamer Des Moines; secretary, Rev. Dr. W. H. Blancke, Davenport; treasurer, W. H. Bailey, Iowa City. The other members of the board present were Rev. H. M. Leech, Dubuque and W. W. Witmer, layman, Des Moines.

Foster Son Wins Estate.

Hampton.—Emery Stiles, foster son of the late E. S. Stiles, was declared sole heir of an estate of $20,000 left by his foster mother after several days spent in a trial of a case brought by relatives of the late Mrs. Stiles on the ground that the property could not go to the young man because he never was legally adopted.

Bad Fire Near Fort Dodge.

Fort Dodge.—The $100,000 plant of the Corn Belt Packing Company, three miles south of this city was destroyed by fire, which is believed to have originated in the cold storage department from a lighted pipe left in the coat pocket of a workman. The loss was covered by $20,000 insurance

Iowa Defeats Nebraska.

Iowa City—Iowa won the debate on the income tax question with Nebraska at Iowa City by a decision of two to one. Iowa supported the affirmative.

Ex-Policeman Blows Head Off.

Cedar Rapids.—Frank Janko, formerly a member of the police department, blew his head off with a shot gun while despondent. He was well known here.

Mason City Man Injured.

Mason City.—William Nettleton, fell on the icy sidewalk and had to be taken home. His injuries to his spine are said to be serious.

The Fair Men Make Plans.

Des Moines Iowa.—The establishment of a manufacturing building at the state f grounds, the buying of grounds for county fairs by the county fair associations, the inauguration of separate horse shows in the various counties, the introduction of dairy shows into the regular program of the county and state fairs and the general improvement of country conditions were some of the policies advocated by the members of the State Association of Fair Managers in their annual meeting and banquet. After the conclusion of the business meeting the officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

President—James Nowak of Malcolm.

Vice President—J. W. Edmunds of Mount Pleasant.

Secretary and Treasurer—W. C. Clarke of Marshalltown re-elected.

Great encouragement was given to the fair movement, both in the state and in the counties by Attorney General Byers who addressed the members informally for a few minutes. Mr. Byers declared that he believed that a great work is being done by the fair movement towards bettering the social conditions over the state.

John Simpson, secretary of the state agricultural board, asserted that it is a mistaken idea that the state fair is ruining the county fairs. Instead, he declared, the state fair is encouraging the county fairs and making them more successful.

Others who spoke to the members of the association were W. R. Mellor, secretary of the Nebraska department of agriculture, on "The Fair Official" and Prof. Wayne Dinsmore of Ames on "Stock Judging." Mr. Dinsmore advocated the making of a uniform rating for all cattle and stock in all of the county fairs, in order that the results at the various fairs be compared. His suggestion was adopted by the association and will be carried out in the future.

Emmert Memorial.

Atlantic.—The Case County Medical society at its meeting in this city elected officers for the ensuing year. They are: President, Dr. Maynard, Adair; vice president, Dr. Morris, Atlantic; secretary and threasurer, Dr. Max Emmert, Atlantic; delegate, Dr. Stultz, Wiota; censors, Drs. Weaver of Cumberland, Morris of Atlantic and Thompson of Marne.

The principal business of the session was the memorial to the late Dr. Emmert of this city, who at the time of his death was a member of the board of parole and pardons and who was founder of the Cass County society and the Botna Valley Medical society.

Stork Brings Tiny Baby.

Marshalltown.—Swathed in cotton and carefully covered with hot water bottles, which form a homemade incubator, there is a curiosity at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dennis of this city, in the shape of a three pound baby girl. The little one appears to be perfectly well and is able to take nourishment from a medicine dropper. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis moved here recently from Woodward, where they were engaged in the hotel business.

Man Danced on Red Hot Stove.

Waterloo.—After suffering the agonies of death seven days David Lynch died of burns sustained in the Bremer county jail at Waverly. During an attack of delirium tremens Lynch divested himself of clothing, danced on top of a red-hot stove until the flesh dropped from his feet and then hugged the stove until his body was seared.

Dubuque Company Sued.

Dubuque.—Suit has been filed in the district court by Mrs. Julia Livingstone claiming of the Union Electric company $2,000 damages, alleged to have been sustained by reason of injuries accruing from the sudden starting of one of the company's cars as the plaintiff was about to alight, she being thrown to the ground.

Graded Cream Too High.

Newton.—C. Bishop & Co. have appealed from the decision of Justice Allfree, by which they were fined $25 for alleged violation of the pure food law. The company is charged with testing cream too high. They tested cream at 25 per cent butter fat when it was only 19.

Denison Plans to Pave.

Denison—Denison has decided to make great improvements during the coming year. The initiative was taken at a meeting of the business men when it was agreed to build a $25,000 opera house next year and to take preliminary steps for paving the principal streets.

New Boat Line for Des Moines.

Ottumwa.—Business men here and at Keokuk have raised money enough to re-establish a steamboat line on the Des Moines river, connecting with the other lines at Keokuk.

SUFFERED TERRIBLY.

How Relief from Distressing Kidney Trouble Was Found.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wolf, 388 W. Morgan St., Tipton, Mo., says: "Inflammation of the bladder reached its climax last spring and I suffered terribly. My back ached and pained so I could hardly get around and the secretions were scanty, frequent of passage and painful. I was tired all the time and very nervous. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and after taking a few boxes was cured and have been well ever since."

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WESTERN CANADA

What Governor Deneen, of Illinois, Says About It:

Governor Deneen, of Illinois, owns [illegible] tion of land in Saskatchewan, Canada. He has said in an interview:

"As an American I am delighted to see the remarkable progress of Western Canada. The people are flocking across the boundary into the sands, and I have not met one who admitted he had made a mistake. They are all doing well. There is scarcely a community in the Middle Western States that is not a representative in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta."

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Mary, Queen of Scots, and Bothwell

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This is the love story of a fascinat- wicked woman and of a man who s quite as wicked without being in least fascinating. The woman s Mary Queen of Scots. The man s her husband, James Hepburn, rl of Bothwell.

Mary inherited the crown of Scot- d. In early youth she married ng Francis II. of France. He died d she came back to rule her own untry. The gay, frivolous French urt had just suited Mary's light na- re. With the harsh, grave, quarrel- me Scots who now surrounded her e had nothing in common. She ocked them. They bored her. For te reasons she married her cousin, oung Lord Darnley. He was a big, kward, stupid, weak fellow whom ry grew to despise. He was des- rately afraid of her, and was jealous s well. He had ample cause for both otions. The marriage was unhap- . So was Mary's whole reign. She isliked her people. They distrusted er. From the first everything seemed go wrong.

It was when affairs were at their orst that Bothwell loomed up big on e political horizon. Though of high nk, he was a ruffian adventurer, who ad more than once been mixed up in easonable and other unlawful esca-

A Queen and an Adventurer.

pades. Darnley murdered Rizzio, the queen's elder- y secretary, and in a fit of rage sought Mary's death or imprisonment. Bothwell, with a strong army at his back, interfered in her behalf. He also helped to stir her dislike for Darnley into hatred. Soon afterward Darnley was assassinated. There can be no doubt that Bothwell caused his murder or that Mary knew beforehand what fate the earl had plotted for her young husband. With Darnley out of the way all was clear sailing for Bothwell. He had gained tremendous influence over the queen. Where other men flattered her he bullied her. Where others begged for her favor Bothwell brutally demanded it. He was her master by sheer force of will and rough strength. This sort of man appealed to Mary's fickle heart. She loved him more and more devotedly the more brutal treatment she received at his hands. Whatever orders he gave she meekly obeyed. It was another case of Beauty and the Beast.

Directly after Darnley's murder Bothwell planned a master stroke in his game of courtship and statecraft. As Mary was riding back to Edinburgh on April 24, 1567, from a visit to her infant son (who was afterward James I. of England), Bothwell, at the head of an armed force, met her and carried her away to Dunbar castle. Though this daring act was supposed to be nothing less than a piece of lawless kidnaping, it is more than probable that Mary not only freely consented to the scheme, but had helped to plan it. At any rate, she made no resistance. Bothwell promptly divorced his faithful wife, and on May 15, 1567 (barely three months after Darnley's death), he and Mary were married. Mary had meanwhile made Bothwell duke of Orkney. But he was, to all intents and purposes, the real ruler of Scotland. When he and Mary appeared in public he used to hold his cap in his hand to show he was her subject. But Mary would snatch the cap from him and put it on his head to indicate that he was her equal. He tyrannized over her and behaved toward her with none of the courtesy or deference due her rank. He had apparently won his life's ambition and no longer troubled to show civility to the woman to whom he owed all. But the more cruelly he treated her the more Mary loved him.

The Scotch lords hated Bothwell and had no idea of accepting him as their ruler. They rose in arms and took Mary away from him. She escaped from them disguised as a boy and joined Bothwell. Then the lords marched against the lovers in open warfare. Bothwell, who was as brave as he was brutal, offered to settle the

The End of the Romance.

quarrel by single combat with any champion the lords might name. The challenge was rejected. The queen's followers deserted her. She was at the lords' mercy.

Hemmed in and unable to escape, she kissed Bothwell good-by with many tears and surrendered to her foes. Bothwell, seeing all was lost, deserted her, and, slipping through the enemy's lines, escaped to Norway. There he was captured, and died insane in a Scandinavian prison. Mary was dethroned. She fled for protection to England. There Queen Elizabeth cast her into prison and later had her beheaded.

But, indirectly, the Scotch queen was avenged. Her descendants, the Stuart kings, misruled England and (by their fickleness and other evil qualities inherited from Mary) made that country suffer untold misfortunes.

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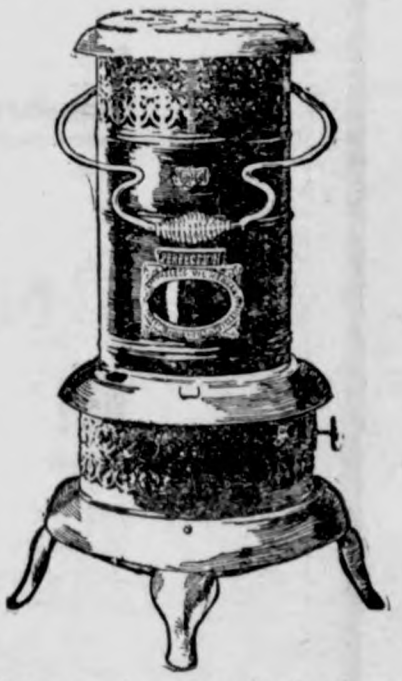

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Train Children For Farm

Trade Schools Have Been Found Good, Why Not Include Teaching of Agriculture?

Prof. Paul Hanus of the Harvard summer school told 500 teachers who are students in the school about the need of the trade school as an extension of the public school to save millions of American children from the calamity of starting in life as unskilled laborers. Starting so, the professor said, means no career.

"All their lives they must be underlings, except in rare instances." The same day or the next, Secretary Wilson was saying in Washington.

"While the population of the United States has been steadily increasing through the usual additions at home and from immigration, the cultivated area of the country is decreasing. Thousands of acres formerly raising products that made the food of the country have gone back to pasturage. The farmers simply cannot get the men to raise crops."

It is by no means a bad idea to teach farming to some of the prospective unskilled laborers. As it is, in the east at any rate, the farmer's boy is apt to see his best chance in learning to be some sort of a mechanic. Skilled labor is everywhere needed.

The problem for the boy of 14 or 15 who expects to work with his hands is to give him the skill to work to advantage. To that end the experts in public education now advocate the establishment of trade schools to give a vocational training to children who now leave the public school at 14. Very well; the plan looks good. But please include farming in the vocations for which training is to be given and try to make that look better as compared with the rival employments. —Harper's Weekly.

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We have an elegant line of Fancy and Souvenir Dishes which we will sell at a big reduction from usual prices. Dishes from 5c up to $3.00. A nice assortment of 10 cent Dishes.

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For Your Xmas Dinner

Oranges, Apples, Grapes, Bananas, Figs, Dates, Cranberries, Nuts, Oysters, Celery, Cabbage, etc. etc.

We can't begin to tell it all here. You are cordially invited to call and examine our Xmas goods. We wish you all a very Merry Christmas.

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HAVING decided to go out of business, we have disposed of our Hardware stock to Gruetzmacher Bros and our Groceries to J. W. Waterman, and we desire to extend our thanks to our many friends and customers who have patronized us so liberally. Our business relations have been very satisfactory and will be remembered with pleasure. Again thanking you for your valued trade, we are

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MORE LOCAL NEWS

Henry Medaus was at Garner on business Saturday.

Lawrence Larsen has purchased a new Oliver typewriter.

Edgar Zinn and Earl Gillett were initiated into the mysteries of the M. W. A. lodge Tuesday night. They were able to be up and around all right the next day, notwithstanding the fact that the goat was quite frisky from lack of exercise.

Some parties entered the cemetery one day recently and indulged in a little target practice using the new tool house as a target and shooting some twenty or thirty bullets through the walls of the building. Such lawlessness is a penitentiary offense and will not be tolerated. Those who done this business are known and they would do well to come up and pay damage and save prosecution. By order of Trustees.

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Mrs. N. L. Palmer was shopping at Garner Monday.

W R. Bloom shipped a car of hogs Sunday also one yesterday.

A. C. Flint and wife were at Garner between trains Saturday.

H. A. Sweigard was down from Garner last Thursday evening.

You probably remember the noted lecturer, H. V. Adams. You heard him on our lecture course last winter and if you didn't, you missed the lecture they all talked about so long and so favorably. Mr. Adams is on our course again this year, and will be with us on Monday evening, Dec. 27th.

The First National Bank a change of ad.

The Des Moines Capital the Klemme Times will be to any address from now Jan. 1, 1911, on receipt of This is an exceptionally li offer and should be taken ad tage of at once to secure its benefits. If you have al paid in advance for the T ask for our rate on the Ca Call at this office today and a daily paper for the win reading.

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$15.00 Womens Coats go at	$11.50
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6.00 women's coats go at	4.50
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Dressers, worth from $8.50 to $20.00, go at	$4.95 & up
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Ladies' Desks at	$6 to $10
Kitchen Cabinets at	$4.95 to $14
1 Oak Wardrobe only	$11.85
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$7 00 Go Carts each	$4.50

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Oats	35 to 38c
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Cattle	3.00 to 6.00

Try Bloom's Hocking Egg coal also Petroleum Coke. It is hot stuff. 19-4

A. P. McGregor, of Vinton, a nephew of W. R. Bloom, was visiting here yesterday.

Hear H. V. Adams, lecturer, at the Klemme opera house on Monday evening, Dec. 27th.

The First National Bank is presenting its patrons with a very fine art calendar for 1910

The annual election of officers of the M. W. A. lodge was held Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

V C.—F. Gruetzmacher,
W. A.—Ralph Elder,
Banker—P. M. Griesemer.
Clerk—Lew Lewis,
Escort—Albert Fuller,
Watchman—Lou Ihde,
Sentry—Chas. Lewis.

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Dr. Hess Stock Food.
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Read the new State Savings Bank ad

Read Ell Bros. big fur ad on page 1 this week.

The dance Thursday evening was not very largely attended.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Einhause on Sunday, Dec. 12th, a son.

The English M E. Sunday School is preparing a Christmas program.

Poultry wanted every day. Highest market price paid. H. Lau & Son.

Fred Griewe had the misfortune to cut his hand quite severely Monday.

U. S mail outside of pouch cannot now be handled by the agent or any employe at depot.

Miss Blanche Schneider, of Garner, came down Saturday evening for a visit with Miss Amanda Arnold.

Get your seats reserved at the State Savings Bank for H. V. Adams' lecture and don't forget the date—December 27th.

Terhufen Bros. have sold their hardware stock to Gruetzmacher Bros. and their line of groceries to J. W. Waterman and will retire from business. We understand that John has purchased a farm near Dickey, N. D., and will move there. During the time these boys have been in business here, they have made a host of friends by their upright business methods, and while we are all sorry to lose them, we wish them much success whatever their future vocation.

Melinda Musfelt is improving from her illness.

The office of the Koerner Telephone Company will be closed on Christmas Day and New Year's Day, same as Sundays. 2

Just received, the finest assortment of Hand Drawn Japanese Imported Linens Don't fail to see them at Mrs. John Josten's.

Mrs. L. A. Turgasen came down from Buffalo Center last Thursday evening and visited at the home of her parents until Friday afternoon.

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Those who have renewed their subscriptions the past week are: B. F. Strasnider, H. F. Gerwein, Louis Sampson, Aug. Lau, Jr., T M. Hamilton, H. L. Suckow,

A Christmas dance will be held in the Klemme opera house on Thursday evening, Dec. 23. The Imperial Harp Orchestra of Mason City will furnish the music.

The English M. E. church now has a pastor in the person of Rev. Chas. Evans, who comes here from Germania. Rev. Evans arrived here last Friday and held his first service Sunday.

Albert Yahnke arrived here from Buffalo Center last Saturday night for a visit with relatives. On Monday he and Wm. Fuller left for Dows and Iowa Falls for a few days' visit with relatives and old friends.

C. C. Schaefer sold W. R. Bloom two hogs this week that brought him the neat sum of $78.40. Mr. Bloom informs the writer that this is the most money he has ever paid for two hogs.

German M. E. Church Items

Chas. Griffen went to Chicago Wednesday with a load of stock of his own feeding.

Mrs. Bettien left for Charles City Monday to spend the holidays with her children. Emil is batching it these days.

Mr. and Mrs. Kahler enjoyed a visit from a sister of Mrs. Kahler last week—a Mrs. Clark of Grundy Center

Ruth Wellemeyer arrived on Tuesday evening from Charles City. She will assist in her brother's store during the holiday rush.

Rev. A. Immer, of this conference, dropped dead in the depot at Dodgeville, Wis., Monday and was buried in Charles City today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kraus were called to Colesburg, Iowa, by the death of the wife of Mrs. Kraus' brother. They left on Tuesday morning.

Ye scribe has joined the advance guard this week in tussling with a severe cold. New recruits are joining our ranks from day to day.

Both Sunday Schools are busy getting ready for their Christmas programs. The Germantown school will have their festival on Friday evening and the Klemme school Saturday.

Join the teachers' training class which begins its study Thursday evening. Get a text book and help make it a rousing success. We have the text book in the English or German language.

Luvina and Nettie Ulrich left last week for Belmond where they expect to make a short visit with former neighbors and then go on to Clarion to spend a few days with an uncle and his family.

While Emil Sampson and a couple of the boys were coming to town Sunday evening, they proved too heavy for the cutter on such rough roads, so the horses pulled the runners out from under them and they were obliged to walk.

In spite of the storm a large audience was out to the illustrated lecture Sunday evening. The subject "The Rum Rebellion," is not a popular one with many people but all the more important. The pictures, with a few exceptions, were nicely colored, and the audience listened with wrapt attention to the story of each. At times one might have heard a pin drop, and from what we heard as the people filed out of the church, a good impression was made.

Special Christmas Offer

An opportunity for you to get one of the greatest Christmas presents ever offered on a deal like this. You can get it by buying a suit of Men's made-to-order Clothes tailored by the American Woolen Mills Co. For particulars call on their agent—

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Anna—Yes, I saw them, but I am going to get my fellow a nice case Pipe for Christmas.

Mary—Oh, I am going to get my fellow a jar of Moa Cigars for $1.00 with 25 of the best cigars in it.

Anna—Yes, and we are going to get some of Kirkwood's Home Bakery Goods for Christmas dinner.

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PERSONAL.

Dr. N. D. Hillis of Brooklyn would rather be a preacher than a millionaire. Recently he discovered a rich coal vein in a ranch he owned in British Columbia. He sold the property to western men at a profit of $75,000. Now the coal is said to be worth $5,000,000.

William H. Robertson, American consul at Tangier, Morocco, who is in New York on a vacation, advocates the abolition of his office as unnecessary.

The two children of the late Mary Crocker Burton Harrison, first wife of Congressman Burton Harrison, will inherit nearly $2,000,000 each from the estate left by their mother, who was a daughter of the late Charles F. Crocker of San Francisco.

A. J. Hoskins, a farmer of Upper Alton, Ill., has sold to the United States for $300,000 his patent rights to a range finder.

Sherburn M. Becker, widely known throughout the country as "the boy mayor" of Milwaukee, has purchased a seat on the New York Stock Exchange for $96,000, and in a short time will make his home in New York.

Andrew Carnegie has awarded a $5,000 annual scholarship to Dennis Chabot, a boy pianist of Pittsburg, Pa., who will study in Europe.

Judge William H. Holt of Louisville, is said to be the choice of President Taft for minister to Switzerland.

E. L. Poole of Havana, Cuba, has bought of the Philippine government the San Jose Friar estate of 55,000 acres in the island of Mindoro, to be used as a sugar plantation. The purchase price was $367,000. It is understood the buyer represented the Havemeyers.

GENERAL NEWS.

Seven sailors are known to have perished, 13 others are adrift on Lake Erie or frozen to death or drowned, two vessels, the steamer Clarion and the steamer W. C. Richardson, have been lost as a result of the storm which has raged over the lakes. The Clarion burned to the water's edge in Lake Erie, off Southeast Shoal, Point Pelee, Ontario, and the steamer W. C. Richardson went to the rocks five miles west of Buffalo.

Official returns from 128 of the 206 precincts in Los Angeles, Cal., cut down the lead of Mayor Alexander over George Smith, the Republican candidate, from 1,800 to 52. The result is now in doubt.

Mrs. Susan Stewart, wife of Paymaster-General Stewart, U. S. N., retired, of South Orange, N. J., died in Washington at the home of Rear Admiral Andrew Dunlap, where she was visiting. She will be buried in the National cemetery at Arlington.

Open-air schools for children in the tenement districts are recommended in the annual report of the New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, which is making a crusade against tuberculosis.

Teachers in St. Mark's public school in West Orange, N. J., got a new piano by selling roasted peanuts, after the school board refused to provide the instrument.

Attorney General William H. Stead was ordered to appear before the Illinois supreme court and file a brief and argument in the case of Booth versus The County Clerk of Sangamon County, the question at issue in which is the constitutionality of the amendment to what is known as the "Juul" law, passed by the general assembly at its last session.

The annual meetings of Oklahoma Live Stock Breeders' associations opened in Enid, together with an extensive stock show and auction sales of hundreds of blooded horses, cattle and hogs.

President Taft was re-elected president of the American National Red Cross.

Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh issued a detailed explanation of the workings of the new income tax, with instructions for the guidance of all kinds of corporations.

The American Federation of Labor will support the railroad switchmen who are on strike in the northwest to the extent of its powers. This announcement was made by Samuel Gompers, president of the federation, after an extended conference with Frank Hawley, president of the American Switchmen's union.

More than 25,000 banks with an excess of 25,000,000 deposit accounts, capital aggregating $1,855,987,368 and individual deposits of more than $14,000,000,000 are the stupendous figures revealing the vast extent of the banking business of the United States as shown in the annual report for the year ending October 31, of Lawrence O. Murray, comptroller of the currency, laid before congress. The aggregate deposits on April 28 last were about $14,425,523,165.

At a monster meeting in Albert hall, London, Herbert Henry Asquith, the British prime minister, laid down the policy on which the Liberal government is appealing to the country. He pledged that if the party was returned to power the government would demand the limitation of the power of the house of lords and would grant self-government to Ireland.

The American Ice Company at New York was found guilty in the state supreme court of restricting competition in and attempting to create a monopoly of the sale of ice. The court imposed the maximum sentence of $5,000 fine.

Consternation reigned in D. A. R. circles at Washington when the Daughters learned that Miss Sarah B. MacLay, one of the most prominent and respected members of the organization, for 14 years curator of the society, had confessed that for years past she has been systematically robbing the mail of the organization. The amount of Miss MacLaay's peculations is not known and is estimated at from $1,000 to $10,000.

The National Rivers and Harbors convention at Washington adopted resolutions appealing to congress for an appropriation of $50,000,000 for waterways work, and asking for the creation of a bureau of public works with a cabinet officer at its head.

Commissioner Cabell of the internal revenue bureau in Washington has issued an economy order of wide scope. One feature is that taxicabs are to be used only in cases of absolute necessity and then their use must be explained.

To avoid arrest after holding his family in terror, O. E. Boley shot and killed Sheriff Jacob Bell at Shreve, O.

Secretary Wilson intends by means of the federal inspection of dairy herds to make Washington serve as an example to other cities in the prevention of the sale of infected milk.

A. E. Shephard, senior vice-president of the Order of Railway Conductors, who has been in St. Paul, Minn., for a few days, issued an order to all conductors that they must observe strict neutrality and that they should "act as they did before the switchmen's strike, no more, no less."

Mark Hanna, a Russian who took an American name and sought a license to wed at Newport, Ky., had to wait two days because he forgot the name of the prospective bride. Her name was Fannie Dozorthzov.

Federal and local authorities at Leechburg, Pa., are seeking alleged Black Hand members who have threatened the life of ex-Congressman Beale.

Inquiry by the coroner's jury into the causes of the St. Paul mine disaster at Cherry, Ill., came to an abrupt close without a verdict being reached or any steps being made to fix the responsibility for the attending loss of life. The jurors refused to consider the finding of a verdict until two missing witnesses were produced.

Adam Pietrzyk, aged 25 years, has confessed to the Milwaukee police that he murdered Hattie Zinda, 14 years old, on November 12 and implicated Karl Wojciechowski, who is also under arrest.

Thirty-five passengers on a street car were injured, none fatally, and few seriously, when the car was struck by an in-bound Pennsylvania passenger train at an Indianapolis street crossing and hurled 30 feet.

Given carbolic acid by her daughter by mistake for brandy, Mrs. William Tate of Toledo, O., ill with tuberculosis, died before medical aid could reach her.

George Preston Sheldon, deposed president of the Phenix Fire Insurance Company of Brooklyn, lying at death's door at his Greenwich (Conn.) home, was indicted for larceny in the first degree by the grand jury in New York for alleged misappropriation of funds of the company, of which he was the head for 22 years.

William Crandall, on trial for the killing of his wife at Battle Creek, Mich., last August, was found guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury at Marshall, Mich. Crandall cut his wife's throat.

Ex-President Cardenas of Nicaragua, who was overthrown by Zelaya in 1891, has taken the field against his old enemy and is heading an expedition from Costa Rica into Nicaragua, according to advices received at New Orleans by the sympathizers of the revolutionary movement in the latter country

A CHRISTMAS ACROSTIC.

CHRISTMAS is not only a mile mark of another year, moving us to thoughts of self-examination; it is a season, from all its associations, whether domestic or religious, suggesting thoughts of joy. A man dissatisfied with his endeavors is a man tempted to sadness. And in the midst of winter, when his life runs lowest and he is reminded of the empty chairs of his beloved, it is well he should be condemned to the fashion of the smiling face.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

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HOW many old recollections and how many dormant sympathies does the Christmas time awaken! Happy, happy Christmas, that can win us back to the delusions of our childish days; that can recall to the old man the pleasures of his youth; that can transport the sailor and the traveler thousands of miles away, back to his own fireside and his quiet home. Fill your glass again, with a merry face and contented heart. Our life on it, but your Christmas shall be merry and your New Year a happy one.—Charles Dickens.

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REMEMBER that as surely as in that baby life at Bethlehem there lay the power which has run through all the world; the power which makes Judea burn like a star forever; the power which has transfigured history; the power which has made millions of men its joyous servants; the power of the millenniums yet to be, so surely in the humblest soul's humble certainty that it does love Christ, there lies enfolded all the possibility of the most perfect sainthood.—Phillips Brooks.

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IT IS a good thing to observe Christmas Day. The mere marking of times and seasons, when men agree to stop work and make merry together, is a wise and wholesome custom. It helps one to feel the supremacy of the common life over the individual life. It reminds a man to set his own little watch, now and then, by the great clock of humanity, which runs on sun time.—Henry Van Dyke.

SUPPOSE a note came on Christmas Day saying not, "I send my love and best wishes with this spool-box," but, "I want you to know that your patience, or courage, or tenderness, during this last year, will help me to live more bravely and courageously this year." What a Christmas present the receipt of such a letter would be to any one of us. What a gift for any one of us to send to the human heart that has given us courage for the burden and heat of the day.—Margaret Deland.

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THE season of regenerated feeling—the season of kindling, not merely the fire of hospitality in the hall, but the genial flame of charity in the heart. He who can turn churlishly away from contemplating the felicity of his fellow beings, and can sit down darkling and repining in his loneliness when all around is joyful, may have his moments of selfish gratification, but he wants the genial and social sympathies which constitute the charm of a Merry Christmas.—Washington Irving.

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MY CHRISTMAS wish for all is that they may taste the sweetness of love, enter into the joys of friendship, and know the divine beneficence of helping someone at present less fortunate than themselves. In these words are we to find the living spirit of the human and eternal Christmas. The universal gladness of Christmas is proportioned to the extent of its unselfishness. People are happy, not in what they get so much as in what they give.—Minot J. Savage.

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AND there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone around about them, and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them: "Fear not, for behold I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David, a Savior, which is Christ the Lord."—From the Gospel of St. Luke.

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SANTA CLAUS remains, by virtue of a common understanding that childhood shall not be despoiled of one of its most cherished beliefs, either by the mythologist, with his sun myth theory, or the scientist, with his heartless diatribe against superstitions. He who does not see in the legend of Santa Claus a beautiful faith on the one side, and the native embodiment of a divine fact on the other, is not fit to have a place at the Christmas board.—Hamilton Wright Mabie.

At the Birthplace of Christ.

At last I am come to the market place, at one end of which stands the church of the Nativity, marking the holy, lowly birthplace. There is only one entrance from the street, and it is so low that in entering one is forced to bow the head, and assume a posture of reverence.

Down the dark and winding stairs, slippery with the drippings of countless candles, I make my way to that lowly place into which first came the Light of the World. The Grotto of the Nativity is a cavern beneath the church, long, narrow, and low-ceiled, with pendant lamps of precious metal and rare workmanship lighting the gloom. The floor is marble, and wonderful old tapestries, pictures and silk hangings cover the walls. A marble cradle in one corner commemorates the manger; and in a recess on one side a dozen or more hanging lamps are ranged around in a half circle. Before the altar there, all men bend low and kiss the ground for Christ's sake; for it is here a silver star is set to mark the birthplace of Him whom His mother called "Jesus." The center of the star is glass and through it one may see the original rocky floor of the stable.

I close my eyes for a moment, while mind and heart rebel against the present, until it vanishes; and the atmosphere of the past, in all its deep and wondrous mystery, returns to envelop my soul. "I am here—in Bethlehem"—I whisper to myself—and beyond closed lids I see the Virgin mother, with her gentle face as the old masters loved to picture her, and a "light that never was on land or sea" in her beautiful mother-eyes; while the glory from one low-hanging star touches a baby's hair.—Letter in Army and Navy Life.

GOOD WORK IS LOVED WOR

And Therein One Should Find t Contentment That Is Chief Part of Life.

If a man doesn't love his work, had better get something else to d But the trouble is that such peop will hardly love any kind of wor The trouble is in them. They la intelligence. If they knew enou to know good work, they would soo learn to love it. The manual-trai ing scheme has this in view—to su round the job a man is doing wit such intelligence and taste as wi make it attractive to him.

"The man who is in love with hi job gets more contentment out of li than any other," says Brander Ma thews; and he gets a great part of hi contentment in doing his work righ No man can love his work who shirk No man can be contented who is di honest about his work. This is shir ing or doing it negligently. So thes things always go together—hones work, contentment and love of the job.

AGONIZING ITCHING.

Eczema for a Year—Got No Relief Even at Skin Hospital—In Despair

Until Cuticura Cured Him.

"I was troubled with a severe itch ing and dry, scrufy skin on my ankles, feet, arms and scalp. Scratching made it worse. Thousands of small red pim ples formed and these caused intense itching. I was advised to go to the hospital for diseases of the skin. I did so, the chief surgeon saying: "I never saw such a bad case of eczema." But I got little or no relief. Then I tried many so-called remedies, but I became so bad that I almost gave up in despair. After suffering agonies for twelve months, I was relieved of the almost unbearable itching after two or three applications of Cuticura Ointment. I continued its use, combined with Cuticura Soap and Pills, and I was completely cured. Henry Searle, Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 8 and 10, 1907."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

Stated in Cold Figures.

It costs on an average about $250 to cure an incipient consumptive or to care for an advanced case of tuberculosis until death. If he is left in destitute circumstances without proper attention he will surely infect with his disease at least two other persons, and possibly more. Considering that the average life is worth to society in dollars and cents about $1,500, the net loss which would accrue to a community by not treating its poor consumptives in proper institutions would be, for each case, including those who are unnecessarily infected, at the very lowest figure, $4,250. On this basis, if the poor consumptives in the United States who are now sick were segregated from their families, and either kept in institutions until they died, or else cured of their disease, the saving to the country would be the enormous sum of $1,275,000,000.

Detected.

The consul in London of a continental kingdom was informed by his government that one of his countrywomen, supposed to be living in Great Britain, had been left a million of money. After advertising without result, he applied to the police, and a smart young detective was set to work.

When a few weeks had gone by his chief asked him how he was going on.

"I've found the lady, sir."

"Good! Where is she?"

"At my place. I got married to her yesterday!"

HABIT'S CHAIN

Certain Habits Unconsciously Formed and Hard to Break.

An ingenious philosopher estimates that the amount of will power necessary to break a life-long habit would, if it could be transformed, lift a weight of many tons.

It sometimes requires a higher degree of heroism to break the chains of a pernicious habit than to lead a forlorn hope in a bloody battle. A lady writes from an Indiana town:

"From my earliest childhood I was a lover of coffee. Before I was out of my teens I was a miserable dyspeptic, suffering terribly at times with my stomach.

"I was convinced that it was coffee that was causing the trouble and yet I could not deny myself a cup for breakfast. At the age of 36 I was in very poor health, indeed. My sister told me I was in danger of becoming a coffee drunkard.

"But I never could give up drinking coffee for breakfast, although it kept me constantly ill, until I tried Postum. I learned to make it properly according to directions, and now we can hardly do without Postum for breakfast, and care nothing for coffee.

"I am no longer troubled with dyspepsia, do not have spells of suffering with my stomach that used to trouble me so when I drank coffee."

Look in pkgs. for the little book, "The Road to Wellville." "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

One Way of Love

SYNOPSIS.

Richard Derring, returning from a winter in the woods to his mother's farm home, is overtaken by his uncle, accompanied by his eccentric wife, coming to pay a visit at the farm. Aunt Jerusha's questions about Emily Hutton, supposed to be Richard's sweetheart, bring out the fact that she is to marry a merchant, Edwards. Derring's disappointment stimulates his ambition and under the advice of Seth Kinney, a hermit of the woods, he resolves to fit himself for college. Kinney promises to teach him Greek. Derring tells his mother his resolve, and in his grandfather's old laboratory begins the study of Greek. Seth Kinney hears Richard's Greek recitation in the woods while he and Tom Bishop ply the cross-cut saw.

CHAPTER VI.

When the snow began melting from the partridge-berries the wood had been cut and hauled. Only scattered chips remained to tell the winter's work. And, although all the village knew that Richard was learning Greek, it did not know that in the woods he had learned something harder than Greek. No one but he and Seth knew that with every blow of the ax he had made a stroke at his trouble—and cut it, and sawed it, and split it, and piled it high, and sledded it to town, and sold it at so much a cord—till his heart was as sound as a drum.

And when one morning he passed Emily in her new spring array, tripping along the country road, he could lift his hat and smile at her proudly. And Emily, fingering the ribbons that fell from her throat, called him in her heart a fickle thing and rejoiced anew that she was to be Mrs. Edwards.

He was on his way to Uncle Eben's when he met her—carrying a message from his mother. He found the old man in the side garden, pottering about over the half-dried earth and warming his stiff back in the sun.

"Limy beans?" said Uncle Eben when he heard the request. "You'll have to go into the house and ask her. She hain't give me mine yet. It's time for 'em, too. She keeps 'em locked up in the secritary—ch'ice as gold." He rose stiffly from his knees and led the way to the house.

Aunt Jerusha was buried in the depths of the Dutch oven, a long feather duster in her hand, with which she whisked its sides. She emerged, shining and surprised.

"Well, I declare, Richard; is that you!" She readjusted her spectacles and looked at him kindly. Her skirt was pinned safely up out of harm's way and her sleeves were rolled above the elbow. A sunbonnet protected her head. She beamed out of its depths.

"Want some of the Limas, do you, for plantin'? Well, I do' know how many we'll have. I hain't got 'em down for pa yet." She glanced at him suspiciously.

He shifted from one foot to the other. It might have been hope or it might have been impatience.

Aunt Jerusha's look changed to affection. "He wants some, dreadful," she confided to Richard, "but it ain't time yet."

She crossed the room and took from a high nail by the shelf a key. It was the key to the parlor door. "You come with me, Richard," she said mildly, as she waddled away.

Uncle Eben looked wistfully after them. He seated himself in a straight-backed chair and, lifting his feet to the front round, rubbed his fingers thoughtfully.

Aunt Jerusha opened the parlor door into the dim light. "You can come right in," she said proudly. "Never mind your feet. Women were made to sweep up dirt. I've got to clean here next week anyway."

The room was speckless. Not a trace of dust rested on any object, thought Aunt Jerusha gave an ostentatious puff to the plush album as she lifted it. She opened it with a little gesture of pride. It was half filled with pictures, and in the hole left vacant in the other half reposed a key. "I keep it in here," she whispered. "He wouldn't ever think of looking in there." She chuckled softly as she drew it out. She snapped the heavy clasps safely and returned the album to the table.

"I thought I might's well show you." She stood in the dim light, watching him mysteriously out of her sunbonnet. "If anything should happen to me, somebody'd hev to know, and he wouldn't have no more care 'an a child." She directed her nod towards the kitchen.

Uncle Eben looked up hopefully as they returned, the key to the secretary borne in Aunt Jerusha's palm.

Mounting a chair in front of the high secretary she inserted the key in the lock. The doors swung open. Uncle Eben feasted his eyes. There were packages of seeds and velvet bonnets and a string of gold beads and a high shell comb. She touched a package of papers that lay at the left. "That's my will," she said significantly to Richard. "I've left everything to him."

"You Come with Me, Richard," She Said Mildly, as She Waddled Away.

A glow of appreciation overspread Uncle Eben's face. "Why, Jerusha," —his boot-heels came down with a clatter to the floor—"why, Jerusha—"

"Not a word!" she said sternly, turning on him. "I don't want to hear a word."

She turned back to the open space and searched among the packages. "Here they be." She gave a fat sigh and descended from the chair, closing the mysterious doors. She emptied the package in her lap, Uncle Eben eyeing it enviously from afar.

"I shall divide even," she said with a calm air—"just even." She counted out the beans, one by one, each in its separate pile, and handed one of the piles to Richard. "There. Tell your mother I divided equal."

"I'll tell her," said Richard, stowing away the bag in his pocket. He knew better than to hurt Aunt Jerusha's feelings by refusing any proffered favor.

She sat leaning comfortably back in her chair, looking at him. "They say you're learning Greek, Richard," she said at last, rocking a little.

Uncle Eben tipped eagerly forward in his chair.

She ignored him. "Are ye?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"And you're going to college?"

"Yes, ma'am."

"How's Amanda Derring going to pay for it?" she asked severely.

"I'm going to pay my own way."

She nodded slowly. "I thought like enough. But you can't do it."

"I'm going to."

She looked at him more approvingly. "The Lord helps them that helps themselves," she said solemnly, "and I and the Lord do the same."

She rose majestically and opened the secretary doors once more. She took down a broken-nosed teapot and extracted a roll of bills, holding it out to him. "There's $100," she said slowly. "I shall give you that every year till you get through. And if anything happens to me, Eben's to give it to you—same as if I was alive."

"Of course I—" began Uncle Eben from his chair.

She stopped him swiftly. "Don't say a word."

His open mouth collapsed. He rubbed his fingers thoughtfully.

She turned to the boy. "Run along home, Richard. Don't forget to tell your mother I divided the beans with her—even."

CHAPTER VII.

"Who's the farmer?" whispered the boy on the back seat to his neighbor.

It was the examination in Greek. Richard's ears reddened to the tips. He sat two seats away. But the ears accustomed to note the falling of a leaf were keen, and the whisper was loud. He would have it out with the fellow at noon. Now he merely shrugged his shoulders a little and devoted himself anew to his verb. He had chosen it first to conjugate, as being the easiest thing on the paper. But it was unexpectedly difficult. He was confused. Emily's saucy eyes were coming between him and the page, snatching away its meaning. "I have loved—you have loved," his pen scratched desperately on. How pretty she had looked that morning. And he had thought he was over it! He shook himself. "I shall love—" He glanced despairingly at the clock. The time was nearly up. It must be the coming away from home that had upset him. She was not worth a thought. He gathered himself for a fresh start and wrote rapidly.

"Farmer's getting rattled," whispered the boy on the back seat.

Richard made another mental note and plunged on.

"Time." It was the voice of the assistant.

Richard dropped his pen and gathered up his scattered notes, running his eyes hastily over them. They were enough to flunk him. He could see that at a glance. He handed them in with sullen face.

"In half an hour the oral examination will be held in this room," announced the assistant in a stereotyped voice.

The boys plunged into the open. Richard sought out the boy of the back seat and salved his wounded feelings by hand-to-hand measures.

"You've got muscle," he said enviously.

Two upper-classmen, passing, had stopped for a moment to watch the contest. "He'll have a try for the team," said one.

They strolled on.

"It's the shoulders that count."

"Partly—and muscle."

"And grit. Did you see his face? Looked as if he was chewing iron."

Richard and the boy shook hands and went back to the classroom. The professor was on the platform. He had mild brown hair and a large nose, surmounted by spectacles. He glared through them at the hapless youth. He had a sensitive ear for Greek accents and the entrance examinations wore on it. The assistant had been showing him the written work. It was very poor. His face was prepared for the worst. The oral examination would consist of reading in the original Greek.

The boys subsided beneath his glare and there was ominous silence.

"Next," growled the professor. He surveyed Richard—his heavy shoulders and big hands—and groaned inwardly. He resigned himself to his fate.

Richard struggled to his feet. His face was red and his throat dry. The words came with rasping hoarseness. Then the swing of the rhythm caught him. His voice opened and deepened and he was off on the lines. The silence of the woods was about him, and the sound of the cross-cut saw rose upon it. He swayed to its tune, the words rolling out—rising and falling to a kind of heavy chant. The professor on the platform started a little. He pushed his spectacles high on his forehead and rubbed his great nose. The wrinkles smoothed from his brow and the peace of days settled upon his face. The boy on the back seat nudged his neighbor. "Farmer's getting there," he whispered.

"H-s-h!" growled the professor.

Richard came to a stop, looking up blinkingly. He had forgotten the class and the professor. He and Tom had been swaying back and forth to the sound of the cross-cut saw, chanting the deep, monotonous sounds.

The professor beamed on him. A faint, half-scared cheer went up from the class. The spectacles descended and glared at them. "Time to cheer when you are out of the woods," he said. "Next."

The next youth rose and blundered on. The hour wore away and the class escaped, but bruised and sore.

The professor detained Richard by a gesture. "Where did you fit?" he asked brusquely.

"At home."

"Where?"

"In Ashton."

"Massachusetts?"

"Yes."

"There's no school there."

"No, sir; I studied by myself and with an old man."

"Umph!" The spectacles regarded him.

"And did he read Greek the way you do?"

The boy's face reddened. "Not exactly. We did it that way, sawing logs—I got into the swing of it and forgot."

The professor leaned forward, tapping the Odyssey with his spectacles. "You recited Greek in the woods?"

"Yes, sir."

The professor's face grew light. He chuckled. "And we think we can teach them indoors!"

"Is it all right, sir?"

"All right?" growled the professor. "It's the way they did it in Greece—3,000 years ago. Go home and thank your lucky stars you had something besides boards over your head while you learned it."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

COINS OF ALUMINUM.

In a few years coppers will no longer weigh down man's pockets in this country. As it is no more bronze money is now coined, and the shortage is being felt. Aluminum will be substituted, and it is hoped that the new coinage will have been begun by the end of the year.

The metal, or rather an alloy of it, will be used only for penny and half-penny pieces, which will be about the diameter of but both much thicker and lighter than francs and half francs, and thus easily distinguishable from these coins. The recent quarter franc piece in nickel has proved a failure, because it is constantly being taken for a franc, as tourists here know to their cost. Besides lightness, cleanliness is another advantage of aluminum, which does not oxydize in air.—Paris correspondence London Telegraph.

Value of Tears.

Certain bacteriologists have been enlightening the public as to the value of tears. A good cry, they say, that washes the face with tears is an excellent antiseptic bath. Owing to the large percentage of sodium, chloride, or common salt, which they contain they sterilize the delicate mechanism of the eye and render harmless the bacili which may have found lodgment on the cheeks.

Stern Roman Law.

Many thieves were stolen alive from the cross by friends and that is why Rome ordered their legs broken.

Resinol in Three Weeks Does What Other Remedies Failed to Do in Four Months.

My baby's face was like a raw and bleeding piece of meat. I was at my wits' ends what to do. Medicine from three physicians and ointments recommended seemed to make the Eczema worse. Then another mother spoke of Resinol which I procured at once—remember I had no more faith in it than in all the rest I had tried—but I thought it would be wasting only 50c more. Never did I spend 50c to better advantage, for the first and second days I noticed a remarkable change, and now at the end of the third week I have my pretty blue eyed, rosy cheeked, cooing baby well again. I am safe in saying he is perfectly cured and the cure was surely something remarkable. Your Soap and Ointment did in three weeks what everything else I tried failed to do in four months. My baby was positively disfigured, now his complexion is all right again.

Mrs. H. F. Clemmer, Sunbury, Pa.

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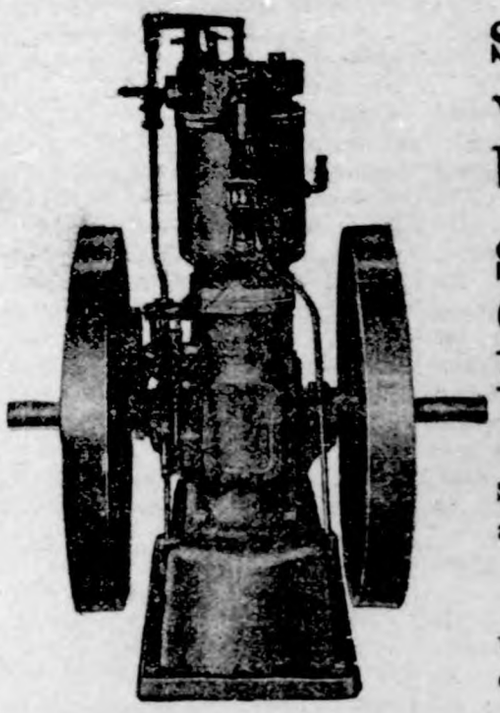

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GOODELL

From the Globe:

John Suurballe, of Garner, was a Goodell visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Millsap, of Williams, Iowa, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. E. Avery.

Mrs. W. F. Beiers went to Waterloo, Iowa, Monday evening to attend the funeral of an aunt.

Miss Gertrude Parker, of Klemme, spent Saturday at the Thos. Cashman home.

Mrs. Peter Nelson and two sons arrived from Oklahoma Saturday and expect to make this their future home.

Agnes Elder was down from Klemme last Friday and Saturday visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. F. Church.

E. J. Bauman, after calling on friends and attending to business matters here for a few days, returned to his home in St. Paul on Monday.

The regular subscription price of the Chicago Daily Farmers and Drovers Journal is $4 per year, but we have made arrangements whereby we can furnish that paper and the Klemme Times both one year for $4.05. The Chicago F. and D. Journal twice-a-week, and the Times, both one year for $2.05. The Journal once a week and the Times, both one year for $1.55.

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From the Messenger:

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Lewis Sweely, of Thornton, was in town Saturday on business.

Mr. H. J. Klemme of Belmond was transacting business in town Monday.

The Cerro Gordo County Farmers Institute will be held in Thornton January 12th to the 14th.

J. F. Hartfelder accompanied a carload of stock to Chicago Tuesday. He returned home today.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Myers and son, George, returned home from Bloomington, Ill., Monday, where they had been to attend the funeral of Mr. Myers' brother Tom.

Mr. Theo. Wendel departed Monday afternoon for an extended visit in Germany. Mr. Wendel makes this trip about every four years.

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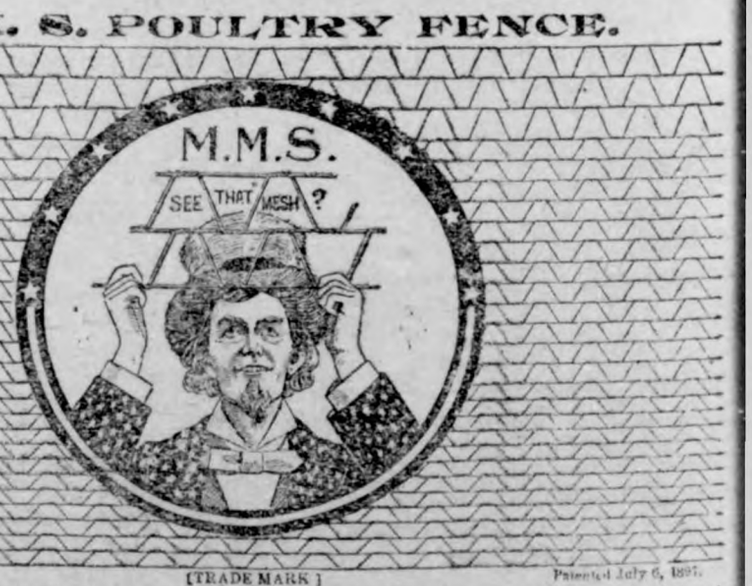

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COUNTY SEAT NEWS LETTER

Special to the Times:

School closed Friday for two weeks' vacation.

Maude Prince, of Britt, was a Garner visitor Saturday.

Mrs. A M. Deyoe was in Britt between trains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hillary spent Sunday with relatives in Britt.

O. S. Bailey, of the Britt Tribune, was a business visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs Deyoe, of Mason City, spent Sunday at the A. M. Deyoe home here.

Pete Becker is helping in the Schroeder meat market during the holiday season.

Mrs. H. N. Brockway went to Britt Saturday afternoon, returning Sunday evening.

Chas. Diggs, who is attending college at Ames is spending his vacation at his home here.

John Spalla is assisting in the Miller & Botsford drug store at Britt during the holiday rush.

Miss Mae Nelson, who is attending college at Grinnell. arrived Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents here.

We understand that Frank O'Rourke, of Britt, received a nice Christmas present in the way of a fine of $400 or 100 days in jail, for dispensing liquid refreshments to the thirsty Brittish.

ELL CENTER

Special Correspondence:

Myron Haskin and wife spent Sunday with Dan Webner and wife.

Elmer Yohn visited Forest City friends a few days last week.

Will Hatch, of Waseca, Minn. visited over Sunday at Joe Lawhorn's.

Tom Nelson and wife were Sunday visitors at the home of Dan Webner, Sr.

Cora Lawhorn is home from Garner spending her vacation with her parents.

Miss Laura Meade returned to her bome at Amboy, Ill., after visiting friends here several weeks. Mrs. Chas. Gilbert accompanied her home for a visit with her parents.

Miss Mable Halverson has returned to her home near Miller. She will resume her school work in the Rice district in January.

Get your seats reserved at the State Savings Bank for H. V. Adams' lecture and don't forget the date—December 27th.

Alone in Saw Mill at Midnight

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IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Horace B. Taft, wife of a brother of President Taft, died at the Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, where she had been a patient of Dr. Harvey Cushing. At the hospital all information relative to the case was refused.

George Parish, an English expert on statistics, who is in New York, says England is the greatest money-lender in the world and the United States is the greatest borrower in the world. He places the wealth of Great Britain at $1,775 per capita and of the United States at $1,310 per capita.

Gen. W. W. Dudley of Indiana, formerly commissioner of pensions, died at Washington of Bright's disease.

John E. Berwynd, the millionaire coal man, has given $100,000 in New York for the care of poor women about to become mothers and the treatment of infants during the first weeks of their lives.

Emmett Delton Williams, a direct descendant of Roger Williams, founder of Rhode Island, died at his home at Kansas City, Mo., aged 54. He was president of a paint company.

Charles N. Crittenton, founder of rescue missions in many cities, left an estate of $3,000,000 to $5,000,000 at New York. Half of his wealth is bequeathed to the missions.

President Taft nominated Judge Horace Harmon Lurton of Tennessee to be an associate judge of the supreme court of the United States, and George A. Carpenter of Chicago for United States district judge in the northern district of Illinois to succeed Judge Bethea, deceased.

GENERAL NEWS.

Knights of Columbus from all parts of the country will make a pilgrimage next August to Rome and Genoa, the birthplace of Christopher Columbus, according to an announcement made in New York.

Sensational charges of manipulation of funds and the reckless expenditure of money of the Federal Life Insurance Company, an Illinois old line concern, are made in an affidavit filed in the circuit court at Chicago by Burton O. Smith, a stockholder and former director of the company. Isaac Hamilton Miller, president of the company, is accused of borrowing from its funds, using dummies in securing other loans and in using money of the company to finance other companies he is interested in.

The bodies of two men, blown to pieces by some high explosive, were found near Tulsa, Okla. They are believed to have been bank robbers, killed acidentally by dynamite they carried to blow safes.

Two girls are missing and 14 others narrowly escaped death in a fire, which destroyed the six-story factory building of Schrack & Sherwood, manufacturers of coffins and undertakers' supplies at Philadelphia. The monetary loss is estimated at $250,000.

Charles Bowler of Asbury Park, N. J., decided to save a few dollars by repairing his own automobile. He is in bed with painful injuries. While searching for a leak with a lighted match he was blown through the side of the garage and auto and garage were both wrecked.

A report on steerage conditions, based on information obtained by special agents of the immigration commission, traveling as steerage passengers on different trans-Atlantic steamers, was made public at Washington through presentation to the senate with recommendations for legislation to better conditions. Conditions found in many of these vessels are described as appalling.

The death of King Leopold is imminent. He had a serious relapse and is being kept alive through artificial means. Court circles have practically no hope of the patient's recovery.

Gen. Estrada's troops had a sharp encounter with the Zelayan forces at Rama. Reports sent out by the government claim a sweeping victory, but this is doubted in some quarters, as the Zelaya partisans control all the telegraph lines and confirmation is next to impossible.

Head hunters of the Solomon islands are on the warpath because of marriages between their women and white men, according to news from the antipodes, brought by the Royal Mail steamer Aorangi.

The bonded debt of New York city has reached $1,000,000,000, according to a report issued by the comptroller. This amount, however, includes more than $200,000,000 held by the city sinking fund.

After sending his resignation to the Nicaraguan congress, President Zelaya sent a conciliatory cablegram to President Taft, saying that he had shown his good faith by resigning in order that Nicaragaua might resume friendly relations with the United States. He added that he proposed to leave the country, but stood ready to account for his acts as president.

The "white slavery" issue was brought before the house at Washington in tangible form when a drastic compromise bill was reported from the immigration committee. The bill imposes imprisonment and a heavy fine for any person importing women into this country for immoral purposes or harboring them after their arrival here.

Joseph Bergin, a business man of Burlington, Ia., was brought to Joilet, Ill., on extradition papers issued by Gov. Deneen and honored by Gov. Carroll of Iowa to answer to the charge of bigamy. Bergin was married recently to Miss Olive Lord, a prominent young woman of Plainfield, Ill., and is alleged to have another wife living at Burlington.

It is learned at Copenhagen that Captain Loose's statement has been compared with Dr. Cook's and various points literally correspond. The general opinion in university circles is that the committee will withhold the acceptance of Cook's claims on the bases that they have not been substantiated.

Attorney General W. H. Stead uttered a withering arraignment of the Illinois Central railroad in the hearing of the great suit of the state of Illinois at Springfield, Ill., to compel an accounting from the road since 1877 and to pay taxes amounting to $20,000,000, which it is charged the Illinois Central evaded paying through fraud.

A jury found guilty five of the six employes of the American Sugar Refining Company who have been on trial for the past three weeks charged with criminal conspiracy to defraud the government of customs duties on imported raw sugar. In the case of James F. Bendernagel, a former cashier of the company's Williamsburg plant, the jury disagreed.

The American grip on Bluefields, Nicaragua, was tightened when Commander Shipley of the cruiser Des Moines issued a proclamation formally stating that no fighting would be allowed at Bluefields. Taken in connection with the rushing of 700 marines to Corinto, the order of Captain Shipley is construed practically as a move toward occupation.

The filing of the will of King Leopold shows that he divided $3,000,000 between his three daughters, Princess Louise, Princess Stephanie and Princess Clementine. This practical disinheritance of his children signalizes the beginning of a gigantic legal battle to obtain the king's wealth similar to that which ensued on the death of their mother, Queen Henrietta. The exact amount of Leopold's fortune probably never will be revealed.

Mrs. Maud W. Johnson, on trial at Seattle, accused of being a professional claimant, was identified by a number of railway claim agents as a woman who collected damages from them in various cities.

Pursuant to the call of Chairman H B. Perham, the railroad employes' department of the American Federation of Labor met in St. Paul, Minn., to take up the switchmen's strike.

Capt. B. S. Osbon of New York, secretary of the Arctic club, announced that Capt. August W. Loose's story that he had faked polar records for Dr. Cook was concocted for sale without regard to the truth. Capt. Osbon declared Capt. Loose has admitted his affidavit as published in a New York newspaper had no foundation in fact. Capt. Loose denies this alleged verbal confession with the statement that he was offered $4,000 if he would contradict his affidavit. He says he spurned the offer and stands by his original story that he supplied fake records to Dr. Cook.

Following the payment by Arbuckle Bros. of nearly $700,000 to reimburse the United States treasury for deficits due to false weighing, it was announced that the National Sugar Refining Company is prepared to settle with the government as the Arbuckles have done as soon as it has been officially informed of the amount the government claimed to be due.

Three sisters now occupy separate cells at East Orange, N. J., charged with the murder of Osey Snead, who was found dead in a bathtub. Her mother is one of the accused, her two aunts are the others.

Leopold II., king of the Belgians, is dead. The end came as a surprise even to the physicians in attendance. The aged and wasted body of the monarch was unable to stand the great strain to which it was subjected.

NO PARDON ISSUED

Governor Turns Down Recommendation of Parole Board.

IN CASE OF DR. CROFFORD

Protests Attack Dr. Brown's Reliability As a Witness, Upon Whose Statement Board Requested Governor to Pardon.

Des Moines, Dec. 20.—Governor Carroll has turned down the recommendation of the parole board that Dr. J. W. Crofford of Lamoni be pardoned, and sent the case back to the parole board for further deliberation.

Dr. Crofford was convicted of second degree murder for an alleged criminal operation upon Maud Stone which caused her death. He was sentenced to twelve years in Fort Madison on April 17, 1905, and is now serving his sentence.

The board of parole recommended his pardon April 23 of this year following sensational testimony of Dr. Artemus Brown who went before the parole board voluntarily and asserted that he knew Dr. Crofford was not guilty because the girl had told him before she went to Dr. Crofford's sanitarium that she had committed the operation herself. Dr. Brown's lips were sealed during the trial of Crofford he said, because he feared suspicion would turn to him if he told what he knew.

Upon the strength of these sworn statements of Dr. Brown the parole board decided that Dr. Crofford was serving a twelve year sentence for a crime he never committed, and accordingly recommended his immediate pardon.

But Governor Carroll, in his letter to the board, states that ever since the recommendation of the board has been in his hands, he has received letters and protests from various persons, attacking Brown's reliability as a witness. These people have all asked to be heard, Governor Carroll states, and for this reason he deems it inadvisable to grant the pardon until the case can be further investigated.

Colby Loses Divorce Suit.

Mason City.—W. Sommerville Colby, county official, was denied a divorce from his wife, Florence Leavenworth Colby, denied the custody of his son, save for about three months during the year, denied alimony of $3,000 asked for and was assessed the costs of the recent trial for a divorce by Judge Kelley, who handed down his decree in the case. On the other hand, Mrs. Colby is given the divorce instead, on her cross petition, the custody of her son from September 1 of each year to June 15 of the following year, must provide clothing for her son all the time and must pay her former husband $1,000 as his due for services rendered her estate.

Judson Heads State Grange.

Des Moines.—By unanimous vote the principal officers of the Iowa state grange were re-elected to serve the association for the coming year. At the night session the entire list of officers were installed and degrees were conferred on a large class of candidates. The officers are: Grand master, A. B. Judson of Balfour; vice president and overseer, A. E. Meade of Manchester; secretary, J. W. Wild of Council Bluffs; treasurer, M. E. Blair of Manchester; chaplain, Mrs. J. W. Wild of Council Bluffs; lecturer, J. R. McLain; steward, L. L. Richardson of Silver City.

B. H. Grace Killed at Perry.

Des Moines.—Bertram H. Grace, 2422 Amhurst street, Highland Park, a conductor in the employ of the Des Moines, Fort Dodge & Southern interurban railroad, was instantly killed at the M. & St. L. railroad crossing at Perry, when a lone passenger engine, returning to Valley Junction, crashed into the caboose of the intterurban freight of which Grace was the conductor.

Thirteen Injured in Wreck.

Bayard.—Train No. 7, westbound, on the Chicago, Milwuakee & St. Paul railway was derailed two miles east of here, the engine, tender and entire train, composed of baggage and mail cars, two coaches and two sleepers, leaving the track. Thirteen passengers were injured, none, it is believed, seriously.

Young Men Trapped.

Lake City.—While climbing up on a roof to disturb a party of girls, several young men became mired in a quantity of tar, which had been spread over the roof, and were forced to call the girls to their rescue. They spoiled $75 worth of clothing.

Oust Clerk Brown In Emmet County.

Des Moines.—The supreme court has ousted C. M. Brown as clerk of the district court of Emmet county and ruled that L. Heffalfinger is the duly qualified clerk for that county. The decision was given in the case of State of Iowa on relation of L. Heffalfinger against C. M. Brown. In the election of 1908 one John Amundson was elected clerk. He died that month, and the district judge appointed Brown as clerk until the vacancy was filled. The board of supervisors at their December meeting selected Heffalfinger as clerk. Heffalfinger demanded that Brown turn over the office keys to him. Brown refused and Heffalfinger brought quo warranto proceedings.

The opinion of the supreme court, affirming the district court, which held that Brown was not entitled to the office, was written by Justice Weaver. He said that the district court is not authorized by the statutes of the state to fill such a vacancy, either temporarily or otherwise, and holds that when the supervisors appointed a man to fill the vacancy caused by Amundson's death, that any power given Brown by the district court was revoked.

Hotel Law Declared Unconstitutional.

Des Moines.—Iowa's hotel inspection law, providing for a state hotel inspector and requiring fire escapes on all hotels, and appliances for perfect ventilation, is unconstitutional and therefore null and void. This construction was put upon it by Judge McHenry of the district court in an opinion filed in the case of F. M. Hubbell against Lafayette Higgins, state hotel inspector. The suit was brought to test the constitutionaliy of the law and argued before the court several weeks ago.

Dan Lackey Kills Self.

Des Moines.—Dan Lackey, said to be the tallest man in Iowa, bade his friends goodbye and in company with a Mr. Gillam of the Iowa Mausoleum company, went to a restaurant in Monroe and ordered a meal. Whilst it was being prepared Lackey stepped to a rear room and shot himself through the head ,dying almost instantly. He was a stock buyer well known in Des Moines. He leaves a mother and three sisters. No cause is known for his rash act.

Black Hand Gang in Des Moines?

Des Moines—Evidence of the operation of the dreaded black hand society with all the attendant elements of blackmail and threats of sudden, violent death in case of refusal to comply with the demands of the "society" have been secured by Chief of Detectives Johnston, who has instituted a campaign for the crushing out of the organization in Des Moines.

Falls From Windmill on Bossy's Back

Gravity.—Martin Vandersyle, a wealthy farmer residing near here, fell from a sixty-foot windmill and would have surely been killed had he not fallen squarely on the back of a cow passing below. The animal's back was broken, but Vandersyle escaped without injury. The cow was a thoroughbred Short-horn valued at $375.

Tries to Assault Girl at Church Door.

Nevada.—An unknown man grabbed little Florence Knight, a 10-year-old girl of this city, in the shadow of a church, and attempted to assault her. The screams of the girl frightened the man away. The girl gives a good description of the man. She is positive that she knows him.

New Hampton Hotel Burns.

New Hampton.—The Arlington hotel at New Hampton burned to the ground from an overheated furnace, causing $40,000 damage. Twenty-five guests were rescued by firemen, who wrapped them in blankets and turned them into the snow storm with the temperature nearly zero.

Byers Starts Suit.

Council Bluffs.—Attorney General Byers has started suit in the district court here, claiming title to 250 acres of land, in the bed of what was formerly Boyer Lake, claiming the property belongs to the state. Owners of property surrounding the lake bed have claimed the property.

To Vote on School Bonds.

Webster City.—At the regular school election in this city next spring the voters will be asked to vote upon the matter of bonding the district for the erection of a new high school building, to cost between $30,000 and $40,000.

Lost Jewels Recovered.

Boone.—A Des Moines woman has returned the bag of jewels valued at $5,000, lost by Mrs. John Reynolds last September in the Chicago & Northwestern waiting room and received in return a check from John Reynolds of several hundred dollars reward.

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"And I am poor."

"Yes."

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SYNOPSIS.

Richard Derring, returning from a winter in the woods to his mother's farm home, is overtaken by his uncle, accompanied by his eccentric wife, coming to pay a visit at the farm. Aunt Jerusha's questions about Emily Hutton, supposed to be Richard's sweetheart, bring out the fact that she is to marry a merchant, Edwards. Derring's disappointment stimulates his ambition and under the advice of Seth Kinney, a hermit of the woods, he resolves to fit himself for college. Kinney promises to teach him Greek. Derring tells his mother his resolve, and in his grandfather's old laboratory begins the study of Greek. Seth Kinney hears Richard's Greek recitation in the woods while he and Tom Bishop ply the cross-cut saw. Derring learns that he can look indifferently upon the loss of Emily. He visits Aunt Jerusha, who volunteers to help him through college. The Greek learned in the woods carries Richard triumphantly through entrance examinations, wins approval from the professor and insures his popularity among his fellows.

CHAPTER VIII.

A crowd of boys were waiting about the door. The boy of the back seat linked his arm in Richard's. "What'd old Four-Eyes want?" he demanded.

"Got a leather medal anywhere?"

"What'd he say, anyhow?"

The fact that Richard was their senior by several years did not seem to impress them. They gathered about him, chaffing and questioning.

Heads Were Thrust Out Again Above. "Yah—Yah—Yah! Dry Up, Down There, Yah—Yah!"

They disregarded his stern look as he tried to shoulder his way through the crowd.

"Oh, hold on."

"Tell us what he said."

In the end Richard complied, half resentfully.

"Liked it, did he? My eye!"

They danced about him.

"For he liked it, don't you know, don't you know?" they chanted, "For he liked it, don't you know—o-oh!"

"Then Aurora, rosy-fingered daughter of the morn," wailed in the Greek a small, chubby lad with pink cheeks.

It was the seesaw chant of the woods.

The group took it up with a shout of joy. They sent the burlesque jigging across the campus.

Heads were thrust out above. "Hey, you freshies! Haw-haw-haw! Keep quiet, down there!"

A shout of defiance went up from the group. They were drunk with too much Greek and with release from oppression.

A deep voice underran the chant and snatched it from them and made it beautiful, hurling it out with force. The group looked at him a moment doubtingly. Then they gave way and followed his lead. The burlesque had become a march of triumph. Breathless they landed him at his own door.

"Say, you fellows, what do you bet old Four-Eyes don't let us all off easy on account of the farmer?"

"Three cheers for farmer!"

"Hip—hip!"

"Three cheers for Four-Eyes!"

Heads were thrust out again above. "Yah—yah—yah! Dry up, down there. Yah—yah!"

The group broke up and drifted apart with a final yell. Windows descended with a slam, and quiet reigned.

The Greek professor, crossing the campus five minutes later, heard only the twittering of English sparrows and the quiet rustle of the leaves. Underneath the quiet, for the professor's ears, ran sonorous epic lines, chanted to a deep measure. The professor held his head high and stepped to a mighty tune.

The whole class was entered without condition in Greek—a thing unprecedented. The faculty gasped when they heard the news. The students grinned. News of the Greek prodigy got about college. Poor Richard found his path a thorny one. He could not appear on the campus but a chant in Greek would spring up of itself in the distance—swelling or dying away to an echo, according to the number of students on hand, and ending always with the mocking refrain: "For he liked it, don't you know—o-oh!"

The situation gave him enough to think about. He forgot to remember Emily, or even to remember that he had expected to remember her and be miserable. She rested in the background of memory, a faint blur, brushed out of existence by a grinning yell of derision.

He learned to set his teeth and grin back; and in the end he found his unwelcome distinction an advantage. It might not be comfortable to be recognized and pointed out in every new class he attended as the learned woodchopper; but at least he was recognized. No professor forgot his name or fumbled up and down the class-list trying to place him. And the fact that he was older than the majority of the class, added to the uncanny Greek distinction, gave him an assured place.

When it was known that he was working his way through college numberless opportunities sprang up. The faculty gave him tutoring and secretary work to do. The student body put him on the football team. Emily's image grew so faint that Cupid must have wrung his infant hands in despair.

The four years went by with undignified haste. Richard was conscious of leaving undone half that he meant to do. He groaned in spirit over vast tracts of literature—of which he knew not even the name—that he could get no time to explore. Nevertheless, he found himself, at the end of the course, taking honors in English. He gasped a little. Then he hunted up the professor of English and laid before him his secret desire.

"Want to be a journalist?" said the professor with a smile. "I thought it was Greek."

Richard made a hasty gesture—"Never!"

The professor laughed out. He was a trim, slight man. "Had enough in college?"

Richard nodded.

The professor drummed with his fingers on the table for a moment. "Had you thought of trying for a college position—English assistant, or something?" He watched Richard's face.

It flushed a little. "I want something that will take me into life. I've never known anything but the woods—and this."

The professor winced a little. "Well, journalism will take you into life, all right." He remained thoughtful a moment. "Have you ever done anything at it?"

"I've done the college news for two papers and sent specials now and then. But that stands for nothing permanent."

"It will do more for you than I can," said the professor. He had drawn a sheet of paper towards him. "How would you like Chicago?"

"All right."

"You might as well have plenty of life while you're about it. I hear they hustle things out there. You won't think you're in the woods—or in college." He had taken up his pen. "I have a friend on one of the dailies. I'll drop him a line."

"Thank you, sir." Richard stood up to go.

The professor held out his hand. "That's all right. Bring around some of the letters you've done on the college. They'll help you more than anything I can say. I'll put them in when I write."

CHAPTER IX.

She was dressed in a long cloak, grayish-brown, with gray hat and veil. Her tall figure loomed duskily in the back of the elevator. She was speaking to the elevator boy, who stood with his hand on the rope and slid to the door as Derring entered.

"This is my reception afternoon, Tom. If visitors ask for me, you can show them directly to the studio."

"Yes, Miss Gordon," returned the boy.

"Third, please," said Derring. His newspaper life was teaching him to think and act quickly. He must give her time to get at work. He stepped out at the third floor and the door was slammed behind him.

He could spend half an hour looking over the things on this floor. It would all work in some time—if he were promoted, as he hoped to be. His position at present included a variety of work. He was liable to be called on to write a column on any subject—from bacteria and the lake water, to art and its outlook in Chicago. His column to-day was "The Private Studios Connected with the Art Institute."

As he had turned the corner at Michigan avenue he had caught sight of a roll of paper whirling lightly across the open space in front of the institute. A woman in a gray cloak was battling with the wind and looking despairingly after the hurrying roll. It was the work of a moment for him to dart through the crowd of teams, rescue it, and receive murmured thanks from the gray veil.

Now, by the moment's chance in the elevator, he had learned that she was one of the artists he had come to interview. He would wait half an hour. Then he would look her up. She would at least be civil to him. It was a lucky chance.

She was seated with her back to the door, in the light of the north window. She turned her head from her work with a look of inquiry. The face was older than he had fancied through the folds of the veil.

She half rose from her seat, her hands full of brushes and color-tubes.

"Pray do not rise," he said. "If you will kindly go on working I shall feel less that I am intruding."

He explained his errand and asked permission to look about the studio and take notes. He asked the permission very humbly. He had not accustomed himself to the idea that the public likes to be interviewed and written up. The slight hesitation with which she gave the permission seemed to him natural and fitting.

"In fact," she said, smiling, "I suppose I ought to be glad to have you; it will advertise my work."

She went on with her work and they carried on a desultory conversation. Derring wandered about the studio, taking notes and pausing here and there. A sudden exclamation caused her to look up. He had turned a water-color sketch to the light and was examining it.

"It is Ashton Pond?" he said.

"Yes. Do you know it?"

"My home is there. It seems strange to see it here—out of place."

Asked Permission to Look About the Studio and Take Notes.

"I like to have it. It makes summer and the east nearer."

He looked at her in surprise. "Do you go there?"

"I have spent the last three summers there," she replied.

"And I have not been home for the last four. I've spent the vacations away."

They fell to talking of mutual acquaintances and places of interest. She had heard of Seth Kinney and she knew the wood-road. The studio became to Derring a very home-like place. They two were shut in, alone, in the midst of the quiet. The great, practical city roared outside, but they did not hear it. He did not realize that she showed the tact of a woman of the world in guiding the conversation. It seemed to him spontaneous and natural.

When she fell silent he started in dismay, looking at his watch. "I am keeping you—and the article must be in by two."

She gave him her hand at parting with the cordiality of an old friend.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Interesting Relic.

Just before Charles Edward, the young pretender, came to England to attempt the recovery of the throne of his ancestors, he gave a ball in Paris to which his friends and partisans were invited. Among the many beautiful women present, Lady Mary Touchet, a young English lady, greatly attracted the prince's notice, and before the evening was over he cut out the "star" which decorated his breast and presented it to her. Lady Mary cherished a romantic regard for "Prince Charlie," and was one of his most devoted adherents. She died very suddenly in the pride of her youth and beauty. The "star" after her death became the property of her sister, who married Philip Thicknesse. This gentleman, who was a whig, did not care for the Jacobite relic, and gave the "star" and a picture of the prince to his nieces. Doubtless the pretender's "star" is now in the possession of some family who regard it as a valuable curiosity, and preserve it as such.

She Lives in Louisville.

A young woman whose name is—whose name is—well, if you can guess it, is something like—never mind what her name is—startled everybody within a certain block on Fourth avenue the other day. She proved then that she doesn't believe in hiding her light under a bushel, especially when it is needed by the other fellow.

A car was nearing a corner, and a man was dashing madly down a cross-street in an effort to nab it before it sailed by. It looked as though he would miss it, though, and then it was that the girl placed her fingers to her lips and blew a shrill blast that Peter Pan would have delighted in, and which is given only to the elect to produce.

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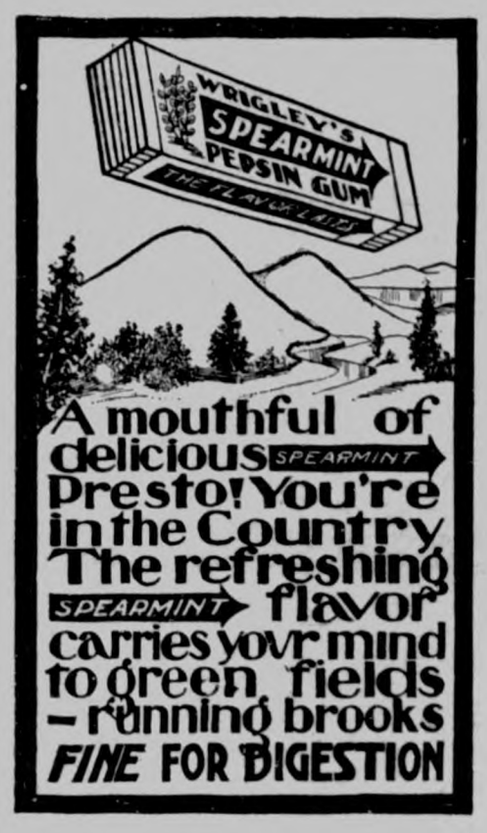

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Write to Secretary Fred Mahannah for fu'l particulars.

Letter From Limon, Colorado

Dear Klemme Friends—I promised so many of you that I would write you a letter that I think I had better write a letter to the Klemme Times so all can hear from us. We are very busy now and will not have much time to write for a while. Pansy and I left Klemme November 30th on the evening train. We changed cars at Dows and at West Liberty, then we came through to Limon, Colorado, without further change; was on the C. R. I. & P. all the way. We left West Liberty at 4:35 so it was soon light enough so we could see the country we were passing through. We were in Kansas the second night; we took a sleeper and had a good night's rest; rained in the night. We got to the Colorado line about four o'clock Monday morning, looked out of the window and saw snow drifts. They told us they had had a storm out here Sunday, wind and snow.

We got to Limon Junction, our journey's end on the cars, about 5 o'clock. Frank came in and we rode out to the ranch, about nine miles. As we rode along we could see Pike's Peak in the distance—looked just like some pictures I have seen of it. Got to our journey's end Monday noon, tired and hungry. It is a good place to give one an appetite here. Was a very nice day, warm and pleasant. Just a little snow here and that soon disappeared and it has been quite nice and warm ever since we got here. If the weather continues like this we surely have struck the right place. Edward got here Wednesday night and the neighbors helped him move out to the ranch. The water in the wells here is soft, no lime in the teakettle.

I feel quite high up in the world as 5,550 feet altitude. Pansy and I run up on the hill in the morning to see Pike's Peak. We have named this place "Pike's Peak Ranch." It is surely very new out here. One has plenty of room. We have for neighbors nearer than a mile from us, one is building a $1600 barn now.

I think the country will settle up fast because people come here who can't live anywhere else, they come here for their health. Well, I have always wanted to go south when it came Fall, so now I am in the beautiful land of Colorado.

MRS. EDWARD HASKELL.

The regular subscription price of the Chicago Daily Farmers and Drovers Journal is $4 per year, but we have made arrangements whereby we can furnish that paper and the Klemme Times both one year for $4.05. The Chicago F. and D. Journal twice-a-week, and the Times, both one year for $2.05. The Journal once a week and the Times, both one year for $1.55.

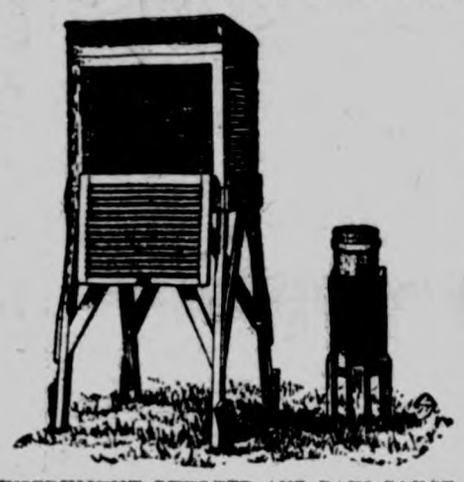
Farm and Garden

WEATHER ON THE FARM.

Proper Exposure of Thermometers. Plans For Rainfall Gauges.

No matter how good a thermometer may be, it will not indicate the true temperature of the air unless it is properly exposed. The variations in temperature reported by neighbors in discussing how cold or how warm it was at a given time are more frequently due to lack of uniformity in the exposure of the instruments than to errors in the instruments themselves or to actual differences in temperature at the various locations.

In a proper exposure the thermometer should be protected from the direct rays of the sun as well as from



INSTRUMENT SHELTER AND RAIN GAUGE.

the reflected heat of pavements, walls, etc., and at the same time should receive a free circulation of air all around it. If the sun shines on the thermometer the glass portions and the mercury are heated above the temperature of the surrounding air. In the same way the heat from the side of a building or from the surface of the ground may make the thermometer warmer than the free air.

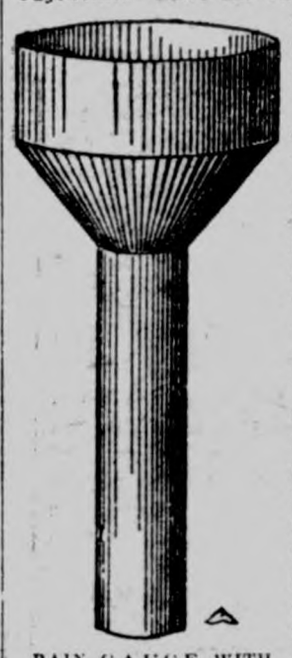
The best place to expose a thermometer is in the center of a slat sided box, two or three feet on a side, with a door opening to the north and having a double roof, with an air space between.

In case such a shelter cannot be secured or constructed the next best exposure is on the north wall of a building where the instrument will be protected as much as possible from the sun's rays and from the heat of surrounding objects.

Another instrument used in recording meteorological conditions is the rain gauge. Any cylindrical vessel exposed in an open space, where surrounding trees or buildings are far enough away not to stop the rain, will indicate the amount of rainfall. An ordinary tin can with straight sides will serve the purpose. The rainfall is measured regularly morning and evening by inserting a rule and observing how high the rule is wetted.

The ordinary rule marked off in eighths and sixteenths of an inch may be used, but in order to compare the results with the records of the weather bureau it is well to use a rule marked off in tenths of an inch.

Such a simple rain gauge has this objection—that the rainfall in any one day is frequently so small that it cannot be measured with much accuracy. To obviate this difficulty the receiving vessel must be made with a funnel shaped tube, with an opening whose area is one-tenth that of the receiving vessel. A rainfall which would measure one inch in the upper vessel will then measure ten inches in this measuring tube. The readings can therefore be more accurately made. The readings taken from the measuring tube must of course be divided by ten in order to get the actual rainfall. A diagram showing the form of such a gauge with measuring tube attached is shown in the second cut. In the standard rain gauge the upper cylinder has an inside diameter of eight inches, while the diameter of the measuring tube is 2.53 inches. The weather bureau rain gauge is shown in position in the first cut to the right of the thermometer shelter. Keeping a rainfall record is one of the most interesting tasks that a farmer or gardener can undertake. The preservation of the records will enable him to compare the rainfall and crop conditions for any one season with those for other seasons.



RAIN GAUGE WITH MEASURING TUBE.

Horse Spectacles.

The business of one well known firm of opticians in England consists largely in the manufacture of horse spectacles. The object of the spectacles is to promote high stepping. They are made of stiff leather, entirely inclosing the eyes of the horse, and the glasses used are deep, concave and large in size. The ground seems to the horse to be raised, and he steps high, thinking he is going uphill or has to step over some obstacle. This system of spectacles is generally adopted while the horse is young, and its effect on his action is said to be remarkable. It has been discovered that the cause of a horse's shying is, as a rule, short sight.

Facts About the Potato.

An authority tells us that the potato has a large and unique relationship. Tobacco, tomatoes, eggplant and peppers belong to the family. Probably that is why the potato bug is so often destructive to these crops. It is asked, "How can a potato grow other potato vines from the eyes since it is not a root, fruit or seed?" That is answered by way of illustration: A stem of almost any plant will produce another plant from the place where the leaves come out on it. If one will break off a piece of rosebush and plant it in a favorable place it will produce another rosebush, just as a potato will produce another vine.

In a wild state the potato vine is very hardy and will grow to a considerable height. It is said that the Indians did not cultivate the potato except for its leaves, which became known as their tobacco; hence the leaves and stalks of tobacco are large, but there are no signs of potatoes at the roots. So much for cultivation.

A WELL SHAPED SEED POTATO.

On account of the starch they contain, potatoes are valuable as food. The potato tuber consists mainly of a mass of cells filled with starch and encircled by a thin, corky rind. As stated, the chief value of the potato as an article of diet consists in the starch it contains and, to a less extent, in the potash and other salts. The quantity of nitrogen in its composition is small.

Treatment of Sick Fowls.

In the majority of cases the sick fowl should be killed, according to an authority. Generally it does not pay to doctor sick fowls, and often the sick fowl that recovers is not the one that amounts to anything afterward. This is particularly the case with fowls sick with the roup. This disease seems to permeate every fiber of the birds, and if they recover at all they are of little value for a long time. It is doubtful if they ever fully recover their old vigor. If one owns a high priced bird is may prove to be profitable to cure it for the sake of the eggs that it may produce, which eggs may be used for hatching other high priced birds. But a fowl that has been sick and has been cured should not be sold to an unsuspecting customer. The fowls that are to be doctored should be given good food and good surroundings rather than anything else. Their native vigor will help them to recover when medicine would be a detriment. Sunshine is an invigorator and may well be considered a great help in the doctoring of fowls.

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Snow!

Mrs. A. B. Shafer was on the k list last week.

Ralph Blank of Goodell is a w subscriber to the Times.

One thing is certain—there is tle danger of a "black" ristmas.

Wm. Sampson and Geo. Ulrich lled and settled with the inter on Monday.

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H. C. Lau shipped a car of gs Monday. Good hogs are w worth about $8.00, which is rtainly going a few.

The office of the Koerner Telephone Company will be closed Christmas Day and New ar's Day, same as Sundays. 2

Ralph Blank and wife were from Goodell Sunday. Fred nk and John Weiland went me with them Sunday evening returning Monday.

a letter from John Jordan, of our valued subscribers, orders his address changed n Jefferson, Oklahoma, to mond, Iowa.

Arthur Wellemeyer has a new ad this week.

C. C. Suckow is suffering with an attack of quinsy.

G. W. Kluckhohn sold a cow to Aug. Lau which brought him $40.50.

We are enjoying what might be called a good old-fashioned winter.

John Griewe left the latter part of last week for Carrington, North Dakota.

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Ernest Wellemeyer arrived here from Charles City Saturday night, for a visit with his brother, Arthur.

Fred Barz and Ella Barz, of Valley City, North Dakota, have been visiting here the past week with relatives.

The program and Christmas tree exercises of the English M E. church will be held tomorrow (Friday) evening at the church.

August Lau shipped a car of cattle to Chicago Monday. He went in with the stock and will visit a while in Chicago with his son Ben.

John A. Johnson, one of our good subscribers, was a pleasant caller at our sanctum Monday. Mr. Johnson recently sold three of his horses to a buyer for the neat sum of $500

We note that G. A. Griswold has purchased a restaurant at Dumont and has sold the Dumont Journal to his son-in-law, Frank Gates.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Grove were up to Garner Saturday morning, where Mrs. Grove took the Milwaukee train for Castalia, Iowa, to visit relatives.

In order to provide more office room, Doctors Zinn & Zinn have engaged sleeping rooms on the second floor of the State Savings Bank building. Phones at both suites of rooms.

You probably remember the noted lecturer, H. V. Adams. You heard him on our lecture course last winter and if you didn't, you missed the lecture they all talked about so long and so favorably. Mr. Adams is on our course again this year, and will be with us on Monday evening, Dec. 27th.

Our subscribers have come across liberally the past week and seem determined to make it a merry Christmas for the editor as well as other people. Besides those mentioned elsewhere the following have paid: Ben Billmyre, Chas. Bredlow, H. Freie, Ralph Blank, S. B. Day, E. H. Thomas, M. Elder, Fred Haupt Sr., C. C. Schaefer, Albert Riemer, H. F. Schlei, Wes J. Schuldt.

Jim Wright, well known to most of our readers, was taken suddenly ill last Friday and is still in a very serious condition. He has lost his powers of speech and hearing and to all appearances is wholly unconscious. His brother George arrived here from Parkersburg, Sunday, and is caring for the unfortunate man. Jim's many friends are hoping for his complete recovery.

School Notes

Wm. Fuller, a member of the school board, was visiting the different rooms Tuesday.

In the upper room there were 18 out of 25 that were in attendance five full days last week which is the best attendance of any week this term.

Friday afternoon closes our school work for the holiday vacation. The vacation period will be one week, making school open again on January 3rd.

We expect to hold a contest some time this (Thursday) afternoon in Elementary Agriculture to find out what the older pupils have retained from a few general lessons given them the past four months.

On and after January 1, 1910, the subscription price of the Klemme Times will be raised to $1.25 per year, except when paid in advance, in which case the price will remain at $1.00 per year. This move is necessary on our part on account of the big advance in all other lines, especially the price of paper.

Also, papers mailed to parties living outside the county must be paid for in advance, or we will be compelled to cut them off the list. We have lost a few hundred dollars by reason of extending credit on our foreign list.

These new rules need not make your paper cost you a cent more than it has in the past and will help us to meet our obligations better and more promptly. Hoping that these new regulations meet with your approval, we are yours for a successful year 1910. PUBLISHER.

German M. E. Church Items

We wish all a merry Christmas.

Amanda Arnold was in Garner last Saturday between trains.

Edna Suckow is home from Garner to spend the holidays at the parental home.

Lydia Beier returned from Kirksville, Mo., Monday, much improved in health.

We have a few choice books left which would make acceptable Christmas presents.

Ernest Wellemeyer came down from Charles City last Saturday to spend part of his vacation in his brother's store.

Mrs. John Josten sent a large box of millinery goods to the orphans as a Christmas present the first of the week.

Lurena Wessel and Ella Griewe are home from college spending their vacation. They will be home till January 3rd, when college resumes work.

May Weisbrod spent last Saturday and Sunday with Klemme friends. She is attending Charles City College and was on her way home to Fenton, Iowa.

Again the glad Christmas time is at hand when people remember the words of the Lord, how he said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." Or at least if men do not remember these words, they put in practice the spirit of them and so learn their truth from personal experience. For a few days men and women live as they ought to live the year round. In seeking the happiness of others they forget their own and so learn that by making others happy they increase their own joy.

As the old year draws to a close, one hopeful sign of the future for this country is that Cannon's reign of defiance and bossing is drawing to a close. The common people have had their eyes opened and the few "insurgents" who have stood for the common people are winning the day. Even President Taft's attitude has changed decidedly since last spring. When a man defies the government and the church, as Cannon has done, it is time they were set aside.

To the ladies of Klemme and vicinity—I will do plain or fancy sewing at reasonable price. Mrs. S. L. Sage. Call at residence of Mrs. Flint.

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¶ During the past year we have tried to accommodate you, and we now ask you to favor us in this, so that we may get our old Ledger closed up—and that we may also begin new for the beginning of the New Year.

¶ Please don't disappoint us.

ARTHUR WELLEMEYER
KLEMME, IOWA

he First National Bank has hange of ad.

he weather was good yester- for Henry Medaus' sale, ch was well attended.

P. Grove called at this of- Saturday and ordered the er sent to his son John, who ttending school at Ellendale, rth Dakota.

isses Alma Born and Bertha pt left last evening for Mon llo, Wisconsin, to spend the days at the home of Rev Mrs. Muehlmeier

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We sincerely wish all our readers a Merry Christmas.

A baby girl arrived at the H. N. Church home this morning.

Last Call—All owing us, pay up before January 1st. H. Lau & Son.

W. R. Bloom shipped a car of hogs to Chicago yesterday. E. G. Ell went in with the shipment.

Victor Carlson expects to leave today or tomorrow for Boone, Iowa, to spend Christmas at his old home.

A bouncing baby boy has taken up his residence at the home of Mr and Mrs. Fred Wacker, making his arrival on Tuesday, December 21st.

A new gasoline engine and sawing outfit arrived this week for Chas. Schlichting. It is a dandy outfit and was purchased through H. Lau & Son.

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Anna—Yes, I saw them, but I am going to get my fellow a nice case Pipe for Christmas.

Mary—Oh, I am going to get my fellow a jar of Moa Cigars for $1.00 with 25 of the best cigars in it.

Anna—Yes, and we are going to get some of Kirkwood's Home Bakery Goods for Christmas dinner.

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Though we, the people of the United States, boast of our individuality, we are regarded today by those who cater to our wants as an absorbent mass, rather than as discriminating units. Great agencies of supply give us a range of selection, it is true. But each differentiation is the standard choice of so large a number that it becomes a class by itself. Take, for example, those commodities and needs concerning which our personal taste is naturally selective, and we see that they are supplied,—but to a million or so others as well.

In foods, we are shipped trainloads of ready-to-eat, sometimes predigested, breakfast foods, biscuits, meats, soups, and desserts. In clothes, all of us who are not museum freaks are offered ready-to-wear uniformly designed suits, shirts, underwear, collars, hosiery, and shoes. In medicines, ready-to-alleviate dopes cure all diseases, and produce a host of rural centenarians. In travel, we are urged to join ready-to-start excursions and parties to every part of the habitable globe. In music, the ready-to-grind phonographs and pianolas have given the art of the few to the mob. In education, the ready-to-fit curriculums of our great colleges, business and correspondence schools are adapted to every youth in the land who is not an idiot. In dwellings, the ready-for-anybody flat is making a whirlwind obliteration of the American home.—Loren H. B. Knox, in the December Atlantic.

For the Season of Long Evenings.

There are no lonely winter evenings in the homes where The Youth's Companion is a weekly visitor, and there need be no idle hours. The variety of the paper's contents appeals to every member of the household and before one issue is exhausted the next is waiting at the post office. During the winter season The Companion prints nearly a hundred complete stories of considerable length, besides the absorbing serials, some 25 articles by men and woman of renown, and about twice as many short character and humorous sketches as there are winter nights Such an article as "Winter Gardening" suggests an interesting occupation which can be carried on in Alaska with snow twenty feet deep, and without the cost of a dollar. It is well "worth while" to read a paper so carefully and ably edited.

Send your subscription ($1.75) at once so as to receive free all the issues of The Companion for the remaining weeks of 1909, as well as The Companion's "Venetian" Calendar for 1910, lithographed in thirteen colors and gold.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION,
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January St. Nicholas.

There is the first of a new Ralph Henry Barbour story in the January St. Nicholas, and it starts right off with a new boy in boarding school and some football complications. "Kingsford, Quarter," is the title of it; and Relyea is making the pictures, as he has for most of Mr. Barbour's stories.

Charles Battell Loomis's "The Three Golden Showers" is one of the good, old-fashioned "once upon a time" and "they married and lived happy ever after" kind, with six delightful drawings by John Wolcott Adams.

There is the usual seasonable store of rhymes and pictures, stories and sketches, and, almost best of all, the Brownies again. Palmer Cox tells about "The Brownies' Quilting Bee" this time; and there will be more of the fun and adventures all through the year.

Artists in the Christmas "Harper's Weekly."

A remarkable series of pictures in color distinguishes the special Christmas issue of Harper's Weekly. The cover is a charming treatment, in three colors, of a winning phase of child life, painted by Alice Barber Stephens; while among the other well-known artists who are represented elsewhere in this issue are Elizabeth Shippen Green, J. A. Williams, Harold Matthews Brett, Harry G. Dart, Dan Sayre Groesbeck, Albert Levering, Horace Taylor, Arthur William Brown, Howard V. Brown, J. Conacher, and H. C. Wall.

First at the North Pole or Two Boys in the Arctic Circle.

By Edward Stratemeyer. Illustrated by Charles Nuttall. Price $1.25.

What can be more attractive in the way of reading for the young than a book of boys' adventures based on the most-up-to-date of all themes, and by Young America's favorite author? "First at the North Pole," by Edward Stratemeyer, is the story of two boy heroes who in the Maine woods make the acquaintance of a wealthy hunter and explorer, and persuade him to take them on board his polar ship, in company with a scientist whom they also know, and who pass through marvellous experiences that result in the attainment of the very "top of the world" side by side with Cook and Peary. All the practical details of polar exploration are given, and the thrilling romance of the "Call of the North" is made evident. The book is also rich in the history of great discoverers, and is profitable reading from that point of view without impairing its wonderful interest as a story.

The Football Boys of Lakeport. Or More Goals Than One.

By Edward Stratemeyer; fourth volume of the "Lakeport Series;" illustrated by Arthur O. Scott. Price $1.25.

Mr. Stratemeyer shows in this book what the jolly and dauntless boys of Lakeport did when the football season came around. Their heroes of the baseball field were not long in organizing an eleven, and there followed a series of exciting contests for the Lake pennant. The boys had a college man to coach them, and made a number of brilliant plays, some of which are described in detail. How the quarterback helped his rival of the gridiron to get away from his enemies and reach the field in time, and then defeated him, is strikingly told. But the story is not all football and some jolly times on the water and on an island are depicted; and the author shows how a youth, intensely shrinking, overcame his timidity and made something of himself by simply saying "I will" and sticking to it.

A Pair of Madcaps.

J. T. Trowbridge, whose 'A Pair of Madcaps," published this year by Lathrop, Lee & Shepard Company, is an important feature of this season's juvenile list, is to spend another winter in Italy. He will sail from New York with Mrs. Trowbridge, on Wednesday, December 21st, by the "Romanic" of the White Star line, for Naples and Genoa, landing at the latter port. He will spend the first weeks of his winter abroad at Alassio, Mentone, and other resorts on the Riviera, returning in April.

A Real Catastrophe.

Philip, aged four, is in the habit of going across the street to a neighbor's hause for milk. One day in December he returned home with an empty bucket and a grave face. "We can't get any more milk," he announced in a tone weighty with the importance of his message. "The cow's dried up," and, as we stared in surprise at him, he suddenly clinched the matter with an observation, evidently of his own—"They don't think that she'll thaw out till spring."—The Delineator for January.

Mr. Aaron Martin Crane, whose "Right and Wrong Thinking and Their Results" has passed through eleven large editions in three years, has ready a second book, "A Search for Ultimate Truth, the Divine Perfection Inherent in Man and in All Creation." This will be leading book on the list of the Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Company for the spring of 1910. A critic of very high standing who has reviewed the manuscript has written to the author that the book is not a "search" as he calls it, but a "discovery."

A Charles M. Sheldon Year Boo.

Crane & Co., of Topeka, Kan., announce the publication of "a Charles M. Sheldon Year Book." It is printed on handmade, silk-tissue Japanese paper, of a very excellent quality, and the quotations for daily reference are excerpts from Mr. Sheldon's published writings. The book sells at $1.00 postpaid.

A Clear Definition.

Leah was having her first lessons in punctuation. On her return from school she explained to her brother that a period was a dot, and a comma was a period that had sprouted.—The Delineator for January.

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TWO SHOT BY NEGRO

Motorman and Condnctor on Street Car Killed.

EAST ST. LOUIS CAR RUNS WILD

With Crew Dead and Dying, Runaway Car Creates a Panic—Negro Escapes With Small Sum Taken From Conductor.

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 20.—An uncontrolled street car bearing a dead motorman and a dying conductor ran wild through four miles of city streets here. The men were shot by a negro highwayman, who escaped with a small sum taken from the conductor.

According to the few words spoken by N. P. O'Brien, the conductor, who is desperately wounded, the negro boarded the car near Fireworks station in the south-eastern part of the city. The conductor refused to obey the highwayman's order to hold up his hands and a struggle ensued.

E. V. Goody, the motorman, is supposed to have started to O'Brien's assistance. From the position of the bodies in the car it is inferred that he was shot down while still some paces from the negro.

Whether O'Brien was shot in the first struggle or when trying to prevent the negro's escape could not be determined. No passengers were on the car, and with its motorman dead and its conductor helpless it started on a wild run through the streets. Several times as it rounded corners without warning from its gong, pedestrians and vehicles were missed by narrow margins.

The car kept on to the downtown terminal, where employes of the street car company boarded it and brought it to a halt.

WOULD TEST THE HOTEL LAW

Commercial Travelers Congress In Session at Waterloo Takes Action.

Waterloo Ia., Dec. 20.—At the annual meeting of the Commercial Travelers' Congress of Iowa here definite action was taken to test the validity of the hotel inspection law in the supreme court. The delegates are undismayed by the adverse decision of the Polk county district judge.

The congress passed resolutions demanding cleaner depots and railway cars throughout the state and also asked the Illinois Central to equip its locomotives with electric headlights.

John T. Rock of Waterloo was elected president, J. S. Irish of Des Moines vice president, and C. R. Rhode of Waterloo secretary-treasurer.

DUMP CAR JUMPS THE TRACK

One Man Killed and Another Probably Fatally Hurt in Marshall County.

Marshalltown, Ia., Dec. 20.—One man was killed and another probably fatally injured at Quarry, this county, when a dump car jumped the track, overturned and buried under the load of earth John Hockgraff, a brakeman, and Jerry McQuade, switchman. Hockgraff died instantly. Both men were employes of the Marsh Construction company of Chicago and are believed to live at Girard, Ill., from where they came to Quarry a few days ago. The Marsh company has the contract of stripping the quarries for the Chicago & Northwestern.

Two Killed in Wreck—Many Injured.

Tucson, Ariz., Dec. 20—Engineer Tom Walker and Fireman P. W. Bauer, of Tucson, were killed, thirteen persons were seriously injured and thirty-nine others cut and bruised when east bound Southern Pacific train No. 4, formerly known as the Golden State Limited, was wrecked three miles west of Benson.

Head for Penn College.

Oskaloosa, Ia., Dec. 20.—Dr. David M. Edwards was elected president of Penn college to succeed Rev. Dr. A. Rosenberger, who resigned some time ago. Dr. Edwards has been acting president during Rev. Dr. Rosenberger's absence in the Holy land. Rev. Dr. Rosenberger will engage in work for the Friends' church and literary pursuits.

Burlington Gets $1 Gas.

Burlington, Dec. 20.—The Commercial club and the council have forced the gas company to lower its rate for gas from $1.50 to $1. The quickness with which the victory was won was a surprise.

COUNTRY WHOSE SOIL SPELLS WHEAT AND OUT OF WHOSE FARMS THOUSANDS ARE GROWING RICH.

WHAT PRESIDENT TAFT AND OTHERS THINK OF CANADA.

Another Fat Year for the Canadian West.

Our Canadian neighbors to the north are again rejoicing over an abundant harvest, and reports from reliable sources go to show that the total yield of 1909 will be far above that of any other year.

It is estimated that $100,000,000 will this year go into the pockets of the Western farmers from wheat alone, another $60,000,000 from oats and barley, while returns from other crops and from stock will add $40,000,000 more. Is it any wonder then that the farmers of the Canadian West are happy?

Thousands of American farmers have settled in the above mentioned provinces during the past year; men who know the West and its possibilities, and who also know perhaps better than any other people, the best methods for profitable farming.

President Taft said recently in speaking of Canada:

"We have been going ahead so rapidly in our own country that our heads have been somewhat swelled with the idea that we are carrying on our shoulders all the progress there is in the world. We have not been conscious that there is on the north a young country and a young nation that is looking forward, as it well may, to a great national future. They have 7,000,000 people, but the country is still hardly scratched."

Jas. J. Hill speaking before the Canadian Club of Winnipeg a few days ago said:

"I go back for 53 years, when I came West from Canada. At that time Canada had no North-West. A young boy or man who desired to carve his own way had to cross the line, and to-day it may surprise you—one out of every five children born in Canada lives in the United States. Now you are playing the return match, and the North-West is getting people from the United States very rapidly. We brought 100 land-seekers, mainly from Iowa and Southern Minnesota, last night out of St. Paul, going to the North-West. Now, these people have all the way from five, ten to twenty thousand dollars each, and they will make as much progress on the land in one year as any one man coming from the Continent of Europe can make, doing the best he can, in ten, fifteen, or twenty years."

It is evident from the welcome given American settlers in Canada that the Canadian people appreciate them. Writing from Southern Alberta recently an American farmer says:—

"We are giving them some new ideas about being good farmers, and they are giving us some new ideas about being good citizens. They have a law against taking liquor into the Indian Reservation. One of our fellows was caught on a reservation with a bottle on him, and it cost him $50. One of the Canadian Mounted Police found him, and let me tell you, they find everyone who tries to go up against the laws of the country.

"On Saturday night, every bar-room is closed, at exactly 7 o'clock. Why? Because it is the law, and it's the same with every other law. There isn't a bad man in the whole district, and a woman can come home from town to the farm at midnight if she wants to, alone. That's Canada's idea how to run a frontier; they have certainly taught us a lot.

"On the other hand, we are running their farms for them better than any other class of farmers. I guess I can say this without boasting, and the Caandians appreciate us. We turn out to celebrate Dominion Day; they are glad to have us help to farm the country; they know how to govern; we know how to work."

Another farmer, from Minnesota, who settled in Central Saskatchewan some years ago, has the following to say about the country:—

"My wife and I have done well enough since we came from the States; we can live anyway. We came in the spring of 1901 with the first carload of settlers' effects unloaded in these parts and built the first shanty between Saskatoon and Lumsden. We brought with our car of settlers' effects the sum of $1800 in cash, to-day we are worth $40,000. We 'proved up' one of the finest farms in Western Canada and bought 320 acres at $3 per acre. We took good crops off the land for four years, at the end of which we had $8000 worth of improvements in the way of buildings, etc., and had planted three acres of trees. Two years ago we got such a good offer that we sold our land at $45 per acre. From the above you will see that we have not done badly since our arrival."

Prof. Thomas Shaw of St. Paul, Minnesota, with a number of other well known editors of American farm journals, toured Western Canada recently, and in an interview at Winnipeg said in part:—

"With regard to the settlement of the West I should say that it is only well begun. I have estimated that in Manitoba one-tenth of the land has been broken, in Saskatchewan one-thirtieth and in Alberta, one-hundred and seventy-fifth. I am satisfied that in all three provinces grain can be grown successfully up to the sixtieth parallel and in the years to come your vacant land will be taken at a rate of which you have at present no conception. We have enough people in the United States alone, who want homes, to take up this land.

"What you must do in Western Canada is to raise more live stock. When you are doing what you ought to do in this regard, the land which is now selling for $20 per acre will be worth from $50 to $100 pre acre. It is as good land as that which is selling for more than $100 per acre in the corn belt.

"I would rather raise cattle in Western Canada than in the corn belt of the United States. You can get your food cheaper and the climate is better for the purpose. We have a better market, but your market will improve faster than your farmers will produce the supplies. Winter wheat can be grown in one-half of the country through which I have passed, and alfalfa and one of the varieties of clover in three-fourths of it. The farmers do not believe this, but it is true."

Keeping pace with wheat production, the growth of railways has been quite as wonderful, and the whole country from Winnipeg to the Rocky Mountains will soon be a net-work of trunk and branch lines. Three great transcontinental lines are pushing construction in every direction, and at each siding the grain elevator is to be found. Manitoba being the first settled province, has now an elevator capacity of upwards of 25,000,000 bushels, Saskatchewan 20,000,00, and Alberta about 7,000,000, while the capacity of elevators at Fort William and Port Arthur, on the Great Lakes, is upwards of 20,000,000 more.

Within the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta there are flour and oatmeal mills with a combined capacity of 25,000 barrels per day, and situated along some famous water powers in New Ontario, there are larger mills than will be found anywhere in the Prairie Provinces.

Last year the wheat crop totaled over 100,000,000 bushels. This year the crop will yield 30,000,000 more. A recent summary shows that on the 1st of January, 1909, the surveyed lands of the three western provinces, totaled 134,000,000 acres, of which about 32,000,000 have been given as subsidies to railways, 11,000,000 disposed of in other ways and 38,000,00 given by the Canadian Government as free homesteads, being 236,000 homesteads of 160 acres each. Of this enormous territory, there is probably under crop at the present time less than 11,000,000 acres; what the results will be when wide awake settlers have taken advantage of Canada's offer and are cultivating the fertile prairie lands, one can scarcely imagine.

A Pair of Them.

No. 1—"Now mind, Johnny," said the mother of a five-year-old, "there's a ghost in that dark closet guarding the jam."

No. 2 (two hours later)—"Oh, mamma!" cried Johnny. "That ghost in the dark closet has eaten nearly half the jam!"

"I prescribed whiskey."

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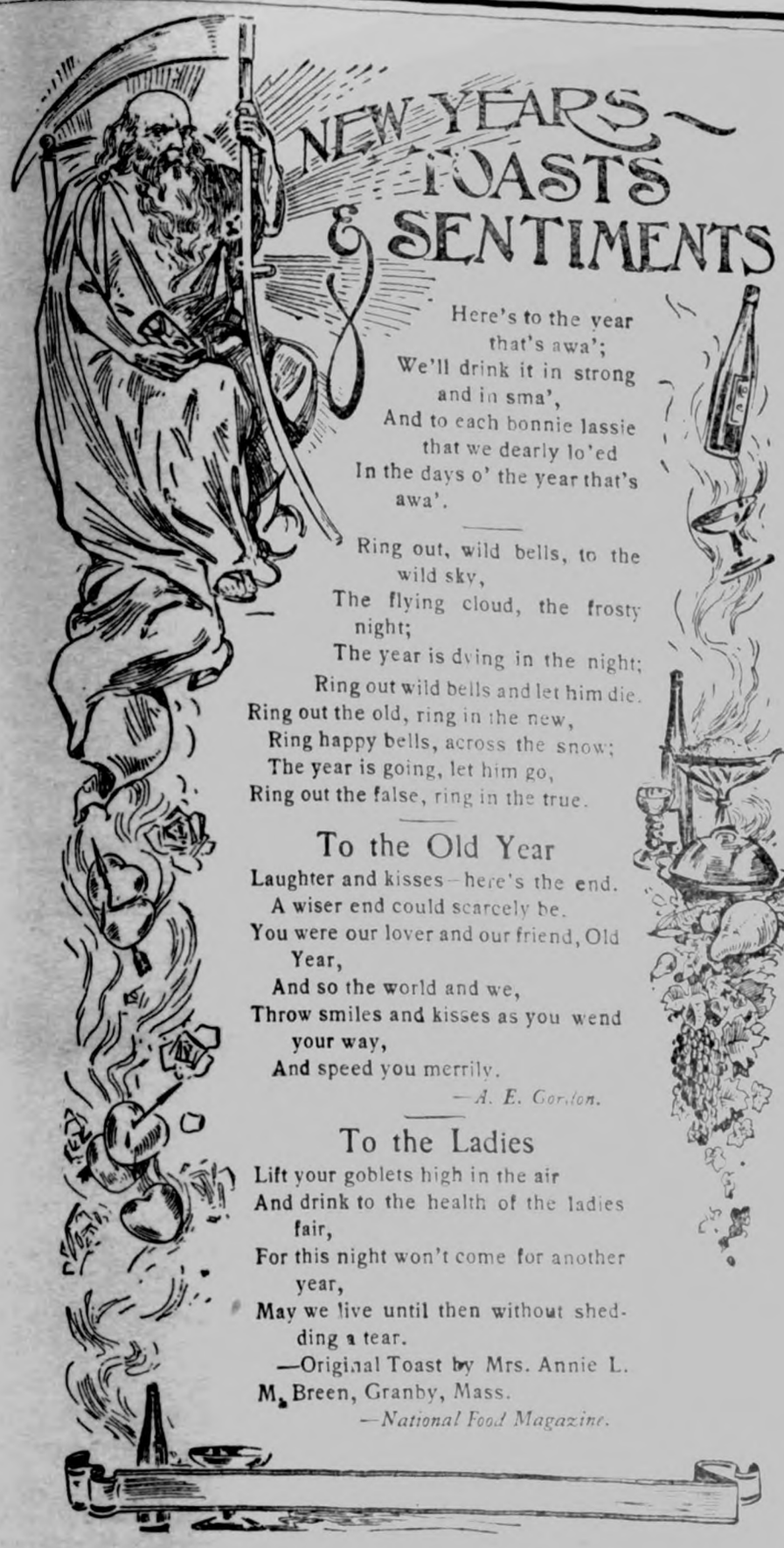

Here's to the year
that's awa';
We'll drink it in strong
and in sma',
And to each bonnie lassie
that we dearly lo'ed
In the days o' the year that's
awa'.

Ring out, wild bells, to the
wild sky,
The flying cloud, the frosty
night;
The year is dying in the night;
Ring out wild bells and let him die.
Ring out the old, ring in the new,
Ring happy bells, across the snow;
The year is going, let him go,
Ring out the false, ring in the true.

To the Old Year

Laughter and kisses—here's the end.
A wiser end could scarcely be.
You were our lover and our friend, Old
Year,
And so the world and we,
Throw smiles and kisses as you wend
your way,
And speed you merrily.

—*A. E. Gordon.*

To the Ladies

Lift your goblets high in the air
And drink to the health of the ladies
fair,
For this night won't come for another
year,
May we live until then without shed-
ding a tear.

—Original Toast by Mrs. Annie L. M. Breen, Granby, Mass.

—*National Food Magazine.*

Some Historic Happenings of January

The first month in the year has always been a fateful one in English history, but it began most specially to be recognized as such during the reign of Charles I. It was on January 4, 1642, that the attempt was made to arrest the five members. On the tenth of the month, three years later, Archbishop Laud, was beheaded, and January 30, 1649, saw the king's own head laid upon the block.

There is probably no act of parliament which has ever been the cause of such amazing dissensions and discord as that which brought about the union between Great Britain and Ireland. This came into force upon January 1, 1801. It was in the same month that Richard Trevithick, the Cornish inventor, perfected the first steam locomotive which ever moved upon an English road.

The great William Pitt, the most able prime minister who ever controlled the destinies of the kingdom, came into office at Christmas, 1783, and died in January, 1806. His great rival, Charles James Fox, born in January, 1749, only survived Pitt six months.

One of the greatest boons that a nation ever received from its government was conferred upon Great Britain on January 1, 1840—namely, penny postage. Adhesive stamps had been invented by Mr. James Chalmers of Dundee, six years previously, and these superseded Mulready's envelope later in the same year.

January has for a long time past been a very notable month in the history of the British royal family. On January 25, 1858, the Princess Royal was married to Prince Frederick William of Prussia. The German kaiser was born in January, 1859.

Prince Henry of Battenberg's death occurred on January 20, 1896, and the duke of Teck's life came to an end on the twenty-first of the month, 1900.

One year later, on January 22, 1901, came the end of the most famous reign in English or any other history. Queen Victoria died at 6:30 on the fateful evening.

In northern latitudes no nation fights in winter if it can possibly be avoided, and yet January has seen some of the toughest struggles of modern war. January, 1871, holds the record for fierce fighting. During that month there were no fewer than six terrific battles between the French and the Germans. The last was Gen. Trochu's grand sortie from Paris, which ended in his defeat and in the extinction of the last hopes of Paris and her citizens.

A Resolution for New Year's

The noblest resolution that any citizen could make for the new year would be the resolution to live more faithfully by the golden rule, that sublime principle of conduct for this world and for all worlds. Failure to live by this law causes the chief sorrows and collisions among men, says Edwin Markham in Success.

Let each earnest man search into his words and ways, determined to find the special manner in which he breaks the golden law—his special habit that works injustice or unhappiness in his shop, his office, his home, his city. He will find, perhaps, that in the shop he is in the habit of misplacing tools, and this hinders the work of his comrades; that in the office he is in the habit of being late in keeping appointments, and thus steals other people's time; that in the club he is in the habit of belittling worthy competitors, and thus joins the gang of thieves who steal reputations; that in the home he is in the habit of monopolizing the conversation, and thus fails to draw out the powers of others; that in the city he is in the habit of spitting on the sidewalk, and thus spoils the comfort of his townsmen; that in business he is in the habit of misrepresenting his goods, and thus robs under the cover of custom.

The Child of the Year

Said the Child to the youthful Year:
"What hast thou in store for me,
O giver of beautiful gifts, what cheer,
What joy must thou bring with thee?"

"My seasons four shall bring
Their treasures—the winter's snows,
The autumn's store and the flowers of
spring,
And the summer's perfect rose.

"All these and more shall be thine,
Dear Child—but the last and best
Thyself must earn by a strife divine,
If thou wouldst be truly blest.

"Wouldst know this last, best gift?
'Tis a conscience clear and bright,
A peace of mind which the soul can lift
To an infinite delight."

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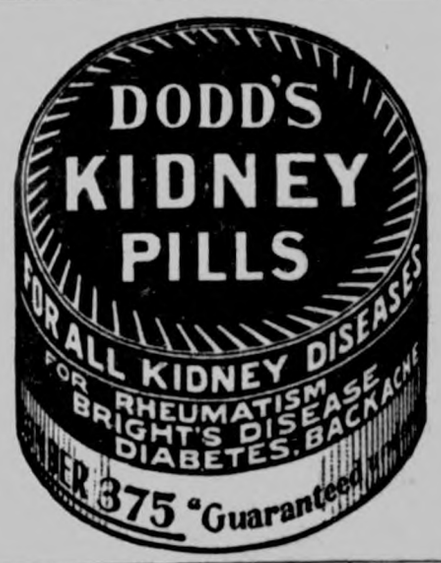

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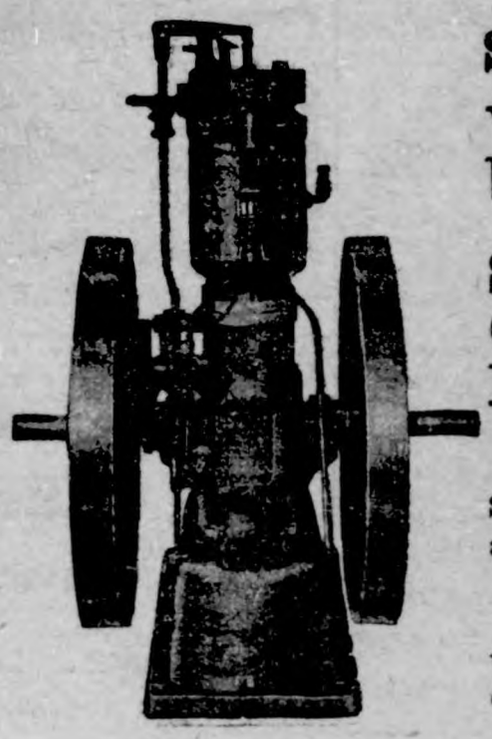

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From the Globe:

Frank Luken was a Klemme visitor last Tuesday.

J. D. Bachman and W. Robbins were business visitors at Klemme, Friday.

County Superintendent Deyoe is visiting schools in this part of the county this week.

Mrs. A. R. White and son, of near Klemme, were visitors at the A. D. White home Sunday.

Sam Friedman left Wednesday for Chicago, and Miss Maybelle Hubbard is the new clerk at the Farmers Store.

Mrs. H. H. Raph left Sunday for Pine Island, Minn., called there by the death of her brother, T. A. Cornwell.

V. E. Porter left Saturday evening and will go on the road for a harness firm located at Muscatine, Iowa. V. E. is a good fellow and also a good business man and we predict success for him on the road.

Word was received here Wednesday that Miss Clara Robbins had been shot in Sioux City—particulars unknown. Her father, Weck Robbins, and cousin, Kenneth Robbins, left for that point Wednesday evening.

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MESERVEY

From the Messenger:

Miss Lydia Bier was reported on the sick list last week.

Walter A. Fischer went to Mason City Mondap, where he entered Toland's Business College at that place.

Rev. D. Schaible, pastor of the Evangelical church at Corning, Iowa, and who took part in the Ministerial District meeting held at Meservey a year ago last summer, was instantly killed by a train last Saturday night at Brooks, Iowa, on his way to an appointment.

Mr. R. Wilson, of this place, sold 30 bushels of corn for seed for next year at $2.00 a bushel. Mr. J. Griggs was the largest purchaser, the neighbors purchased the balance. Some of the men who purchased corn of Mr. Wilson have forty acres in the field which they have not picked. Mr. Wilson said "that he believed if he had 500 bushels that he could have disposed of all of it at that price."

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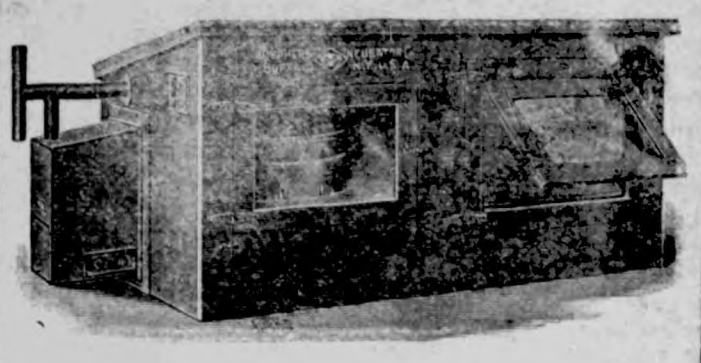

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A PLUTOCRAT, an aristocrat, a scientist and a pugilist found themselves traveling together. They were all of a size, each one was inclined to be arrogant, and while they were outwardly polite to each other there was not a man among them who did not look down upon the other three.

And a proletarian walked afar off, beneath the contempt of any one of them.

In the course of their journeyings the four entered into a great building devoted to trade and full of men of business, who as soon as they saw the plutocrat began bowing to him and asked him to come and take the highest seat. "For," said they, "you began with one cent and now you have a thousand millions."

The aristocrat sniffed, the scientist sneered and the pugilist snorted, but there was no doubt of it that if every dog has his day the plutocrat was now having his.

But the proletarian walked afar off, beneath the contempt of any one of them.

After a season they left the hall of the men of trade and traveled to an antique colonial mansion, which they entered. And here the aristocrat took precedence, and, while the other three were treated with civility, it was he to whom the honors were paid. "For," said one, "his line runs back many generations, traced in the bluest blood."

And the plutocrat said, "Why, I can buy him out."

And they bowed the plutocrat out.

The pugilist jeered audibly at the family pretensions and he also was asked to go outside.

The scientist sneered to himself, but he was suffered to remain, for an ancestor of the aristocrat had been a patron of a scientist of the fifteenth century and there was a tradition in the family that it was quite the proper thing to condescend to science.

Now the scientist was plainly bored at the rigid etiquette and ceremony of the place and after a time he rejoined his companions, who were waiting outside, and in a little while the aristocrat came out also, being of a restless temperament and loving travel.

But the proletarian walked afar off, beneath the contempt of any one of them.

It so happened that in their travels they came to a university and all four entered it.

And now it was the scientist who was honored and was invited to a chair, the chair of learning. Whereat the pugilist openly scoffed.

And he went out—with undergraduate help.

For in those days pugilism had not been recognized as one of the fine arts.

And the plutocrat said: "What's the matter with my giving a million dollars to this institution? I guess my name will then last as long as that of the scientist."

But he was not a good guesser.

The aristocrat said: "I understand the reason for these honors to our good friend the scientist. What a pity the fellow has not blood as well as brains."

And the proletarian walked afar off, beneath the contempt of any one of them.

After a time they took up their travels again and came to a great stadium where games and trials of strength were in progress. And it was free to all in honor of the birthday of the ruler of that country. Yes, even the proletarian was there!

The pugilist had begun to swagger as soon as he had come in sight of the stadium and when the multitude saw him they let forth great cheers and said, "Make way for the only champion!" And he took a seat of honor, glad that his three companions had lived to see this day.

But the scientist drew back in disgust and marveled that the world should worship brawn.

As for the plutocrat, he said, "I could give every man in this crowd a thousand dollars and never notice it."

But he didn't do it.

The aristocrat was once more in his element, and he proceeded to patronize the pugilist and took him off to introduce him to some of his titled friend[illegible]. For it is known that for a[illegible] Bluebloods have patronized

[illegible]n a great outcry arose [illegible] Smoke was seen and [illegible] heard and men [illegible] thither and the [illegible]ard and forward, [illegible]t each moment [illegible] the thick of [illegible]tarian, who [illegible]and as in-[illegible]tist and [illegible]tocrat

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and as weak of intellect as the aristocrat.

But being a brave man he stood his ground undaunted and called upon the crowd to stop its mad rushing, and his voice was charged with magnetism, so that the crowd obeyed him and a great disaster was averted. But he himself was crushed to death.

That night the other four were summoned hence also, and it came to pass that all five stood before the gate of St. Peter, who asked each one in turn to give an account of himself.

Said the pugilist: "I've knocked out more men than any prize fighter who ever lived."

"Stand aside," said St. Peter, sternly, looking toward the nethermost regions.

"I," said the scientist, "gave my whole life to the propagation of the theory that an apple cannot rise from the grass to a tree on account of the law of gravitation."

"How did that benefit humanity?" asked St. Peter.

"I was not thinking of humanity," said the scientist.

"Stand aside," said St. Peter.

The aristocrat advanced with beribboned cap in hand and, bowing, said:

"There is no doubt that I will be admitted. I am Percival Blueblood, patron of learning and the fancy and a gentleman. Please direct me to the bath."

"Stand aside," said St. Peter.

Then the plutocrat advanced and said:

"I am the richest man in the world and I want an extra commodious suite. I have done a great deal of good with my money since I turned fifty."

"How many people blessed you for the way you made your money in the first place?" asked St. Peter.

"Well, to tell the exact truth—as a man ought to do at such a time as this—I was cursed not a little in my early years, but I gave a hundred thou—"

"Stand aside," said St. Peter.

Last of all came the proletarian, who said:

"What are the qualifications, St. Peter?"—

And St. Peter said:

'How far can you trace your ancestry back?"

"I do not know of a certainty who my father was."

"Umph!" said St. Peter. "How much wisdom have you absorbed?"

"I never went to school."

"Worse and worse," said St. Peter. "How many men have you knocked out in the arena or in business?"

"I am afraid I never knocked any one out. I tried to keep within my rights and meddled with no one. I lacked initiative, I am afraid."

"Umph!" said St. Peter. "Well, how much money have you given to the poor?"

"I had none to give. I tried to make it up by—"

St. Peter interrupted him: "How about that time you quieted the panic at the stadium?"

"Oh, that wasn't anything! Any one would have done that."

"How is that?" said St. Peter, addressing the four who had been told to stand aside.

"He was worth a hundred men that day," said the plutocrat, unable to express himself save in terms of comparative values.

"He showed a self-sacrifice worthy of a scientist," said the man of learning.

"He acted like a thoroughbred," said the aristocrat.

"He was a man all right," said the pugilist, holding out his hand to the pauper.

"Come in," said St. Peter to the proletarian, who left his companions and entered in.

"We might as well continue our journey together," said the aristocrat, with a shrug of his shoulders.

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An Anecdote of Success.

Of Melville E. Stone, a Chicago editor said the other day:

"Stone, like all successful journalists, loves his work. He would sacrifice anything to it. Talking about love of work in the Associated Press office in New York, he said, with a smile, that he could almost sympathize with the notorious Australian boy.

"This boy, a resident of Perth, saw his father kill his mother and then commit suicide. The boy suppressed the news for several hours while he tried to tell an 'awful tragic' story in 1,500 words to the Perth papers. But his enterprise missed cash; the papers feared a fake and wouldn't deal.

"'But fancy,' said Mr. Stone, 'fancy such a boy wasted on a community of sand-gropers. What a loss to Park Row!'"

TEACHERS OF TWO STATES

Illinois Pedagogues Meet In Springfield While Those of Missouri Convene in St. Louis.

Sprinfield, Ill., Dec. 28.—With a meeting of the normal school council this afternoon, the annual convention of the Illinois State Teachers' association began in the state house. The first general session comes this evening, when Gov. Deneen, President C. M. Bardwell of Aurora, Superintendent of Public Instruction Francis G. Blair and A. E. Winship of Boston will deliver addresses.

St. Louis, Dec. 28.—The forty-eighth meeting of the Missouri State Teachers' association opened this morning in the Central high school with President B. G. Shackelford of Cape Girardeau in the chair. Mayor F. H. Kreismann welcomed the educators, and addresses were made by Otto Heller of Washington university and Walter Williams of the University of Missouri. Tonight a memorial meeting for William T. Harris and F. Louis Soldan will be held, the speakers being J. M. Greenwood of Kansas City and Ben Blewett of St. Louis. The sessions, general and sectional, will continue until tomorrow.

MEN OF HARMONY CONVENE

Music Teachers' National Association Begins a Three Days' Convention at Northwestern University.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—The Music Teachers' National association convened this morning at Northwestern university, Evanston, President Harris of that institution welcoming the members. The attendance is large and the program especially interesting. Those who read papers today included Harrison M. Wild, Adolf Weidig, Dr. Nathaniel Rubinkan and H. Augustine Smith, all of Chicago; Waldo S. Pratt of Hartford, Conn., E. R. Kroeger of St. Louis, C. A. Fullerton of Cedar Falls, Ia., and Mrs. Frances E. Clark of Milwaukee, Rosseter G. Cole of Chicago is presiding over the sessions, which will continue until Tuesday afternoon.

Interesting features of the convention will be a concert by the Capella choir of the Northwestern university school of music this evening, a meeting of the International Music society tomorrow afternoon ,an organ recital by George W. Andrews of Oberlin college tomorrow evening and a recital Thursday afternoon by the Steindel trio.

Commercial Teachers' Federation.

Louisville, Ky. Dec. 28.—The fourteenth annual meeting of the National Commercial Teachers' Federation opened this morning in the Gault house with a welcoming speech by Mayor W. O. Head and greetings from F. C. Nunemacher, president of the local board of trade, A. D. Wilt, head of Miami Commercial college, responded, and M. H. Lockyear of Evansville, Ind., president of the federation, followed with his yearly address. This evening the association will hear papers by Allen R. Foote of Columbus, O., and H. M. Rowe of Baltimore. There will be general and sectional meetings throughout Thursday, the convention closing that day with an old fashioned Kentucky dinner given by the Falls City Commercial Teachers' association.

Kentucky Editors Swap Views.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 28.—The midwinter meeting of the Kentucky Press association began here today with a welcoming address by President J. K. Patterson of the state university. T. C. Underwood, president of the association, responded, and after a round table on the press and the legislature, the editors heard a paper on tuberculosis in Kentucky by C. L. Adler. A discussion on editorials in country newspapers closed the first session. Tonight the association is to be the guest of the state university at a dinner. The meeting concludes tomorrow afternoon with a trip to Elmendorf, the country estate of J. B. Haggin.

Music Teachers of Kansas.

Wichita, Kans., Dec. 28.—The Kansas State Music Teachers' association, which was organized only a year ago, is holding a most enthusiastic convention here, about 50 of the leading musicians of the state being on the program. Tomorrow afternoon there will be a concert for which the program is made up entirely of the work of Kansas composers. Charles Davis Carter of Wichita is president of the association.

Michigan Knights of the Grip.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 28.—Nearly all the commercial travelers of the state are here today in attendance on the annual meeting of the Michigan Knights of the Grip. President J. J. Frost of Lansing is in the chair. Officers for 1910 will be elected tomorrow.

WOULD BE THERE.

"Hey, janitor, come quick. Dere's a man fell down de coal hole!"

"All right, sonny, I'll look into it!"

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A rector of Eltham once gave out the words: "Who art thou?" and, as he paused for a moment, an officer in uniform, who had just entered the church, suddenly halted, and taking the question as personal, promptly replied: "Sir, I am the recuiting officer of the Sixteenth Foot, and, having my wife and daughter with me, should be glad to make the acquaintance of the clergy and gentry of the neighborhood."

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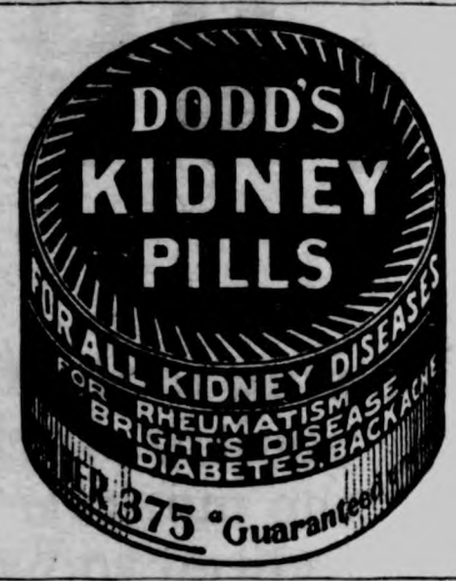

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CARPENTERS MEET

International Union's Convention Will Be Important One.

COMMITTEE MAKING PLANS

Sessions Will Occupy Three Weeks in September, 1910, and 3,000 Visitors Expected in Des Moines at That Time.

Des Moines, Dec. 27.—Three thousand visitors are expected in Des Moines at the time of the convention of the international union of carpenters and joiners, to be held here during September, 1910. A committee representing the national organization called upon President A. L. Urick of the Iowa district of the American Federation of Labor to arrange for the program for the convention and to make other preliminary plans.

The convention of the carpenters' union will last three weeks. During that time there will be 1,000 delegates present and the local committee expects that at least 2,000 visitors will attend from all over the United States. The meetings will be public and will be held either in the Coliseum or in the Auditorium.

Among the delegates to the convention will be representatives from Cuba, Hawaii and Porto Rico. They are expected to come prepared to have a great time.

From San Francisco it is expected that an especially large delegation will come to the convention prepared to carry off the next convention to their city. During the last convention these delegates spent money lavishly in an effort to capture the convention, but Des Moines got the prize without any expense whatever.

The California delegation has announced that it will bring to Des Moines a large bear as a special present to Senator Cummins. It was a telegram from Governor Cummins which was largely influential in securing the convention for Des Moines, and the California members of the organization announced at the last convention that they would recognize this fact by bringing him one of their bears. They have since repeated the assertion.

The committee on arrangements made its call at this early date because of its fear that it will not get accommodations at any later time. During September 1910, the military tournament will be held in Des Moines, as well as the convention of the Knights of Pythias. It is expected that the hotels will be full to overflowing.

Celebrate Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lambert celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Greenwood park. Mr. Lambert came here in September, 1868 and started the first green house in Des Moines at the corner of Second and School streets. Mr. Lambert has been superintendent of Greenwood park for several years. He gets his love of flowers naturally as it seems to be a family trait. His cousin, Peter Lambert of Germany, is one of the most noted horticulturists in Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Lambert were married at Summerville, Lee county, December 18, 1859. They have seven children, six sons and a daughter.

Girl Secures Long Lost Cash.

Deputy County Treasurer Fred German heaved a sigh of relief when he turned over a roll of money containing $92.54 to Miss Lydia Holland who was found to be the owner of the $112 that was found seven months ago in a gully back of her house by William Wilson.

Mrs. Choate Is in Des Moines.

Mrs. Pearl Ione Choate arrived from New York city for a visit with her siste, Mrs. Rebecca Lambert, at her home on University avenue. She will remain until after the holidays.

Lincoln Family in a Runaway.

Gen. and Mrs. J. Rush Lincoln, Lieut. and Mrs. Rush Lincoln and Miss Cassie Lincoln of Ames, were all more or less injured in a runaway accident.

Test Hotel Law in High Court.

Attorney General Byers will appeal to the supreme court from the decision of Judge McHenry in the Polk county district court knocking out the O'Conner hotel inspection law as unconstitutional and inoperative.

Money Coming to Honor Allison.

The $30,000 fund for an Allison monument in Des Moines was enriched by $153,73 received by Treasurer Morrow from M. J. Tobin of Vinton, making the total nearly $4,000.

Judges for Big Poultry Show.

Des Moines, Iowa.—W. S. Russell, of Ottumwa, O. L. McCord of Danville, W. C. Ellison of Minneapolis and V. G. Warner of Bloomfield have been announced as the judges for the pet animal and poultry show which will be held in the Coliseum, December 28-January 1. More than 600 pet stock and poultry breeders in Iowa are expected to exhibit. All entries must be in before December 24.

Premiums valued at $10,000 will be awarded on the following breeds of pet stock and poultry:

Barred Plymouth Rocks, White Plymouth Rocks, Buff Plymouth Rocks, Partridge Plymouth Rocks, White Wyandottes, Buff Wyandottes, Silver Laced Wyandottes, Partridge Wyandottes, Columbian Wyandottes, Golden Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds, Brown Leghorns, White Leghorns, Buff Leghorns, Light Brahmas, Black Langshans, Buff Orpington, White Orpington, Buff Cochins, Cornish Fowl, Mottled Houdan, Buff Cochin Bantam, Black Orpington, White Minorcas, Partridge Cochins, White Cochin Bantams, Black Cochin Bantams, Black Minorcas.

Games—Silver Penciled Wyandottes, White Crested Black Polish, Mammoth Bronze turkeys, White Holland turkeys, Toulouse geese, White Embden geese, Pekin ducks, Indian Runner ducks.

Pigeons—Fantails, pouters, homers, Maltese hens, Chinese owls, African owls, English trumpeters, Russian trumpeters, runts, clean-legged tumblers, muffed tumblers.

Swallows—Jacobins, magpies, turbits.

Eggs—Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, R. I. Reds, Leghorns, Mediterraneans, Asiatics, Polish, Dutch, French, English, bantams, games, ducks, geese.

Wins Ensilage Contest.

Director C. R. Bishop of the Iowa Corn Growers' association has announced the winners in the ensilage contest of the corn exposition, held in the Coliseum. They follow:

First, W. E. Davis of Berwick; second, G. Redhead of Des Moines; fourth, C. Davis of Boone; fifth, F Justice of Berwick; sixth, Grant Chapman of Bagley; seventh, J. Justice of Ankeny; eighth B. F. Hellor of Altoona; ninth, William McArthur of Mason City.

The awards in this class came late because of the time required to make the chemical examinations in the state agricultural college at Ames.

Favor Reduced Filing Fee.

State officers are of the opinion that the Iowa foreign corporation laws requiring a filing fee of $1 on every $1,000 capital stock, are unfair and that the action of the commercial clubs of the state to secure its change is warranted and should be successful.

Agar Company Is Defendant.

Damage suits aggregating $4,000 have been filed in district court against the Agar Packing company of Des Moines for injuries which the petitioners allege to have received while in the employ of the concern.

Telephones for Farmers.

Farmers residing in and near the town of Farrar, Polk county, have organized an independent telephone company, the articles of incorporation of which were filed with Mrs. Frank W. Dodson, county recorder.

Jurors Are Selected.

Twelve grand jurors and seventy five petit jurors were drawn by the Polk county jury commission, the former to serve for the year and the petit jurors for the January term.

Over 300 Divorces Filed.

Three hundred and four divorce petitions have been filed in district court during the past six months. In the new docket for the year there will be 235 other equity actions.

Entertains Board Members.

B. F. Kauffman, the newly elected president of the Des Moines Commercial club, entertained the members of the board of directors at a banquet at the Savery.

Subject to Iowa Law.

In an opinion the supreme court held that stock held in an Iowa bank by collateral heirs residing in another state is subject to the Iowa collateral inheritance tax.

Rev. Mannheimer Dead.

Word has been received in Des Moines of the sudden death of Rev. Sigmund Mannheimer, father of Rabbi Eugene Mannheimer of Des Moines, in Cincinnati.

Many Want Jobs.

One hundred and sixty-five applications have been filed with the board of supervisors for the positions of elevator men in the court house.

Names Assistant State Veterinarian.

Governor Carroll has appointed Dr. N. N. Crawford of Waukon, assistant state veterinarian.

DEVELOPMENT OF CENTRAL CANADA

THE STORY OF BIG YIELDS OF GRAIN COMES FROM EVERY SECTION.

When the man in the States was told that he could get 160 acres of land in Central Canada—comprising the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—that under cultivation would produce from 20 to 30 bushels of wheat to the acre, or if seeded to oats the yield would be 40 to 60 bushels, he was skeptical. The same story was told the man who wished to get nearer to existing lines of railway, and was only asked to pay $10 to $12 an acre. But many tried it, some one plan and some another. The man who accepted the 160 acres as a free gift, as a homestead, and was willing to put in the required residence duties of three years has now a farm worth from fifteen to twenty dollars an acre. The man who chose to purchase, and did so, took up his residence just the same. He has land, that, in many cases, is worth twice the money he paid for it. Both have found that the story of splendid yields was verified. They have had crops exceeding that promised; they have seen oats that yielded 100 bushels to the acre, and have grown wheat that averaged 40 and as high as 50 bushels to the acre. Their wheat was not a 57 lb. to the bushel article but 62 and 63 lbs. They have seen within the past year or two trunk lines of railway constructed through their district, and throwing out branch lines to the gates of their farm. They have seen schools established in their neighbourhood and the Government contributing largely to their expense. Churches have been erected, villages have been established, towns have sprung into existence and cities are rapidly springing up, as if the magic hand of some unseen conjurer was at work. But it was not; it was the legitimate offering of the wealth of the field which made all these things come about, naturally, and easy. The prairie that three years ago was merely prairie, a patch of brown, just waiting for the ploughman, is to-day dotted with tilled farms and splendid homes. The line of elevators with their glistening metalled fireproof sides and roofs, indicate the location of the town and the railroad. There is the glow of newness about it all, but the elevator, the splendid store buildings and the comfortable hostelries denote wealth, beyond that of the strength of the man who fashioned and built them but the wealth of the soil, which means that the newness will be followed by a steady growth. The writer recently was a passenger over the Grand Trunk Pacific, the latest factor in this great marvelous field of development. The rapidity with which towns were being built up, the farmsteads occupied, was something even his experienced eye had not looked for. Everywhere along the line of this new transcontinental was the distinguishing mark of progress. There was not a mile of the length of the road from Winnipeg to Edmonton and west that did not bear token of its ability to pay tribute to the revenue of the road. Mention is made of this line, not because it is the last in the field, but because it is one of the best built roads on the Continent and traverses one of the best districts of an excellent country. It is well operated, and already has gone into active service as another means of making it possible to secure more speedily transit from the grain fields to the shipping centres. It had been the intention in this article to have spoken of some of the yields of grain that have made the farmers of Central Canada contented this year, but space will not permit, so that delightful task will be taken up in another issue. In the meantime it would be well for the reader, if he is interested, to put himself in touch with some official of the Canadian Government and get information that might be useful in making a selection for a home in Central Canada, and become one of those who will be instrumental in building up a great country to the north. In doing so, you will be assisting the United States. In a few years' time the United States will be a wheat importer. Canada will supply the wheat and you will be one of the producers.

Two of a Kind.

Mrs. Boggs—I hate to have a man always complaining about some little thing. Now, my husband is continually harping on the lace curtains.

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In 1890 the business was well established, the foundation firmly laid and the policy well determined. From that time on the growth was more rapid. The capacity of the present Mayer factories at Milwaukee and Seattle is 9,000 pair per day, giving employment to an army of people, paying annually over six hundred thousand dollars in wages, and employing sixty-five salesmen who travel 24 states in the interest of Mayer shoes.

Frederick Mayer died on March 16, 1893, after building up a large and successful business. He is succeeded by his sons, George P. Mayer, Fred J. Mayer and Adam J. Mayer, who, by rigidly maintaining the policy of the founder, have succeeded in bringing the business up to its present magnitude, where it stands as a monument of German thrift and industry.

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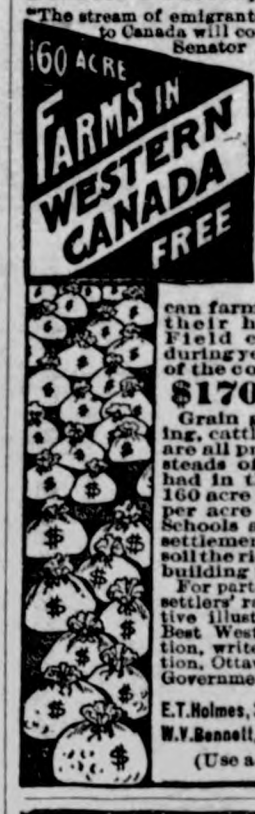

Senator Dolliver recently paid a visit to Western Canada, and says: "There is a land hunger in the hearts of English speaking people; this will account for the removal of so many Iowa farmers to Canada. Our people are pleased with its Government and the excellent administration of law, and they are coming to you in tens of thousands, and they are still coming."

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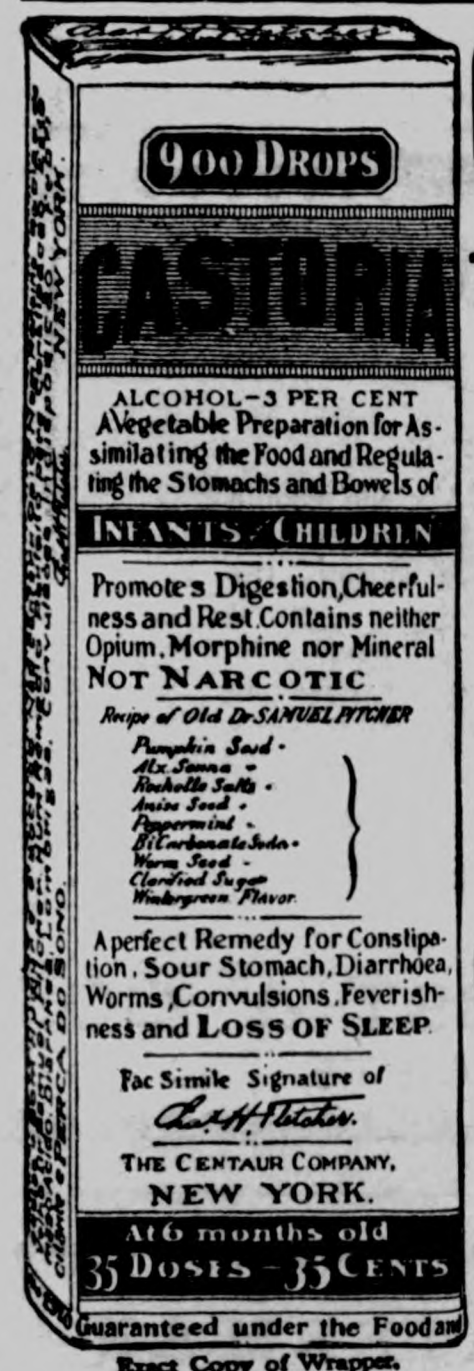

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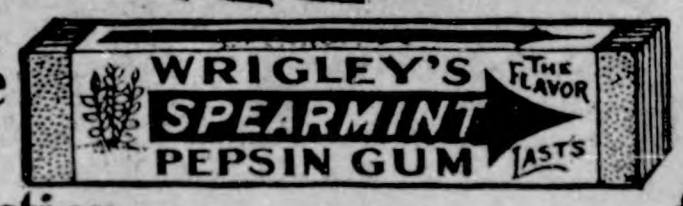

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COUNTY SEAT NEWS LETTER

Special to the Times:

Ole Peterson was over from Britt last Thursday.

The Hunt home has been quarantined for diphtheria.

Miss Hanna Finette visited her parents here over Sunday.

Rufus Wood ate Christmas dinner with his parents at Corwith.

Earl Wallace, of Goldfield, is visiting Garner friends this week.

Asa Wood of Lehigh, Iowa, is here visiting his parents a few days.

Miss Ruth Wellemeyer, of Charles City, was here between trains Friday.

Miss Anna Engstler is spending her two weeks' vacation with her parents.

E. N. Bailey of Britt transacted business here the latter part of the week.

Dell Taylor and Roll Nesbit attended the dance at Klemme Thursday night.

Mrs. Culver, of Dickens, Iowa spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. A. N. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Melcher spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gallagher at Burt, Iowa.

Bennie Baumgartner, who is employed in Mason City, is spending a few days at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Blackwell, of Goldfield, are visiting friends and relatives here for a few days.

Howard Williamson, who is attending college at Ames, was visiting relatives here a few days last week.

North Iowa Short Course

Will be held at Mason City January 24th to 29th. This is the Second Annual Short Course to be held in this section of the state and ought to be a winner. Last year's course, arranged for in two weeks' time, was a success, and this year's ought to be many times better. Every farmer should have a desire to get all the help he can from every source possible, and the Short Course is scientific farming brought to our very homes. The best in agricultural training is to be learned at the Short Course to be held at Mason City the last week in January, the 24th to 29th.

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Cattle	3.00 to 6.00

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Ern Lewis is on the sick list.

School opens again Monday.

Father Josten is reported on the sick list.

G. W. Kluckhohn was a Garner visitor Tuesday.

Herman Miller was at Garner between trains Saturday.

Mrs. A. C. Flint and babe are visiting at Britt a few days this week.

C. C. Suckow is now recovering from a very severe attack of quinsy.

Poultry wanted every day. Highest market price paid. H. Lau & Son.

Mrs. Hosmer and Willie Mallow are visiting Klemme friends and relatives.

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Miss Selma Schroeder, of Garner, visited here at the H. C. Lau home Friday night.

Fred Kluckhohn and Victor Carlson left last Friday for Boone on a week's visit.

Mrs. L. E. Bowker and daughter Ada went to Crystal Lake Monday for a visit with her parents

Ralph Blank and wife of Goodell and W. F. Lau and family of Garner spent Christmas at the T. Blank home.

Mrs. Kenefick, of Belmond, arrived in Klemme, Monday, for a visit at the home of her brother, Fred Haupt.

Someone left a muffler and a mitten at the opera house Monday evening. Owner can get same by applying to Wm. Fuller.

The party who took my pair of bob sleds from the side of the road ½ mile west of town is requested to return the same at once. E. H. Thomas.

Mrs. L. O. Turgasen and son Vernon returned Tuesday to their home at Buffalo Center, after spending Christmas at the G. W. Kluckhohn home.

They tell us that Frank Kahle has moved away—but they did not tell us where he moved. There are a number of business men in Klemme who will be interested in finding out,

"Spider" Nissen was down from Forest City over Sunday.

Last Call—All owing us, pay up before January 1st. H. Lau & Son.

Wm Schaper and wife were down from Garner last Thursday.

A masquerade dance will be held in the Klemme opera house December 31st.

Ed Ell and wife celebrated their wooden anniversary last week Tuesday evening. Those present had a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wharman, of Luzerne, Iowa, visited here from last week Tuesday until yesterday at the home of Geo Waterman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hillary of Garner and Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Bailey and son of Britt, were Christmas guests at the nome of the Times family.

The doll contest at Mrs. Josten's during the holiday season was a success and Gail Bloom was the lucky girl to guess the nearest to the doll's age.

The following paid the printer during the past week—Val. Josten, Jr., G. A. Goll, Chas. Medaus, A. Anderson, Julius Priebe, F. H. Ridder, E. M. Pavey, Wm. Bachman.

Ell Bros. take our first page this week to tell you about their big poultry prices for January 3 and 4. The boys are going to get the business if push and prices will turn the trick. Read their ad.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bachman left Monday for points in Illinois, Indiana and Tennessee for an extended visit. Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Haupt arrived Friday night and will take charge of things on the place during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Bachman.

The lecture by H. V. Adams last Monday evening was well attended and highly enjoyed. The theme was "The House of Changing Dimensions" and Mr. Adams has his subject well in hand. He has a good voice and is an entertaining and forceful speaker. Those who attended this lecture were well entertained.

Being obliged to take it for rent I will sell it out cheap;

Dr. Hess Stock Food.

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To be had at G. F. Schuler's Garner, Iowa.

Mrs. A. Anderson is quite sick.

W. C. A. Gast and C. H. Lenz are new subscribers this week.

Appropriate Christmas exercises were held in the public school last Friday afternoon.

On account of a rush of work yesterday we are compelled to leave the School Notes over until next week.

John Louden and Charley Schlichting each shipped a car of cattle to Chicago yesterday. Mr. Louden went in with them.

George Nissen and family arrived in Klemme from Livermore, Iowa, last Thursday and visited until Friday at the home of his mother, when they left for Clear Lake to spend Christmas at the home of Mrs. Nissen's folks.

German M. E. Church Items

W. C. A. Gast and family were Klemme callers last Sunday.

Emma Sampson has been sick with a severe cold since Saturday.

Geo. Gruetzmacher filled the pulpit in Klemme last Sunday evening.

Alice Griffen visited at the parsonage and at Arnold's the first of the week.

Elmer and Walter Weisbrod, of Fenton, spent Christmas at the Ludeke home

Martin Lau, of Walnut Grove, Minn., is visiting his mother and brothers this week.

Mary Griffen has been sick most of last week with an attack of the "grip" or a severe cold.

Wesley Bettien of Charles City is spending his vacation with his brother Emil on the farm.

The Germantown Epworth League will give a program in the Klemme church Sunday evening.

Elmer Schlei returned from Fenton last Friday where he had been working for a month or more.

Elenor Koerner departed Friday evening for Charles City to spend her holiday vacation with her parents.

Arthur Wellemeyer left Sunday evening for Charles City, and from there to Colesburg and other points.

Helen Schaper, of Illinois, is visiting her uncle, G. J. Schaper and her aunt, Mrs. John Tanner in Germantown.

Henry Grunge and family left for Clayton county last week and will spend the holidays among friends at Monona and Postville

Elmer Lenz arrived from Beltrami, Minn., last week, and is visiting his brothers, Charley and Wesley, and his uncle, Ernest and family.

Nettie Ulrich went to Clayton county last week to get acquainted with her large circle of relatives living around Giard and Monona, the former home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weisbrod came down from Fenton last Friday to spend Christmas at the Schlei home. Edward returned Tuesday, but Mrs. Weisbrod will stay a few weeks.

Wm. Prull and family, Mrs. Aug. Stille and children, Wm Gast, Sr., and Geo. Gast attended services in Klemme Sunday morning and took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ahrenkiel, east of town.

Mrs. W. J. Haefner met with a slight accident last Saturday evening which might have proven most serious. As the family was leaving the house for the Christmas exercises, she opened the oven into which a celluloid comb had dropped in some way. Suddenly a flame shot out of the oven into her face, burning the fur she had on and singeing her hair.

The members of the Standard Bearer society will hold a Watch Night meeting at the Wm. Sampson home Friday night. They will take up their monthly study from 8:30 to 9:30 after which a supper will be served This will be followed by a general conversation. Each member is requested to relate six or more incidents of his life which impressed him most or stand out most prominent in his memory. The last moments of the old year will be spent in devotional services.

The Christmas exercises in both churches were good. Two trees graced the platform and from this center the church was decorated with festoonings, evergreens, pop-corn strings and tinsel. The little folks had their pieces well learned and some acted their parts exceptionally well. A variety of dialogues by the larger ones and the songs rendered by the choir interspersed the program. The Germantown church was crowded on Friday evening and the Klemme church was literally packed the next evening. Besides the packages of candies and nuts, apples and oranges distributed by the Sunday school a large number of scholars received presents from their teachers, and vice versa. And last but not least, the pastor was presented with a fine rocking chair by the Klemme congregation.

If you don't know what an unruly body a Sunday School class of twelve young men are, just ask Mrs. Wessel to explain. A few evenings before Christmas she had them all at her home, to rehearse their piece for Christmas. As they departed she gave each a little token of remembrance and expected they would now all be good and go straight home. But what do you think they did? They went straight down town and looked over all the nice things in the different stores, and shortly before twelve o'clock they returned and not one missing Edgar Zinn acted as spokesman and in the name of the class presented their teacher with several beautiful presents. Well, their teacher was not prepared for this lesson, her tongue seemed to stick, she only stammered out "I thank you all." So the young men got the best of their teacher after all.

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KLEMME, ... IOWA

SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

Latest News of Interest Boiled Down for the Busy Man.

PERSONAL.

Threatened with pneumonia and in a weakened condition, William J. Bryan was forced to cancel his lecture at Jacksonville, Fla. He is under the care of physicians at the residence of his cousin, William S. Jennings, Florida member of the Democratic national committee.

Another young monarch was added to the reigning sovereigns of Europe when Albert I. ascended the throne of Belgium at Brussels. The official ceremony was brilliant and the popular acclaim genuine.

Commander Peary very strongly intimated, in a speech at the banquet of the New England society at New York that the expedition which he led successfully to the north pole might also try for the south pole.

United States Senator A. J. McLaurin expired suddenly from an attack of heart trouble at his home in Brandon, Miss., at the age of 61 years. Death came without the slightest warning.

Percy E. Rockefeller, son of William Rockefeller, is convalescing at Greenwich, Conn., after an operation for appendicitis performed a fortnight ago.

William A. Harris, former United States senator from Kansas and three years ago Democratic candidate for governor of that state, died at the home of Mrs. Lydia M. Mackey, Chicago, of heart disease.

Spencer F. Eddy, who landed at New York and is on his way west, says he resigned as minister to the Balkan states because he has become tired of living abroad.

Owen Kildare, the author and playwright, is critically ill at a hospital in New York. His physicians say that his death may be expected at any time.

Dr. H. W. Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry, criticised the constitution in an address at Washington because it leaves the government no jurisdiction over impure food unless it enters interstate commerce.

Dr. Jose Madriz, former judge of the Central American court of justice at Cartago, and Zelaya's candidate, was elected president of Nicaragua by the unanimous vote of congress. The session was a stormy one, but there seemed to be perfect unanimity with regard to the election of Madriz.

Baroness Vaughan, whom Leopold made his queen in fact, if not in name, quietly left Belgium for France, accepting the hint of the government that if she did not depart voluntarily she would be expelled from the country.

GENERAL NEWS.

The fourth international sanitary convention, called by Dr. Walter Wyman of Washington, chairman of the international sanitary bureau, began its sessions in San Jose, Costa Rica, with all the American republics represented.

Fire that started in the store of the Siegel Company in Grand Rapids, Mich., caused $100,000 damage.

Indefinite postponement of the case of Mrs. Howard Chandler Christy against her husband, the artist, to recover possession of her daughter, is announced at Zanesville, O.

At least three lives were lost and many persons were seriously hurt in a fire which destroyed the big drapery store of Arding & Hobbs at Clapham, a southwestern quarter of London, England. The damage is estimated at $2,500,000. All the customers made their way to the street in safety.

Walter R. Carroll, a former policeman, who was killed by a train at San Jose, Cal., has been identified as a robber who held up many San Francisco drug stores.

Cape Breton was shaken by an earthquake which paralyzed the telegraph system.

Five indictments on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government by the sale of water rights were returned at Boise, Idaho, by the federal grand jury, which has been investigating the affairs of the Great Western Beet Sugar Company, a defunct corporation.

A gas explosion in mine A of the Chicago & Carterville Coal Company at Herrin, Ill., killed eight men, among them the civil engineer and his helpers. It is supposed that the explosion was caused by the surveyor and his party walking into an old worked-out room which has gas and which was set off by the lamps they carried. Three hundred men escaped uninjured.

The state department at Washington received a cablegram from Consul Moffat, at Bluefields, that a horrible condition is presented at Bluefields as the result of the battle between the Nicaraguan army and the revolutionists and that disease and death by starvation is threatening the 2,000 incapacitated men of both armies. The department started immediate steps for relief in the shape of food, clothing and other supplies, the Red Cross assisting.

Declared to have no equal afloat as a first-class fighting machine, the battleship Utah, the greatest warship ever built in the United States, was launched from the yard of the New York Shipbuilding Company at Camden, N. J.

Secretary MacVeagh and Senator Aldrich, chairman of the senate finance committee, have clashed over the manner of replenishing the treasury, which is rapidly being depleted of its surplus. Aldrich is of the opinion that nothing but an out-and-out bond issue will suffice to strengthen the treasury. Mr. MacVeagh believes that any new bond issue should be delayed as long as possible and that in the meantime the Panama canal bonds already authorized should be issued as a protector for the gold reserve. President Taft has aligned himself with Secretary MacVeagh.

Edward H. Harriman was worth $200,000,000 at the time of his death, although a recent appraisal of his estate placed its value at $149,000,000. Since Mr. Harriman's death his estate has profited by a rise in market values and it is stated that the wealth of Mrs. Harriman may be conservatively estimated at $220,000,000.

A $50,000 monument to firemen of New York city who died at their posts of duty will be built in Union square next year.

An exposition will be held in New Orleans to celebrate the opening of the Panama canal and incidentally the two hundredth anniversary of the founding of the city.

A codicil to the will of George Rhodius, filed for probate, leaves the residue of his estate, or about $500,000, to be applied for improvement of parks in Indianapolis. The original will gives only $50,000 to Elma Date, who has appealed to the Indiana supreme court for the annulment of her marriage to him.

Robbers blew open the safe of the State bank of Centerville, Kan., and escaped with $1,500. One of the robbers was fired upon by C. H. Brown, president of the bank. The robber returned the fire, drove Brown to cover and escaped. Neither was wounded.

Robert E. Entriken, a fireman, was killed and several other persons were injured in fighting a fire at Dowiington, Pa., which badly damaged the large mill plant of S. A. Bicking & Son.

Estrada forces at Tatumbla and Recreo, near Rama, routed and defeated the forces of Zelaya after desperate fighting of several hours. A great many were killed. One hundred were wounded and 150 prisoners were taken by the revolutionists.

Charles L. Warriner, the defaulting treasurer of the Big Four Railroad Company, when sentenced at Cincinnati to six months at hard labor in the state penitentiary, exclaimed: "I'm free for the first time in ten years."

Reaffirming his complete confidence in Dr. Cook, Rear Admiral W. S. Schley, retired, called publicly upon Commander Peary to submit his proofs that he reached the north pole to some scientific body other than the National Geographic society.

The heaviest snowstorms known in the history of Arizona have tied up freight traffic on the Santa Fe lines in the northern part of the territory and have seriously interfered with the movement of trains on the Southern Pacific farther south. Passenger trains are being operated with difficulty.

During 1909 Columbia university has received gifts reaching nearly $5,000,000, an amount believed to be a record for educational institutions in the east. These include the Crocker gift of $1,500,000 and the Kennedy bequest of $2,500,000.

A hundred or more scantily clad lunatics roamed about the country after being liberated from imprisonment by a fire which destroyed the north wing of the Northern Hospital for the Insane at Jacksonville, Ill. Several firemen were injured by falling walls in the fight to prevent the blaze from spreading to the main part of the building. No one was killed.

St. Paul passenger train No. 43, running north at 35 miles an hour, spread the rails one-half mile east of Good Thunder, Minn., near Mankato, and plunged into the ditch. Forty passengers were hurt, none fatally.

PRIZES FOR GRAIN

Given By Iowa Small Grain Growers Association.

MEETING AT AMES, JAN. 3-15

The Small Grain Growers of State to Put on First Annual Contest During the Short Course at Ames.

Ames, Ia., Dec. 27—The Iowa Small Grain Growers' association is to put on its first annual contest in the agricultural hall at Iowa State college at Ames, January 3 to 15, 1910. This convention and show will run concurrently with the annual short course. Previously the work has been all with corn, and within the last two years the importance of developing the small grains has become recognized. This is the purpose of the above-named organization, which is an outgrowth of the Iowa Corn Growers' association and which is this year putting out a premium list.

Show samples are to be one-half bushel of the grain exhibited. The prizes include: One $125 small grain drill, one $125 binder, one $150 gang plow, a $50 case of Keen Kutter tools, one $50 disc harrow, one $50 litter carrier with tracks, one $90 Correspondence School scholarship, two premiums of $10 in cash and $10 in flour, one of $15 in flour, 150 pounds of Manila binder twine, one $50 hay tedder and one $35 seed cleaner. At the same time, the Kellogg special of $1,000 for corn will be competed for.

Besides these contests, the boys and girls of the state will hold a contest in corn, for which a list of premiums valued at $5,000 is provided. For particulars concerning this write William McArthur, Ames.

The agricultural departments are now in the splendid new agricultural building. This fact insures a better short course than ever before. The new auditorium in this building and the many fine laboratories mean more ample facilities and better work for all.

Free Trip to Europe for Iowa Teacher

Monticello.—Mary E. Jarman, the principal of the high school of Monticello, has been presented with a letter of credit entitling her to a trip through Europe during the coming summer vacation. This gift was made by the people of this city as a testimonial of their good feeling towards Miss Jarman, and of their appreciation of her faithfulness during the seventeen years she has served them as high school principal. Miss Jarman was ignorant of the matter until the gift was publicy made in the school. The various classes of the school have taken the matter up and have presented her with a trunk, steamer rug, etc., necessary for her trip.

Bank Starts Fight Over Blank Estate.

Des Moines.—The Wulfehuhler State bank of Leavenworth, Kan., has started suit in the probate division of the district court to prevent the widow of he late J. B. Blank, who committed suicide last summer, from getting her dower in his estate. The attorneys for the bank declare that the estate is worth $90,000 instead of $5,000, as shown by the inventory of A. H. Blank, the administrator. They say this discrepancy exists because the deceased transferred about $85,000 worth of his property to Rebecca Blank, his widow, just before his death, and accuse him of doing it to defraud his creditors, and intimate that he had deliberately planned his death at that time.

Found Gold Watch in Can of Lard.

Lake City.—A five pound pail of lard yielded treasure in the shape of a gold watch to Mrs. W. N. Winnet of this place. The timepiece has evidently had hard usage, the case being dented in several places, but the movement is a fairly good one, and a local jeweler states that it is still of some value. The lard in which the gold watch was found was the product of a well known packing company and was sold to Mrs. Winnet by a retailer.

Recruit Falls Dead.

Marshalltown.—After spending the evening singing the praises of her new-found life in the Salvation Army, Mrs. J. C. Haney, a well-known member of the local army, returned to her home and fell dead of heart disease. She was 55 years of age.

Forest City to Have Peat Plant.

Forest City.—The National Peat Fuel and Gas company of Chicago has become interested in the peat lands near Forest City and a plant costing $10,000 will be opened next spring. Mr. Secor owns most of the peat lands near here.

Big Yield of Corn.

Sac City, Iowa.—Mr. G. Keir stated that his men had just finished husking and cribbing the corn from an eighteen acre field on his farm one and one-half miles west of the Sac City canning factory and had obtained no less than 1,635 bushels, or a yield of almost ninety-one bushels per acre.

Mr. Keir says that the measurements are correct and that he is confident that he might have obtained 100 bushels per acre if the corn had been taken out before the severe storms.

This splendid yield is not so hard to understand after Mr. Keir tells how he proceeded in order to get it. He began last fall by covering the field with manure, scattered by a spreader, and then plowed the field. In the spring he gave the field a light top dressing of manure and thoroughly disked it into the soil.

The seed bed was carefully prepared by disking and harrowing and the corn was checked in on the usual plan. The seed was strong, the stand perfect. He cultivated entirely with a god cultivator and went over the field five times, twice after the fourth of July. As a result, he says that nothing was grown in the field but corn, and it is now absolutely clean so far as weeds or grass are concerned.

It is probable that the average farmer hereabout will be pleased this year if he obtains a yield of thirty bushels per acre. It is worth while ascertaining whether the excess of sixty bushels per acre did not amply compensate for the extra expenditure of labor. Smaller fields, better cultivated, must become the motto of farmers on $150-an-acre land.

Makes Big Husking Record.

Marshalltown.—Husking 125 bushels of corn in eight hours is a record which it is believed eclipses anything in that line done in the state this season. The record was established by Theron Denbow of Liscomb, on the Harry Early farm in the northern part of this county. Denbow husked forty-five bushels before dinner, and completed his afternoon's work by adding eighty bushels more. The record is a trifle better than fifteen and two-thirds bushels per hour, or a fraction better than a peck a minute.

Father Brogan Ill.

Marshalltown. — Catholic circles throughout northern and central Iowa will be sorry to learn of the critical illness in this city of Rev. Father J. J. Brogan for many years a well known priest in the northern part of the state. Father Brogan is a patient at St. Thomas hospital, where he has been chaplain for the past three years. He is suffering from the effects of old age and a general breakdown and it is feared he cannot survive long.

High Heels Caused Fall.

Des Moines.—Whether the street car company is at fault by having a metal casting at the exit of one of its street cars, or the French heels on her shoes were to blame for the accident which resulted in serious injuries to Mrs. Katherine Newell, is a question that will be settled in the trial of the damage suits that were brought against the Des Moines City Railway company by Joseph Newell and his wife, Katherine.

Marley Girls Released.

Logan.—Henry Marley, held here for complicity in the murder of his wife, has signed release for his two daughters, Sina and Alice Marley, and they will be taken to the children's home in Des Moines. Monte Marley, the 15-year-old boy may make his future home with Mr. and Mrs. George Weatherly, near Missouri Valley. It is said that Mr. Marley has not signed release for the boy as yet.

Sidney Woman Celebrates.

Sidney.—Mrs. Emily Penn, who has been a resident of this community for nearly half a century, celebrated her eighty-fifth birthday. She was the object of a postal shower, receiving 1,100 postal cards two telegrams from friends in Pennsylvania and various other expressions of felicitations from her many friends.

Robbery at Newton.

Newton.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Manning was broken into and robbed by two men, who gained entrance by picking a Yale lock. Quite an amount of silverware had been packed in a suit case, but the return of Mrs. Manning frightened the men away, only $7 being taken.

Mother and Babies Starving.

Mason City.—Mrs. Wagner and two little babies, two and four years old, on her way to St. Cloud, was stranded here without money or food. They were in bad condition when discovered by railroad men at the depot. A collection was taken up, and they were sent to St. Cloud.

TABERNACLE BURNS

Disastrous Fire in East Des Moines, Christmas.

MANY BLOCKS ENDANGERED

Half Dozen Families Burned Out of House and Home and a Holiday Dinner When Old Tabernacle Was Destroyed.

Des Moines, Dec. 27.—Fire of unknown origin totally destroyed the old Tabernacle on East Grand avenue between Fourth and Fifth streets and did considerable damage to adjoining buildings.

The building was occupied by the Guaranty Hosiery mills and seven lodges. Everything was destroyed and only a smouldering pile of brick and blackened timbers in the basement remains to mark the spot occupied by the historic structure. The total fire loss is estimated at $65,000. Insurance totals $29,000.

The Tabernacle was owned by the Finch Realty company. It was valued at $18,000. The Finches carried but $4,000 insurance.

The hosiery mills company had machinery to the value of $17,000 and goods and stock to the value of $25,000.

To the west of the Tabernacle a three story frame dwelling house owned by Sam Sunberg and family was only prevented from being completely demolished by the prompt work of the firemen. All of the furniture was removed and the loss to the building was estimated by Sunberg to be about $300. Besides Sunberg, his mother and six children were rescued from the house by the firemen. Because of their anxiety for clothing in the upper rooms they ventured to remain in the building too long.

The building at 436 Grand avenue, east of the Tabernacle, is occupied by the Des Moines Paint company and is owned by W. Doise, as is the entire corner of the block. At No. 438 is located the City bakery and on the corner is a grocery at present owned by J. A. Wilson and Eric Bergrum.

Over these three stores are two floors of tenements, occupied almost entirely by people who owned practically nothing but their furniture.

The damage to these buildings amounted to about $2,000. They were partially covered by insurance. The furniture was badly damaged by water and is almost a total loss.

To the north of the Tabernacle a double frame house facing on Fifth street was injured to the extent of about $1,000. It was occupied by Phillip Smith and family and by W. C. Wright and family. Each of these families suffered a loss of about $300 to their furniture and personal effects.

J. H. WINTRODE SHOOTS SELF

Ill Health Caused Head of Winterset Banking Institution to Take His Own Life.

Winterset, Ia., Dec. 27.—Dr. J. H. Wintrode, president of the Citizens' National bank of this city, shot and killed himself sitting at his desk.

The bookkeeper of he bank left at about noon and the janitor a few moments later, Dr. Wintrode remaining in his office. A half hour later Cashier W. J. Cornell went into the bank and found the president of the institution dead at his desk, the revolver at his hand and the bullet hole in the right temple telling the whole story.

Dr. Thompson was called but found that the unfortunate man had died instantly from the self-inflicted wound. The family, which was preparing for their annual Christmas day banquet, was apprised of the tragedy, and the whole city joined them in their grief.

Ill health was the cause of the suicide. Dr. Wintrode, four years ago, underwent an operation for gall stones and had worried much in fear that the ailment would recur. For the year just past he had been extremely concerned about the state of his health and was very despondent, especially of late. Three weeks ago he visited friends in Des Moines and talked then of going to Colfax to try the springs but did not do so.

One Killed When Cars Collide.

Mason City, Dec. 27.—Patrick O'Neill, a land seeker was killed and C. K. Hildreth of Kensett was seriously injured when Milwaukee passenger train No. 103 crashed into a Rock Island passenger at Plymouth. The baggage car and smoker of the Rock Island train were smashed. The trainmen jumped and were not injured. The wreck was caused by a mistake in signals.

SYNOPSIS.

Richard Derring, returning from a winter in the woods to his mother's farm home, is overtaken by his uncle, accompanied by his eccentric wife, coming to pay a visit at the farm. Aunt Jerusha's questions about Emily Hutton, supposed to be Richard's sweetheart, bring out the fact that she is to marry a merchant, Edwards. Derring's disappointment stimulates his ambition and under the advice of Seth Kinney, a hermit of the woods, he resolves to fit himself for college. Kinney promises to teach him Greek. Derring tells his mother his resolve, and in his grandfather's old laboratory begins the study of Greek. Seth Kinney hears Richard's Greek recitation in the woods while he and Tom Bishop ply the cross-cut saw. Derring learns that he can look indifferently upon the loss of Emily. He visits Aunt Jerusha, who volunteers to help him through college. The Greek learned in the woods carries Richard triumphantly through entrance examinations, wins approval from the professor and insures his popularity among his fellows. Four years in college obliterates the memory of Emily. Derring begins journalistic work in Chicago. He meets Helen Gordon, an artist.

CHAPTER IX.—Continued.

As he hurried up Wabash avenue pictures of the wood-road flitted before him. He heard the rustle of the leaves and saw the green moss and the trailing lines of partridge-berry. And in and out of the picture moved the figure of the artist—in its soft grays and browns. She fitted the scene; she was a part of it; yet when he tried to remember how she looked, he could not recall even the color of her eyes. She eluded his search, and in her stead he saw the sun shining through the swaying leaves and falling on the vines and berries.

"Look out there!" The voice was loud and important.

Derring felt himself drawn swiftly back from the advancing cable car. He pulled himself together, with a word of thanks to the incensed policeman, and devoted himself in earnest to the dangers of the Madison and State street crossing.

CHAPTER X.

Richard's promotion came sooner than he had dared hope. The art critic was to take a trip to Europe, and Derring was offered the position. Something in the quality of his articles had attracted attention; and he had even handed in several specials on his own account, that were accepted with some show of interest.

He owed his rapid advancement partly, too, to something that, for want of a better name, we call personality. Those who came near him felt its influence. The office boy approved of him; the managing editor stood ready to help him. That he gave no return to the liking he inspired seemed to make no difference. His unsatisfied heart was a magnet, drawing to itself the particles of humanity and holding them.

His new work took him to the Art Institute and into the world of artists, and he saw his new friend often. Sometimes they stopped for a word in the halls; sometimes he sought her studio in the intervals of work. Their relation had become that of good-comradeship. Derring supposed that he felt towards her as he would have felt towards a man—if there were such a man. He turned to her with each new interest. They discussed every subject in the range of art, literature and life. But their intercourse was free from even a hint of love-making. She had only the grays and browns of her apparel.

With his promotion and increase of salary Derring had changed his boarding place to a pleasanter part of the city. He had not thought to ask her where she lived. It had not occurred to him that he might happen on the same place until the first night at dinner when he raised his eyes from his plate and found her on the opposite side of the table, smiling quietly at his surprise.

That she saw the surprise was evident. But that she divined the accompanying vexation could be guessed only from the care she took to put him at ease. It was like her. She would not be so stupid as to misunderstand him any more than a man would have done.

It was three months after the beginning of their acquaintance that he hurried into the studio one morning to ask her to lend him a book he had seen in her book-case. He was short of material, he explained. He wanted to work up the Arundel collection. If she would lend him that book it would save him a trip to the library.

In his haste he did not notice—though he remembered afterwards—the slight hesitation with which she took the book from the case and handed it to him. It was a small, leather-bound pocket edition, such as tourists carry, and bore in gilt, on the side, "The Masterpieces of Europe and England."

"Yes, that is it." He opened it at random, running the leaves through his fingers. "I will bring it back soon."

With the book still open in his hand he hurried from the room.

Five minutes later he appeared again in the doorway.

"I shall have to go to the library after all," he said, abruptly. "I have brought back your book."

"I am sorry you did not find what you wanted." She did not look up from her work. She could not have seen the color in his face and she may not have noticed the slight tremor in his voice as he replied:

"It's no matter. I can find it at the library.

It had become a matter of course that he should come and go in this

Held the Curtain Aside for Her to Pass.

easy way, with no ceremony; but it had not become a matter of course that he should leave the studio with his pulses thundering in his ears. Yet nothing had happened. He had turned the leaves carelessly in his hand as he went down the stairs.

It had stared at him from the white page: "To John Dalton, with love. Helen Gordon."

It rang in his ears as he hurried on hat and coat and hastened to the library. It danced before his eyes between the pages of books. "With love." That meant a history. And she had the book now. There had been either a parting or a death. Stupid! He had not guessed or dreamed. The restful quiet of her life covered a dead secret.

He found himself, through the day and as he walked home at night, repeating over and over, as if it were a refrain: "The ashes of a dead love." Yes, that was what it was like—that restfulness of hers—passion burned to ashes. Why had he never guessed? And was it dead? Would she love again?

The question stung him. He quickened his pace. He had not thought of her before as a woman. And yet it was strange that he had not. It came to him now that her womanliness was her chief charm. But it was so a part of her that he had never separated it from her. That she should be thoughtful of others, that her voice should be low and sweet, that she should be graceful in every motion—all this was—Helen. He said the name half under his breath. He stood bewildered before his own consciousness. He loved her!

During his college years Derring had come to know that in love he was an idealist. Love in its true sense could not exist on the earth. It was a vision of poets—impossible of realization. Long since he had come to know that his boyhood love was such a vision, and that its realization would have been a kind of tragic comedy. But always the ideal flitted before him, love, now here, now there, and each making him fancy that he was in time he had wakened to the knowledge that he was in love with an ideal. When he had been invited to the homes of his classmates he had fancied that he should find in one of these homes the fulfillment of his dreams. But the sisters who met him with cordial welcome, who danced, flirted, and played golf and tennis with him, had seemed to him too young to understand even the alphabet of love as he would read it. He had felt very old and experienced and out of place. The love that he might perhaps have won from them seemed to him pale and insipid. He wrote poems, but he dedicated them to the ideal. She was a glowing presence—more real to him than any woman. Now this ideal had paled and faded and a quiet figure in grays and browns filled its place.

He was passing a florist's, and he stopped to purchase a bunch of violets. He did not tell himself they were for her. He was not quite steady yet from the shock that had come to startled if the quiet wood-road at home had suddenly assumed a woman's face and form and claimed his love. But deep in his heart was a longing to make her reparation. He had invaded her secret. He could not undo that. But he could let her know that he was sorry. Sorry! Was he?

She was not home from the studio. But the door of her room, which was him. He could hardly have been more warmed from the hall, stood open. Without crossing the threshold he laid the violets on a chair inside the door. Would she understand? Yesterday he would have said yes. Today he could not tell. She might not understand, or she might understand too well.

She greeted him as quietly as usual when she came in to dinner that night. She wore the violets tucked carelessly into the lace that filled her dress. One that had fallen apart from the others rested lightly against her throat. His heart stopped for a second, and then leaped forward with a bound.

Not till they were leaving the dining room, when he held the curtain aside for her to pass, scanning her face, did her glance meet his. The next moment he could not have told what he saw in her eyes, but he no longer questioned their color. Blue—blue and deep—slumbering fire. Fool! Had he expected her to wear her heart on her sleeve for daws to peck at?

He had not intended to see her again that night, but he found that he could not rest. It would make no comment, even in this gossipy boarding house, if he stopped at her door a minute. But he found that he had suddenly grown careful, only conscious of remark. He would put on his hat and coat and go for a walk. He might see her as he passed her door.

She was seated in a low chair by the table, sewing, the light falling softly across her brown hair and on the work in her hands. His violets were still in her dress. She was the embodiment of home, he thought, as he stood for a minute across the threshold. She looked up quietly—not as if she were startled to see him there.

"You have brought me the paper?" she said, catching sight of the newspaper in his hand. "You are very good." She laid down her sewing and came to take it.

A sudden daring seized him. "Will you not be good, too?" He lifted his hand to the violet at her throat and drew it from its place—watching her face, to obey its lightest wish. She did not stay him. She stood with her hands clasped, her figure swaying a little forward and her eyes following the flower as he placed it in his coat. In another minute she might have raised her eyes to his. A door opened below—a step sounded on the stair.

"You are not angry?" he pleaded.

"No." It was half-breathed, half-spoken, hardly audible, but it set his pulses thrilling. He passed into the cool night air with new joy in his heart. She had understood. It was to be, not only comradeship, but love. He raised his flushed face to the quiet stars. They stretched away into infinite space. But only love could make life worth the living.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

BITTER WAS THE AWAKENING

Sleeping Owner of Millions Brought Back to Earth by Stern Yet Modest Demand.

"I dreamed last night that beginning with $100 I pyramided my bets on the stock market so that in a little while I had $2,000,000,000," said one of the artist colony in West Sixty-seventh street yesterday. "A crowd of people came to me and besought me to cease speculating. They pointed out that I had more money than I could ever spend and if I kept on I would own all there was in the world. I replied that I wanted a billion dollars more for my own use and that I proposed with the two billion I already had to establish a great institution where all the artists and writers and sculptors might work free from pecuniary annoyances, and raise the standard of beauty in all the arts throughout the world. The last man who came to beg me to stop making money was my attorney. I turned a deaf ear to his entreaties and finally he sternly demanded of me the two dollars and a half that I had borrowed from him last week. Then I woke up."—New York Press.

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"By Jove, I'm awfully sorry, old chap, but I have forgotten a most important engagement. Some other night, dear boy."

"Sorry about the engagement, Gormley. The fact is I have neither a youngest daughter nor a piano."

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Bell—What makes you think so?

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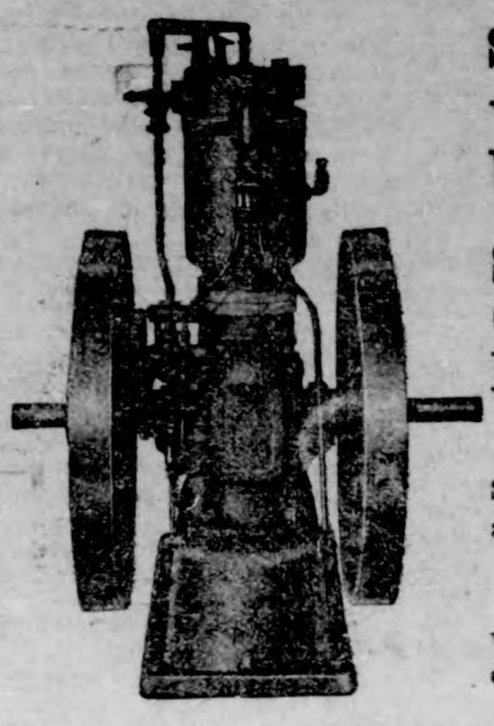

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